

ORANGE CENTER SCHOOL DISTRICT

3530 South Cherry Avenue

Fresno, CA 93706

Board of Education Meeting

UNADOPTED MINUTES

July 8th, 2026

6:00 p.m. – In the School Library

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

1.1 The regular session of the Board of Education Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m., by the Board President Rosa DePew. The flag salute was led by Rosa DePew.

1.2 Board Members Present:

Panfilo Cerrillo
Rosa DePew
Melinda Moralez
Ernestine Gonzalez

Absent
Veronica Salazar

2.0 INTRODUCTION OF VISITORS

- 1) Kris Ingrao
- 2) Mayra Sanchez

3.0 AGENDA

3.1 Approval of the July 8th, 2026, Board of Education Meeting Agenda excluding action item 8.4.

MSC (DePew, Cerrillo).

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

4.0 MINUTES

4.1 Approval of the Unadopted Minutes of the June 24th, 2026 Board of Education Meeting as presented.

MSC (Cerrillo, Gonzalez).

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

5.0 PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

- 5.1 An opportunity for the public to address the Board on matters related to school district business which are not on the agenda. Although item(s) may be discussed, no action may be taken on the item(s). Please see the *Welcome!* Pamphlet for additional information.

6.0 COMMUNICATION

- 6.1 Modernization - The walkways in wing 1 and wing 2, roof replaced starting TBD 7/9 or 7/18. Painting and irrigation quotes still being received. The warranty issue on painting is being reviewed and we expect that the problem areas will be reviewed.

7.0 OLD BUSINESS

NONE AT THIS TIME

8.0 NEW BUSINESS

- 8.1 Approval of the BP 5141.75 Weather Safety (first reading) with second reading waived.
MSC (Cerrillo, DePew).
Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0
- 8.2 Approval of the revised BP/AR 1240 Volunteer Assistance (first reading) with second reading waived.
MSC (Moralez, Gonzalez).
Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0
- 8.3 Approval of the revised BP/AR 1312.4 Williams Uniform Complaint Procedures (first reading) with second reading waived.
MSC (DePew, Moralez).
Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

9.0 PUPIL PERSONNEL

NONE AT THIS TIME

10.0 PERSONNEL

- 10.1 Approval of hiring Cafeteria Manager, Maria Crystal Santiago for the 2026-2027

school year.

MSC (DePew, Gonzalez).

Ayes: 4

Noes: 0

Absent: 1

Abstain: 0

11.0 WARRANTS

11.1 The June 30th, 2026, regular payroll, and all maintenance cycles were approved, as presented.

MSC (Moralez, Gonzalez).

Ayes: 4

Noes: 0

Absent: 1

Abstain: 0

12.0 REPORT OF THE BOARD MEMBERS

Mrs. Gonzalez shared interest in Dads and Donuts. She also asked about the vaccination requirement and how it will effect OC. Mrs. Gonzalez asked about our phone free policy. Mrs. Moralez mentioned that we did not do Moms and Muffins. Mrs. Moralez also mentioned that she went on one of the summer school field trips, and requested training for staff and chaperones to specify when checking for how students are addressed when bathroom or building checks are done upon departure. Mrs. DePew shared that one of our parents was happy and grateful with school opportunities.

13.0 REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

- Williams Uniform Complaint Quarterly Report
- Summer School ended. Many academic and supplemental experiences were provided to students.
- Ceremony and 150 year Celebration - Planning for September visit from Dr. Copher, Joaquin Arambula and Prince Marshall. Will include Mr. Cerrillo to speak.

14.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS

14.1 The next regular session of the Board of Education Meeting will convene on Wednesday, August 12th, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. in the school library.

15.0 CLOSED SESSION

15.1 Time called: 6:38 p.m.

15.2 Public Employee Performance Evaluation Government Code Section 54957
Title: District Superintendent/Principal

15.3 Time regular session reconvened: 6:47 p.m.

16.0 OPEN SESSION

- 16.1 Report action(s) taken on Closed Session item 15.2
MSC (Moralez, Gonzalez).
Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 Absent: 1 Abstain: 0

17.0 ADJOURNMENT

- 17.1 The regular session of the Board of Education Meeting, was adjourned at 6:47
p.m.
MSC (Moralez, Gonzalez).

Ernestine Gonzalez, Board Clerk