

Wasco Union High School District
Board of Trustees
Regular Board Meeting
Boardroom NKVTC Room 4
November 12, 2015
5:30 p.m.
Adopted Minutes

I. Call to Order – 5:30 p.m.

A regular meeting of the Wasco Union High School District Board of Trustees was called to order at 5:31 p.m. by President Craig Fulwyler.

Board Members Present

Mr. Craig Fulwyler, President
Mr. Wayne Wallace, Clerk
Mr. Juan Bernal

Mr. Cruz Rodriguez
Mrs. Patricia Sanchez

Administrators Present

Mrs. Lori Albrecht
Mr. Rob Cobb
Mr. Ben Keller

Mr. Martin Lonza
Mr. Kevin Tallon

Classified Management Present

Mr. Marcos Gamino
Mr. Joe Salazar

Mr. John Yanez

Secretary Present

Mrs. Gracie Saldaña

Visitors

Luis Lopez, Megan Ocampo, Gary Steward

Flag Salute

The flag was saluted.

II. Adopt Agenda

It was moved by Rodriguez and it was seconded by Bernal to adopt the amended agenda. Motion carried. Ayes:5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye

III. Public Comments

None

IV. Executive Session

The meeting convened in executive session at 6:00 p.m.

Regular Session

The meeting convened in regular session at 6:15 p.m.

Announcement of Executive Session Actions

None

V. Reading and Approval of Minutes

It was moved by Rodriguez and seconded by Wallace to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of October 8, 2015. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye

VI. Public Comments

David Abernathy reported on Wonderful Agriculture Career Prep Academy Program and Students. They presented seventeen certificates for 3.5 GPA or above. Six of the certificates were for 4.0 GPA and twenty were for 3.0-3.5 GPA. Mr. Abernathy then introduced Wonderful Agriculture Career Prep Academy Students; Luis Lopez and Megan Ocampo. The students shared their experiences in the program.

Mr. Bernal asked them how has the program grown on you? Students responded that they were nervous but now they enjoy it. They shared that the support class after the college class is great support and they have intervention support as well.

Mrs. Sanchez asked them how do they managing you time? Luis responded that although he is playing Soccer, he does manage his time wisely.

Mr. Tallon thanked the students and commended them for their trailblazing.

Mr. Fulwyler then asked the students what is their Career Plan? Megan responded that she does not have a plan yet but she was happy to get these two years out of the way with less college time and more career time. Luis responded that he always considered going into Mechanics but now with this program he would like to become a mechanical engineer but he is still debating.

VII. Items From Board Members

Mr. Bernal shared that he was able to enjoy the Wasco/Shafter Rally this year at both schools. It was interesting to experience the different atmosphere.

Mr. Wallace reported the winning game for the girls tennis valley championship went two hours and fifteen minutes..

VIII. Reports

Sean Grant, reported on behalf of the student board representative. The Wasco/Shafter was great and Wasco won again for the 9th year in a row. The power puff game is this Wednesday. The Girls Varsity Tennis just won Valley. We are now preparing for the Winter Sports.

1. Mrs. Sanchez, North Kern Vocational Training Center reported that she did not have anything to share this time, since she has been unable to communicate with Mrs. Bean. Mr. Fulwyler state that he spoke with Mrs. Bean today and understands all is going well.
2. Mrs. Lori Albrecht, Superintended introduced Mr. Kevin Tallon who shared the Centennial Festivities. He then introduce Mr. Gary Steward, representative of the Centennial Celebration Committee. Mr. Steward shared that the event truly a highlight to so many. His job was to be the liaison to work with the District. The committee is very very pleased in every respect of the event. He thanked everyone for their participation in the process and event. He shared that

he has put on many reunions over the year and this one by far, was the biggest event they have ever done. He told the board they should be very proud of this school and district. Wasco is so special, it's almost magical to him. The kids (alumni) were so pleased when they came on campus for the reunion. He invited everyone to go on wascotimes.com to see the interviews that took place during the centennial celebration. It was a very special weekend. He thanked the board for making Wasco High what it is today.

Mr. Tallon then stated that our MOT Staff worked very hard that weekend and did it very happily. Mr. Wallace shared that the video that was playing in the auditorium was a great presentation. Mr. Steward shared that the website will have those videos posted on the website as well by this weekend. Mr. Rodriguez shared that this is his 50 year reunion and it was one heck of a job. Mrs. Sanchez share that during the tour, in the library, there were lots of pictures and at one table there were gentlemen talking about their athletic days just as if it were yesterday. It was wonderful.

