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SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION - MINUTES

March 9, 2010

The Board of Education of the San Leandro Unified School District met in special session on March 9, 2010, in the San Leandro Unified School District Office Conference Room 1, 14735 Juniper Street, San Leandro, California.

The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. by President Mike Katz-Lacabe.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Mrs. Pauline Cutter
Ms. Morgan Mack-Rose
Mrs. Diana Prola
Ms. Carmen Sullivan (arrived at 6:09 p.m.)
Mr. Hermy Almonte, Clerk
Mrs. Lisa Hague, Vice President
Mr. Mike Katz-Lacabe, President

DISTRICT STAFF PRESENT

Cindy Cathey, Interim Superintendent
Mike Potmesil, Assistant Superintendent

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments concerning items on the closed session agenda.

CLOSED SESSION

At 6:03 p.m., the Board went into Closed Session for Conference with Labor Negotiator, Public Employee Performance Evaluation: Title: Interim Superintendent; Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release and Conference with Labor Negotiator pursuant to Government Code Sections 54957 and 54957.6.

The Board returned to open session at 7:42 p.m. with the Pledge Allegiance to the Flag. President Katz-Lacabe noted that the Board had been in closed session where no reportable action as taken.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

- Trustee Cutter asked staff for an update on the Reduction In Force (RIF) process. Interim Superintendent Cindy Cathey explained that the cover letter has been revised to be “more thoughtful”. The letters are hand delivered to the principals who then delivers the letter to the teacher. Regarding the time of day of the delivery, Ms. Cathey thought it was over the course of the day; however, she would check on that and would let the Board know if that information was not accurate.
- Trustee Katz-Lacabe commented that the San Leandro High School Art Exhibit reception was wonderful event. Bancroft students provided the music and Alameda County Supervisor Alice Lai-Bitker was in attendance. Later that evening, Trustee Katz-Lacabe attended McKinley Elementary School’s very successful Book and Bingo Night, where he called the bingo numbers, adding that every student (including their siblings) went home with a book!

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion made by Trustee Hague and seconded by Trustee Sullivan, the Board adjourned the meeting at 7:44 p.m. by a 7-0 vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Hermy Almonte, Clerk