

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES
Governing Board of the Los Angeles Unified School District

SPECIAL MEETING ORDER OF BUSINESS

333 South Beaudry Avenue, Board Room

1:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 2, 2010

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance

New Business

1. Board of Education Report No. 239 – 09/10 **PUBLIC HEARING**
Innovation and Charter Schools Division
(Approval of the Renewal of the Charter Term for Los Angeles Academy of Arts & Enterprise)
Recommends approval of charter renewal for 5 years of Los Angeles Academy of Arts & Enterprise, a 377 student, grade 6-10 school located at 600 S. Lafayette Park Place in Los Angeles.

2. Board of Education Report No. 241 – 09/10 **PUBLIC HEARING**
Innovation and Charter Schools Division
(Approval of the Renewal of the Charter Term for Our Community School and Material Revision to add Grades 7 and 8). Recommends approval of charter renewal for 5 years of Our Community School, to be located at the Devonshire Elementary campus for 274 students in grades K-6 and the material revision to expand to grades 7 and 8 to be located at 16514 Nordhoff St. in the San Fernando Valley are of Los Angeles.

3. Board of Education Report No. 246 – 09/10 **PUBLIC HEARING**
Innovation and Charter Schools Division
(Approval of the Charter of Crown Preparatory Academy) Recommends approval of the charter petition for Crown Preparatory Academy for 5 years for a 480 student, 5-8 grade school to be located in the Leimart Park area of Los Angeles with specific conditions.

4. Board of Education Report No. 251 – 09/10
Innovation and Charter Schools Division
(Approval of the Material Revision to Charter of New Los Angeles Charter School)
Recommends approval of the material revision amendment for New Los Angeles Charter School, located at 5100 Wilshire Blvd. in Los Angeles, increasing the school's total enrollment from 240 to 360.

5. Board of Education Report No. 272 – 09/10 **PUBLIC HEARING**
Innovation and Charter Schools Division
(Denial of the Charter Petition for the Rhythm of Learning Center School) Recommends denial of a charter petition for a K-5 grade, 100-340 student school to be located in the Wetlake/MacArthur Park area of Los Angeles and the adoption of the Findings of Fact.
6. Board of Education Report No. 218 – 09/10
Human Resources Division
(Reduction in Force Notices to Certificated and Contract Management Employees)
Recommends authorization for staff to send notices to all certificated administrators, supervisory employees, confidential employees, contract management employees with expiring contracts, and staff legal counsel informing them they may be released or reassigned for the 2010-2011 school year. Additionally, recommends authorization for staff to send subsequent notices by June 30, 2010, to employees, if necessary, in specified classifications that they will be released and authorization for staff to send notices to all certificated contract level management and senior management employees of the classified service with expiring contracts to advise them at least 45 days in advance of their expiring contract or as specified in their contract, that they will be released from their contract positions not later than June 30, 2010.
7. Board of Education Report No. 219 – 09/10
Human Resources Division
(Reduction in Force Notices to Non-Permanent Certificated Teachers and Support Services Personnel) Recommends authorization for staff to send notices to nonpermanent certificated teachers in various teaching fields and support services personnel informing them they will be laid off from their position effective June 30, 2010. Notices will be sent to non-permanent certificated teachers and non-permanent support services personnel with the least seniority as listed in Attachments A and B.
8. Board of Education Report No. 220 – 09/10
Human Resources Division
(Reduction in Force Notices to Permanent Certificated Teachers and Support Services Personnel) Recommends the Board act to determine it is necessary to reduce or discontinue specific services and a result it is necessary to layoff permanent certificated teachers at the end of the 2009-2010 school year, and authorization for staff to send notices to permanent certificated teachers informing them they will be laid off from their position effective June 30, 2010 by level of seniority with specific requirements and exemptions.

Adjournment

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