Mrs. Lori Albrecht, Superintend introduced Mr. Martin Lonza who presented on the Kern Adult Education Block Grant and Consortium. He reviewed the AB86 consortium representatives, the consortium activities, the adult education block grant and the consortium plan summary. He then reported on the north kern alliance, he identified points of focus, the WUHSD AEBG planned allocations and the statistics of interest.

Mr. Fulwyler ask for confirmation that this is for adults beyond the school day correct? Mr. Lonza agreed with him and shared that the program is intended for people beyond high school. Mr. Fulwyler asked if this program is geared toward a GED. Mr. Lonza shared that we do offer a high school diploma track. Mr. Lonza stated that the counselors, we are proposing, will oversee a one stop shop. Bakersfield is opening a one stop shop in the Valley Plaza. Mr. Fulwyler asked what about the people wanting to learn English? Mr. Lonza shared that we do have funds for that and could expand on that as well.

Mrs. Albrecht then reported on the following:

- She congratulated to the Girls Tennis Team and their Coach Joe Hively for winning the Division IV Valley Title. They have worked very hard, been coached well, and are a talented group of young women and the Title is well deserved.
- She then shared that she believes the Centennial was an overwhelming success. It's was a lot of fun, but also a great deal of work and we know there won't be another one for a long time! She extended her appreciation to the Centennial Committee, and the staff who were a big part of throwing such a big party. It couldn't have done it without them.
- She reviewed the articles in the Bakersfield Californian, here were a couple of nice articles in the Californian the last month - one was a full spread on the Centennial and the other a nice write up on the Girls Tennis Title. She thanked Lauren Forman, the education reporter of the Californian for putting all of the different articles together. In gathering information for Lauren she learned that Wasco High School was established because at the time, the only opportunity for students to attend high school was to enroll in Bakersfield High.. This required them to stay in Bakersfield and come home on the weekends and since this was too expensive for the average family, only the

children of the more affluent families could afford to do so. The leadership at the time recognized that a local high school would provide equal access for all students and know that equity still driving the work we do today.

- Sex Ed - Assembly Bill 329 was signed into law effective 10/1/2015 and goes into effect 1/1/2016. It changes existing California Comprehensive Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Education Act to the California Healthy Youth Act.

It is recognized that there are going to be controversial elements in this new legislation including materials which affirmatively recognize different sexual orientations and also teach about gender, gender expression, gender identity, and the hard of negative stereotypes. It requires students to receive information about local resources and know their legal rights to sexual and reproductive health care. It requires students to know all legally available pregnancy outcomes which include parenting, adoption, abortion, and surrender. The consent for students to participate is changing from active consent to passive consent, meaning in the past parents needed to sign a permission slip to participate - passive consent means that students will participate in the program unless a parent signs a form that opts them out.

She shared this brief overview in case the board members get comments from the community. Mr. Cobb will be doing a full presentation on this topic in December - we are hoping that we have better information regarding when and how we will be required to implement the new law since there is currently no curriculum. Remember that legislation often takes effect prior to us having the appropriate resources to be compliant and also keep in mind that although this will be mandatory for Districts, parents will have the ability to opt out.

- North Kern Vocational Training - Last month Mrs. Patty Sanchez asked us to investigate why no Wasco High Students were enrolled in the ROP Auto Body or Welding courses this year. She spoke with Amy Bean, Director of North Kern who shared that there were multiple factors involved and we also talked about ways to remedy the situation for next year.

Everything was slow getting started last year for a variety of reason, but particularly due to not knowing the future of North Kern - employees were pink slipped and schedules were not in place before the Master Schedule was built. There could have been better communication with our counseling staff and although transportation was provided, no students were enrolled in class. What we will do differently this year is to make some program decisions in the next month or two. NK class schedule needs to be developed before the High School Master Schedule is built. Also the addition of the NKVTC Career Tech position will help.

