

BERKELEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

BOARD VIDEO UPDATES

At the Board Meeting on April 8, 2015, the Board discussed the following items:

Closed Session Report, Agenda Approval and Meeting Overview

Board President Judy Appel reported on Closed Session and gave a meeting overview. President Appel reported that the Board had approved the appointment of Sam Pasarow as the new principal for Berkeley High School. Learn more about Mr. Pasarow in the announcement on the home page of the BUSD website.

The Board approved the agenda, moving Action Item #1, Approval of District Funds for School Nurse to the Consent Calendar for approval.

All items on the Consent Calendar were approved.

See Welcome and Report on Closed Session:

<https://vimeo.com/124788803>

See Agenda Approval: <https://vimeo.com/124788804>

See Approval of Consent Calendar:

<https://vimeo.com/124801126>

Public Comments

See Public Comments: <https://vimeo.com/124788806>

Union Comments

See BFT Comments: <https://vimeo.com/124788807>

Board and Superintendent Comments

See Board and Superintendent Comments:

<https://vimeo.com/124788809>

Action Items

1. Approval of District Funds for School Nurse

The Board moved this item to the Consent Calendar where it was approved. **

1. Sexual Harassment Policy and Administrative Regulation - 5145.7 - Second Reading

The Board discussed and approved the proposed Interim policy and A.R. for the second reading and gave direction to staff.

** See Discussion Item 1:

<https://vimeo.com/124801128>

Discussion Items

1. Childhood Development Center Staffing Recommendation and Regulatory Compliance

The Board discussed staff's recommendation to eliminate one 9.5 hour classroom. Berkeley Unified is one of the few remaining Districts in the state that continues to provide a 9.5 hour program, and as a result 44% of the participants are non-Berkeley

residents. The Board voted to approve Scenario No 3 and continue the program as it is currently structured.

** See Discussion Item 1: <https://vimeo.com/124815788>

2. Common Core State Standards Implementation: Three Year Budget Recommendation

The Board discussed Common Core implementation and the proposed three year budget, and gave direction to staff.

** See Discussion Item 2: <https://vimeo.com/124815787>

Information Item

3. March 2015 Facilities Plan Update

The Board received the annual Facilities Plan Update for information. **

Note: The Board does not receive a presentation on information items unless specifically requested by a board member.

** Information about starred items can be found in the April 8, 2015 Board packet online in the Board Meeting section of the BUSD website:

<http://www.berkeleyschools.net/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/04-08-15-packet.pdf?864d7e&864d7e>

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Schedule of

Upcoming Board of Education Meetings

April 22

May 6

May 20

June 3

June 10

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