

**MURRIETA VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

**March 12, 2015**

- Call to Order** Clerk of the Board Barbara Muir called the regular meeting of the Board of Education to order at 6:00 p.m. at the Murrieta Valley Unified School District Support Center, 41870 McAlby Court, Murrieta, California.
- Quorum** A quorum was established with the following Board Members present: Robin Crist, Paul Diffley, Barbara Muir and Patrick Kelley, Superintendent/Secretary to the Board.
- Members absent: Kenneth Dickson and Kris Thomasian
- Public Comments** None.
- Closed Session** The Board met in Closed Session from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. to discuss the following items:
- CS-1 Student Disciplinary Actions pursuant to Education Code 35146
- CS-2 Conference with Labor Negotiators pursuant to Government Code 54957.6 Agency designated representatives: Patrick Kelley, Stacy Coleman, Darren Daniel, Stacy Matusek
- Public Session / Report Out of Closed Session** Clerk Muir reconvened the meeting into public session at 7:05 p.m. and announced that Board President Ken Dickson, and Board member Kris Thomasian, were absent. She reported that the meeting was being audio recorded.
- Clerk Muir reported that the Board met in Closed Session to discuss student disciplinary actions and held a conference regarding labor negotiations, with no actions taken.
- Attendance**
- Staff Members**  
Stacy Coleman, Assistant Superintendent, Business Services  
Darren Daniel, Assistant Superintendent, Human Resources  
Bill Olien, Assistant Superintendent, Facilities/Operational Services  
Pamela Wilson, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services  
Laura Gonzales, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Board
- Student Representatives to the Board**  
Ashton Farrar, Murrieta Mesa High School  
Keerat Kaur, Murrieta Valley High School  
Michael Smith, Vista Murrieta High School  
Katherine Petersen, Creekside High School
- Employee Organization Representatives**  
Kathy Ericson, President, Murrieta Teachers Association

**Pledge of Allegiance**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by student representative, Ashton Farrar.

**Approval of Agenda**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST** to approve the agenda as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**A-8: Communications**

**a. Public Comments**

The Board received public comments from community members Bonnie Parsley, Max Miller, Mary Ann Miller, Heidi Vasquez and James Horn expressing concern regarding the Common Core State Standards.

**b. High School Student Representative Reports**

Student representatives highlighted school activities and events.

**c. Employee Organization Communications**

Kathy Ericson, President of the Murrieta Teachers Association said that she is excited to report the common theme amongst teachers is that they are feeling respected as professionals. She indicated that this is attributed to the Governing Board and district staff for doing it the "Murrieta" way.

**d. Superintendent Communication**

Superintendent Patrick Kelley remarked that we are heading into a typically busy season filled with many wonderful student performances and events. He reported that the high schools' Incoming Freshman Nights were extremely well attended.

**e. Board Communications**

Trustee Paul Diffley remarked that he is thrilled that teachers are feeling good. He expressed concern regarding the recent suspension of the Academic Performance Index (API) scores. He suggested exploring classical curriculum as additional pathway offering. Mr. Diffley was pleased to report that student artwork is now permanently displayed at the District Support Center.

Trustee Robin Crist reported attending open houses at Murrieta Mesa and Vista Murrieta high schools and said that attendance was great. She announced the Mr. Murrtown fundraising event on April 17, 2015, which will benefit the Scholarship Foundation.

Trustee Barbara Muir expressed her appreciation to Kathy Ericson for her feedback.

**A-9: Approval of Minutes**

Motion by **CRIST**, second by **DIFFLEY** to approve the minutes of February 10, 2015 and February 26, 2015 as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**A-10: Proposed Agenda Items for April and May 2015**

The Board reviewed proposed agenda items for future meetings.

