

MINUTES
Princeton Joint Unified School District
Regular Board Meeting

Location: Zoom Virtual Meeting (Meeting ID: 875 5233 0270, Passcode: 645651)

Date: August 26, 2021

Time: 5:30 pm

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I. CALL TO ORDER: 5:30 pm

II. ROLL CALL

Lance Glassgow	Present
Troy Hansen	Present
Victoria Reamer	Present
Debbie Wills	Present
Cathy Withrow	Absent

REGULAR BOARD MEETING

We welcome you to this meeting. Members of the public may be heard on any business item on the Board's Agenda. A person addressing the Board will be limited to five (5) minutes unless the Chairperson of the Board grants a longer period of time. Comments by members of the public on an item that appears on the Agenda will only be allowed during consideration of the item by the Board. While not required, we would appreciate it if you would identify yourself with your name and address when addressing the Board. If visitors have a complaint about a specific employee of the District, they will be advised to fill out a complaint form in accordance with Board Policy.

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT: An opportunity for any member of the public to address the Governing Board on any matter not on the Agenda but which is within the jurisdiction of the Board.

Members of the public in attendance: Judy Holzapfel, Holly Irish, Mindy Miranda, and Tim Moss.

No public comment made.

V. NEW EMPLOYEE INTRODUCTIONS:

Korey Williams introduced new employees Holly Irish and Tim Moss to the Board.

VI. REPORTS: Student Representative, Dean of Students, Director of Maintenance, Operations, and Transportation, Chief Business Official, Superintendent, and Board Member discussion of conferences, workshops and meetings attended; plus, other activities of general interest.

1. Student Representative – Sophia Deniz: The football and volleyball teams at Princeton Jr./Sr. High School have been practicing regularly and will be participating in several athletic competitions this semester. The first rally is scheduled for 9/3/2021, while the homecoming football game is expected to take place on 9/17/2021 against Herlong High School.
2. Dean of Students – Nate Odom: See attached report.

Lance Glassgow asked if athletic schedules were available. Nate Odom responded that schedules are available online and in the front office at Princeton Jr./Sr. High School.

Troy Hansen asked why homecoming is scheduled to take place during the first home game of the season. Nate Odom responded that the uncertainty surrounding COVID-19 and the fluctuating status of opposing teams guided this decision.

3. Director of Maintenance, Operations, and Transportation – Lance Swift: See attached report.
4. Chief Business Official/Human Resources Director – Diana Baca: 2020-21 year-end procedures are underway, in addition to new employee onboarding and routine back-to-school processes.
5. Superintendent/Principal – Korey Williams: The 2021-22 school year is off to a great start, and new employees are settling in nicely. However, it has been difficult to find substitute teachers this year. The district is currently reaching out to members of the community to find qualified candidates. COVID-19 continues to create challenges for the district, with several students and staff members currently in quarantine. There is one vacant confidential position that will be advertised on 8/27/2021.

Troy Hansen asked if the district is still required to close schools when a certain number of students are out sick. Korey Williams responded that guidance is continually changing, and the district is following the recommendations of local health agencies.

6. Board Members: No report given.

VII. CONSENT CALENDAR: All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are to be considered routine and without opposition. The Consent Calendar will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Board member or the Superintendent/designee requests that a specific item(s) be removed from the Consent Calendar for separate action. Any items so removed will be considered after the motion to approve the Consent Calendar:

1. Approve Personnel Actions as Presented
2. Approve Board Minutes from 8/2/2021 Special Board Meeting
3. Approve Board Minutes from 8/5/2021 Regular Board Meeting
4. Approve Warrants Dated 8/4/2021, 8/11/2021, 8/18/2021
5. Approve ASB Financial Report Dated 8/23/2021
6. Approve Stipend Positions

Troy Hansen moved to approve the Consent Calendar, Lance Glassgow seconded. Approved with 4 ayes, 1 absent, 0 abstains.

VIII. DISCUSSION AND OTHER INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:

1. Enrollment Update: See 8/26/2021 packet. Korey Williams presented the Board with a student enrollment update, noting an increase in the number of students attending Princeton Joint Unified School District.

IX. ACTION ITEMS:

1. Approve Board Policy 6158 – Independent Study: See 8/26/2021 packet. Korey Williams presented the Board with Board Policy 6158 – Independent Study. Implementing Board Policy 6158 would put Princeton Joint Unified School District in compliance with Assembly Bill 130.

Lance Glassgow moved to approve Board Policy 6158 – Independent Study, Troy Hansen seconded. Approved with 4 ayes, 1 absent, 0 abstains.

2. Approve Princeton Jr./Sr. High School Gymnasium Backstop Repairs: See 8/26/2021 packet. Lance Swift presented the Board with a quote from School SPORT, Inc. to repair the backstop winches at the Princeton Jr./Sr. High School Gymnasium. The current winches are outdated and consistently leak oil on the court.

Victoria Reamer asked when these repairs would be completed. Lance Swift responded that the MOT Department would coordinate a date with the Athletic Director to ensure that there are no athletic interruptions.

Lance Glassgow moved to approve the Princeton Jr./Sr. High School Gymnasium Backstop Repairs with all options indicated on the School SPORT, Inc. quote, Troy Hansen seconded. Approved with 4 ayes, 1 absent, 0 abstains.

X. ADJOURNMENT TO CLOSED SESSION: 5:49 pm

1. Conference with District Labor Negotiators Korey Williams, Superintendent/Principal, and Diana Baca, CBO/HR Director, regarding Princeton Association of Teachers (PAT) (Government Code § 54957.6)
2. Conference with District Labor Negotiators Korey Williams, Superintendent/Principal, and Diana Baca, CBO/HR Director, regarding California School Employees Association (CSEA) (Government Code § 54957.6)
3. Conference with District Labor Negotiator, Korey Williams, Superintendent/Principal, regarding Unrepresented Employees (Government Code § 54957.6)

XI. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION: 6:34 pm

1. CLOSED SESSION REPORT, ACTION AND VOTES TAKEN: No action taken.

XII. ADJOURNMENT: 6:35 pm

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Respectfully submitted,

Korey Williams,
Superintendent/Principal

Attest: _____
Victoria Reamer, Clerk of the
Board of Trustees
Princeton Joint Unified School District