- Enrollment
Last Year
WHS 1543
WIHS 194
District 1737
Last Month
WHS 1634

WIHS 192
 District 1826
 This Week
 WHS 1619
 WIHS 193
 District 1812

Increase of 75 from last year at this time

IX. Discussion and Action

1. It was moved by Sanchez and seconded by Wallace to approve the Personnel Consent Agenda. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
 - a. Accept Letter of Retirement from Patricia Rissi, Certificated Employee(s)
 - b. Consider Approval of Classified Employee(s)
 1. Custodian Substitute & Bus Driver
 - a. Mario Juarez
 2. BC Tutor
 - a. Baldeep Sandhu
 - c. Consider Approval of Athletic Coach(es)

Marcos Torres	Boys Soccer	Assistant	Varsity	Walk-On	Volunteer
Michael Saldivar	Boys Soccer	Assistant	JV	Walk-On	Volunteer
Angelina Garcia	Girls Soccer	Assistant	JV	Walk-On	Volunteer
Cody Stone	Wrestling	Assistant	JV	Walk-On	1/4%
Ruben Rodriguez	Swim	Assistant	Varsity	Walk-On	1/3%
Jacob Diaz	Swim	Assistant	Varsity	Walk-On	1/3%
Ricardo Lopez	Swim	Assistant	Varsity	Walk-On	1/3%
Greg Gonzales	Boys Basketball	Assistant	Frosh	Employee	Volunteer
Jasmine Noldon	Girls Basketball	Assistant	Frosh	Walk-On	Paid
Omar Garcia	Track	Assistant	JV/Varsity	Employee	Paid
Richard Romero	Baseball	Assistant	Varsity	Walk-On	20%
Eric Serda	Softball	Assistant	Varsity	Walk-On	\$850.00
Christina Salinas	Softball	Head	JV	Employee	Paid
Jessica Steward	Softball	Head	Frosh	Employee	Paid
Casey Beach	Baseball	Assistant	JV	Walk-On	20%
Danny Arellano	Wrestling	Assistant	JV	Walk-On	1/4%
Yarelli Delgado	Softball	Assistant	JV	Walk-On	20.00%
Cielo Romero	Softball	Assistant	JV	Walk-On	20.00%
Kenneth Mecham	Baseball	Assistant	JV/Varsity	Walk-On	Volunteer
Carlos Barraza	Baseball	Assistant	Varsity	Walk-On	20%

2. It was moved by Wallace and seconded by Bernal to approve the Amendment of Superintendent's Contract. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
3. It was moved by Wallace and seconded by Bernal to designate Thursday, December 10, 2015 as the Annual Organizational Meeting of the Board of Trustees. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
4. It was moved by Bernal and seconded by Wallace to Ratify the Settlement Agreement in the matter of KCSOS Verified Petition for Writ of Mandate and Complaint for Declaratory Relief and Breach of Contract against the Wasco SA filed on June 29, 2015 (KCSC Case No. BCV 15-100357 NFT). Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
5. It was moved by Bernal and seconded by Sanchez to authorize the Application Submission for funding of Phase VI, Student Services Building to the School Facilities Planning Division, California Department of Education. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
6. It was moved by Rodriguez and seconded by Wallace to approve the Job Description for Lead Gardener/Groundsmen. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
7. It was moved by Wallace and seconded by Bernal to approve the 2015-2016 Career Technical Education (CTE) Advisory Committees. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
8. It was moved by Wallace and seconded by Bernal to approve the Amended 2015-2016 Academic Calendar. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
9. It was moved by Sanchez and seconded by Bernal to Obsolete Technology Equipment. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
10. It was moved by Wallace and seconded by Sanchez to approve the Interdistrict Transfer Requests. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye
11. It was moved by Sanchez and seconded by Bernal to approve the Field Trips. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye

X. Discussion and Information

1. Introduction of Assistant Principal Job Description
2. Introduction of BP 5030 - Student Wellness (old and new attachment)
3. Introduction of BP/AR 4127 - Temporary Athletic Team Coaches (old and new attachment)
4. Correspondence from the Californian Department of Education regarding Wasco Independence High School Counselor, Oscar Luna

XI. Claims Transfers and Accounts

It was moved by Wallace and seconded by Sanchez to approve the claims, transfers and accounts for Batches 13 through 19 and Payrolls in the amount of \$1,750,356.88. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye

XII. Executive Session (cont'd)

The meeting then returned into executive session.

XIII. Adjournment

It was moved by Wallace and seconded by Rodriguez to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Ayes: 5; Noes: 0; Absent: 0. Bernal; Aye, Fulwyler; Aye, Rodriguez; Aye, Sanchez; Aye, Wallace; Aye

Meeting adjourned at 8:24 p.m.

Clerk of the Board