**A-11: Approval of Consent Calendar**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST** to approve the Consent Calendar as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**CC-1 Ratification of report of purchases from January 27, 2015 through February 24, 2015, and warrants issued on claim numbers X136132 through X136812 in the amount of \$2,972,938.36.**

**CC-2 Acceptance of Donations**

**CC-3 Approval of Promotion and/or Transfer of Classified Employees**

<b>Employee: Claudia Garcia</b>	Effective Date: 2/17/2015
From: Technology Assistant II, Technology Department	
To: Application Support Specialist, Technology Department	
<b>Employee: Jolie Lindemeyer</b>	Effective Date: To be determined
From: Bookkeeper II, McElhinney Middle	
To: Bookkeeper III, Vista Murrieta High	

**CC-4 Approval of Employment of Classified Applicants**

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	LOCATION
Yvonne Barnes	Health Technician	To be determined	Antelope Hills Elementary
Tyler Burgess	D.I.S. Aide I	To be determined	Special Education
Charlene Jung	Child Care Worker I	2/02/2015	Family Services
Matthew Rhoades	Crossing Guard	2/24/2015	Thompson Middle
Gabriella Saldana	D.I.S. Aide I	To be determined	Special Education
Elizabeth Saludares	Child Care Worker I	1/28/2015	Family Services
Zachary Weaver	D.I.S. Aide I	To be determined	Special Education
Samantha Zellner	D.I.S. Aide I	To be determined	Special Education

**A-12: Approval of Consent Calendar**  
(Continued)

**CC-5 Approval of Employment of Management/Confidential Applicant**

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	LOCATION
Schlens Mitchell	School Nurse	To be determined	Student Support

**CC-6 Approval of Certificated Substitute Applicants**

Tera Avina	Sondra Beal	Katherine Clakey
Tiffany Brockie	Brittney Campbell	Jenna Campbell
Todd Cassidy	Heather Cicalo	Katherine Cortez
Daniel Edwards	Kelly Escandon	Julie Geary
Haley Guinn	Janice Hare	Andrea Harrington
Staci Heater	Hilary Hull	Christy Isarel
Steven James	Dennis Johnson	Claudia Madison
Michelle Manganti	Harry Robert Mead	Lauri Mendes
Annette Mingura	Ka' Cee Munoz	Jonathan Ogbogu
Kristy Ortega	Ariel Palencia	Suzu Pasqualetto
Steven Pease	Jacob Perez	Darnell Price
Salvador Reza	Krista Sargent	Mary Stobba
Peggy Tripp	Carolina Valdes	Lindsey Ward
Christine Wilson	Rachel Wright	

**F-1: Report from Measure E Citizens Oversight Committee**

Jennifer Mejares-Pham, Chairperson of Measure E Citizens Oversight Committee presented the annual report of completed projects in 2014 and planned projects for the summer of 2015. She affirmed that the district has used Measure E funds as it relates to the dictum of the ballot measure directions. She commended Bill Olien and Lori Noorigian for keeping the public informed regarding bond related activities.

**B-1: Approval of Classified Employee/Position Reclassifications**

Motion by **CRIST**, second by **DIFFLEY** to approve the following Classified employee/position reclassifications. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

<b>Employee: Sean Cue</b> From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/27/2015
<b>Employee: Echo Davenport</b> From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/23/2015
<b>Employee: Samantha Doyle</b> From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/24/2015
<b>Employee: Elizabeth Dunham</b> From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/27/2014
<b>Employee: Angelique Romano</b> From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/11/2015

**B-1: Approval of Classified Employee/Position Reclassifications**  
(Continued)

<b>Employee:</b> Katherine Skelly From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/26/2015
<b>Employee:</b> Teresa Stilinovich From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/22/2015
<b>Employee:</b> Heidi Ward From: D.I.S. Aide I, Range 15 To: D.I.S. Aide II, Range 17	Effective Date: 2/24/2015

**B-2: Certification of Athletic Coaches for the Spring Season**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST** to certify the athletic coaches listed below for the spring season. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**MURRIETA MESA HIGH SCHOOL**

**BASEBALL**

Mark Barbee                      Steve Campos                      Rob Gergins                      Matt Fitts  
Ryan Ridley                      Ken Smalley                      Bryn Wade

**GOLF – BOYS**

Brian Brusch

**LACROSSE – BOYS**

Charles Arthur                      Dan England

**LACROSSE – GIRLS**

Margarita Lynn                      Molly Sovacool

**SOFTBALL**

Christina Anderson                      Stefan Anderson                      Rusty Ham                      Sef Sharpe

**SWIM**

Jenny Beech                      Katie Rouse                      Kyle Rouse                      Audra Woods

