

**MINUTES – BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING
Fresno Unified School District
August 8, 2016**

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Office of the Board of Education, Fresno Unified School District Nutrition Center, Second Floor, Conference Room C, 4480 N. Brawley Avenue, Fresno, CA 93722.

At a Special Meeting of the Board of Education of Fresno Unified School District, held on August 8, 2016, there were present Board Members Ashjian, Davis, De La Cerda, Johnson, Mills, Ryan and President Chavez. Superintendent Hanson was also present.

President Chavez convened the Special Board meeting at 3:33 p.m. in the conference room of the Nutrition Center to discuss student discipline and the potential bond measure.

ITEM NO. 1

PRESENTED and DISCUSSED Student Discipline

The Student Discipline Workshop will provide an opportunity for the Board to learn more about the alignment of district discipline policy and practices with legislative mandates and federal guidance. The workshop will address:

- Student Discipline Process Overview
- Discipline Trend Data
- Supports Designed to Improve Student Behavior
- Focus Areas for 2016-17

An opportunity was provided for questions/comments from members of the Board and Executive Director, Ambra Dorsey and staff were available to provide a response. For the record there were comments/questions on this agenda item by Superintendent Hanson, Board Members Ashjian, Davis, De La Cerda, Johnson, Mills, Ryan and President Chavez.

ITEM NO. 2

PRESENTED and DISCUSSED Potential Bond Measure

A workshop will be facilitated to present the opportunity for a Fresno Unified bond measure on the November 8, 2016 election ballot, and discuss investment priorities for potential bond funding.

An opportunity was provided for questions/comments from members of the Board and Chief Operations Officer, Karin Temple was available to provide a response. For the record there were comments/questions on this agenda item by Board Members Ashjian, Davis, and Mills.

Unscheduled Oral Communication

Tish Rice – Thanked the district for the investments that they have made in Prevention and Intervention, but teachers and students need more support especially in the middle schools. Ms. Rice also mentioned the need for more input from teachers, parents and students when decisions are made at the administrative level.

Adjournment

With no further business to come before the Board of Education at this time, President Johnson declared the meeting adjourned at 6:41 p.m.