**TENNIS – BOYS**

Lisa Laney                      Mary Ann Neder

**TRACK & FIELD**

Ashley Ballou                      Brian Barbagallo                      Bradley Carter                      Makio Haywood  
Justin Schaeffer

**MURRIETA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL**

**BASEBALL**

Alan Creyssels                      Joe Huntley                      Monte Jones                      Scott May  
Tyler Putjenter                      Jeff Robinson                      Mark Short

**GOLF – BOYS**

Greg Ireland                      Chris Mitchell

**B-2: Certification of  
Athletic Coaches for  
the Spring Season  
(Continued)**

**MURRIETA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL**  
(continued)

**LACROSSE – BOYS**

Chris Cornils

**LACROSSE – GIRLS**

Rudy Castillo

**SOFTBALL**

Erin Emde	Chelsea Natac	Sean Parks	Jamie Schmidt
Jamie McConnell			

**SWIMMING**

Mike Gonzalez	Kim Kremling	Bryan Lynton
---------------	--------------	--------------

**TENNIS - BOYS**

Nial McCarthy	Trent Warren
---------------	--------------

**TRACK & FIELD**

Reginald Brown	David Munn	Ernest Pepe	Jason Rice
Jose Villegas	Fabrice Vuillemeay		

**VOLLEYBALL – BOYS**

Heather Miller	Justin Miranda	Poyer Poia
----------------	----------------	------------

**VISTA MURRIETA HIGH SCHOOL**

**BASEBALL**

Eric Fagen	Ryan Heise	Patrick Pason	Gary Matlock
Matt Mosiello	Steve Rausa	Kurt Ruth	Skyler Smith

**GOLF – BOYS**

Matt Bean	Tony Byrd	Brandon Clanton
-----------	-----------	-----------------

**LACROSSE – BOYS**

John Files	Cameron Larkins	Joe Murray	Joe Ramer
Jeff Young			

**LACROSSE – GIRLS**

Hana Abdirahman	Casey Liverman
-----------------	----------------

**SOFTBALL**

Shonda Burrus	Jennifer Larios	Eugene Matera	Howie Nelson
Denise Robinson	Dan Torres	Jessica Gangruth Towse	Edward Yingling

**SWIMMING**

Alex Caraway	Keith Good	Christopher Krug	Cathy Morse
Dorothy Sue Reed			

**TENNIS – BOYS**

Ross Haefer	Brad Stein
-------------	------------

**TRACK & FIELD**

Coley Candaele	Karen Candaele	Bob Cape	Carol Cape
Will Gainer	Heriberto Hurtado	Chad Mac Donald	Matt March
Rachel Miller	Gene Miranda	David Olson	Corey Quinn
Joe Ramer	Brandon Trujillo	Darren Turner	Vanessa Ybarra

**VOLLEYBALL – BOYS**

Kristin Cooke	Ed Taitano
---------------	------------

**B-3: First Reading of Revised Job Description for Family Services Supervisor and New Job Description for District Librarian**

This item was received for first reading.

**B-4: Approval of the 2015/16 Student Calendar**

Motion by **CRIST**, second by **DIFFLEY** to approve the 2015/15 student calendar as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**C-1: Supplemental Programs/Materials for the 2014/15 School Year**

The Board received this information item.

**C-2: Adoption of New Middle School Math Textbooks**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST** to adopt new middle school math textbooks: **Big Ideas Math, Big Ideas Learning, LLC, 2015** for classes **6-8 Math**. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**C-3: Approval of School-Sponsored Field Trips**

Motion by **CRIST**, second by **DIFFLEY** to approve the field trips listed below. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**Murrieta Valley High School**

CIF Boys Tennis Tournament	Ojai, CA	4/23-26/2015
VEX Robotics World Championships	Louisville, KY	4/15-20/2015

**C-4: Achievement Update: Implementation of iRead and Data Collection**

Char Gollogly, Executive Director of Elementary Education provided an overview of the new iRead program, a digital foundational reading program designed to close the achievement gap early and place all K-2 children on a path to reading by third grade.

**D-1: Expulsion of High School Student Number 956-003-105**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST**, that the Board Education expel student number 956-003-105 for the violation of Education Code 48900 (a2) for the remainder of the second semester of the 2014/15 school year and the first semester of the 2015/16 school year.

The enforcement of the expulsion shall be suspended. The educational placement of the student during the term of the expulsion will be determined by the Superintendent or designee consistent with state law.

The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**E-1: Filing and Positive Certification of the Second Interim Financial Report for Fiscal Year 2014/15**

Stacy Coleman, Assistant Superintendent of Business Services provided a summary of projected district revenues and expenditures under the new Local Control Funding Formula for the 2014/15, 2015/16 and 2016/17 school years. He reported that although the state economy continues to improve, there are additional budget constraints primarily due to declining enrollment, State Teachers Retirement System (STRS) and Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) rate increases, and grade span adjustments in grades K-3 and 9-12.

Mr. Coleman stated that the district will be able to meet its financial obligations for this budget year and two successive fiscal years.

Motion by **CRIST**, second by **DIFFLEY** to approve the filing and positive certification of the second interim financial report for fiscal year 2014/15 as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**E-2: Approval to Dispose of Obsolete/ Unusable Materials**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST** to approve the disposal of obsolete/unusable materials listed below. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

*(Continued on next page)*



**E-2: Approval to Dispose of Obsolete/ Unusable Materials**  
(Continued)

QUANTITY	ITEM
3	Overhead Projector
3	Bookcases, medium brown, damaged
1	Gray table, 2'x6', damaged
1	TV/VCR combo
18	VCRs
7	Desk drawer, light brown
2	Refrigerators
1	Freezer chest
3	Ink jet printer
22	Televisions
1	Seven drawer desk, light brown, broken beyond repair
2	Mini refrigerators
7	Wide risers
4	Television wall hangers
96	CRT monitors, obsolete and damaged
2	Flat panel monitor, nonfunctioning
2	Power control units
1	Laminating press
8	Boxes misc. broken and obsolete electronics (keyboards, mice, etc.)
1	Security server, old
12	Overhead carts
3	Weight equipment, damaged
20	Desktop computers, obsolete
5	Laptop computers, obsolete or nonfunctioning
1	Double oven
1	Pull down screen, broken
2	Gas powered vacuums, nonworking
3	Auto scrubbers, nonworking

**E-3: Investment Report for the Quarter ended December 31, 2014**

The Board received this information item.

**E-4: Associated Student Body Financial Reports for the Quarter ended December 31, 2014**

The Board received a report of combined Associated Student Body accounts totaling \$2,198,352 for the following schools:

**Elementary Schools**

Alta Murrieta, Avaxat, Antelope Hills, Buchanan, Lisa J. Mails, Rail Ranch, Tovashal

**Middle Schools**

Dorothy McElhinney, Shivela, Thompson, Warm Springs

**High Schools**

Murrieta Valley, Murrieta Mesa, Vista Murrieta

**F-1: Report from Measure E Citizens Oversight Committee**

Moved up on the agenda. Refer to Page 4 of minutes.

**F-2: Second Reading and Adoption of Ordinance No. 14/15-01 Levying a Special Tax within Murrieta Valley Unified School District**

Motion by **CRIST**, second by **DIFFLEY** to receive for second reading and adopt Ordinance No. 14/15-01 as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**F-3: Approval of Agreement with Southern California Edison to Grant an Easement on Murrieta Valley Unified School District property**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST** to approve agreement as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**F-4: Approval of Partnership Agreement between Murrieta Valley Unified School District Sites and Organizations for Fiscal Year 2014/15**

Motion by **DIFFLEY**, second by **CRIST** to approve the partnership agreements with the organizations listed below. The motion carried unanimously.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Crist	x			
Dickson				x
Diffley	x			
Muir	x			
Thomasian				x

**Murrieta Mesa High School**  
 Tomahawks Girls Lacrosse  
 Southwest Adult Baseball League  
 Temecula Valley Time Machine  
 KM Baseball Club

**Vista Murrieta High School**  
 Murrieta Barakos Basketball

**Shivela Middle School**  
 Temecula Youth Basketball League

**Warm Springs Middle School**  
 Temecula Youth Basketball League

**Adjournment**

Clerk Muir adjourned the regular Board of Education meeting at 8:45 p.m.

*Approved by the Governing Board May 12, 2015*

  
 Barbara Muir, Clerk of the Board