



Woodridge Elementary

School Site Council Agenda/Minutes

Agenda / Actas del Consejo Escolar

Date & Time (Fecha & Hora)

10/14/2026

3:00 PM

Location (Ubicación)

Woodridge School Library
5661 Brett Dr. Sacramento CA 95842

Zoom Link (Enlace de Zoom)

2026 - 2027, Elected SSC Members *Miembros Electos de SSC*

Non-staff: Parents/Community Member/Students <i>No Personal: Padres/Miembros de la Comunidad/Estudiantes</i>			Present / Absent <i>Presente/ Ausente</i>
Parent	Rosa Avila	Year 1	
Parent	Maura Garcia	Year 1	
Parent	Krystal Ferguson	Year 1	
Parent	Gemma Castaneda	Year 2	
Parent	Josh Jozwiak	Year 2	
Alternates (Alternativos):			
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Principal/Designee: <i>Directora(a)/ Designado(a):</i> Suzen Holtemann/David Janowicz			
Teacher: <i>Maestro(a):</i>	Sonya Conner	Year 2	
Teacher: <i>Maestro(a):</i>	Maria Betts	Year 1	
Teacher: <i>Maestro(a):</i>	Milana Gaus	Year 1	
Other Staff: <i>Otro Personal:</i>	Yessi Guerrero	Year 2	
Alternates: <i>Alternativos:</i>			
<i>*Teachers must be the majority</i> <i>*Los maestros deben ser mayoría</i>			

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ITEM <i>ARTÍCULO</i>	Facilitator <i>Facilitador(a)</i>	Minutes <i>Minutas</i>
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Public Comment (2 minutes per speaker) <i>Comentarios del Público (2 minutos cada participante)</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Comments <i>(Resumen de Comentarios)</i>
Review Agenda <i>Repasar Agenda</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Comments <i>(Resumen de Comentarios)</i>
Review / approve minutes from last meeting <i>Revisar/aprobar el acta de la última reunión</i> Review and Approve 5/27/2026 SSC Minutes 1  Previous Minutes	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	I move to approve the <i>Propongo aprobar a la</i> Person <i>Persona:</i> Second <i>Se secundó:</i> In favor <i>A favor :</i> Oppose <i>En contra:</i> Abstain <i>En abstención:</i> Motion: Pass or Fail: <i>Moción: Aprobada o Rechazada</i>

Council Business *Asuntos del Consejo*

New Members (Nuevos Miembros) Introduce New SSC Members	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i>
Elect Officers (Elegir a Funcionarios)	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i>
N/A Reviewing Terms of Service	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i>

Required Document Review & Approve: *Revisión y Aprobación de Documentos Requeridos:*

Bylaws (Reglamentos) 1  Attachment	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	I move to approve the <i>Propongo aprobar a la</i> Person <i>Persona:</i> Second <i>Se secundó:</i> In favor <i>A favor :</i> Oppose <i>En contra:</i> Abstain <i>En abstención:</i> Motion: Pass or Fail: <i>Moción: Aprobada o Rechazada</i>
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Document Review: *Revisión y de Documentos*

N/A	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i>
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School Plan For Student Achievement (SPSA) *Plan Escolar para el Rendimiento Académico de los Estudiantes (SPSA)*

Approve 26-27 SPSA Review and Approve 2026-27 SPSA	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	I move to approve the <i>Propongo aprobar a la</i> Person <i>Persona:</i> Second <i>Se secundó:</i> In favor <i>A favor :</i> Oppose <i>En contra:</i> Abstain <i>En abstención:</i> Motion: Pass or Fail: <i>Moción: Aprobada o Rechazada</i>
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Other Business: <i>Otros Asuntos:</i>		
ELAC Reporting <i>Informes ELAC</i> ELAC Update- Mr. Janowicz	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Reporting (<i>Resumen de Informes</i>)
Committee Reports or Guest Presenters (PTA, DELAC, Other outside presenters) <i>Informes de Comités o Presentadores Invitados (PTA, DELAC, otros presentadores externos)</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Presentation (<i>Resumen de Presentación</i>)
Additional Information/New Business/Discussion <i>Información Adicional/Asuntos Nuevos/Conversación</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i>
Adjournment: <i>Aplazamiento:</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Time: <i>Hora:</i>

Next meeting date: <i>Fecha de próxima reunión:</i>	11/18/2026	3:00 PM
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05/27/2026

2:30 PM

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In-Person Meeting

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Teacher: <i>Maestro(a):</i> Chris Dufour		Absent
Teacher: <i>Maestro(a):</i> Maria Betts		Present
Other Staff: <i>Otro Personal:</i> Yessi Guerrero		Present
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Public Comment (2 minutes per speaker) <i>Comentarios del Público (2 minutos cada participante)</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Comments <i>(Resumen de Comentarios)</i> Tara Jacobs: concern that still exist regarding composition and terms confirmed by the documents provided by the principal for the last two years. The district is aware. Document meetings are not accurate from the public comment from last year. Provided written comment to have secretary update 2/11 minutes.
Review Agenda <i>Repasar Agenda</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Comments <i>(Resumen de Comentarios)</i> Rosa Avila
Review / approve minutes from last meeting <i>Revisar/aprobar el acta de la última reunión</i> Review and Approve 2/11/26 SSC Minutes 1  Previous Minutes	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	I move to approve the <i>Propongo aprobar a la</i> Minutes/Actas Person <i>Persona</i> : Milana Gaus Second <i>Se secundó</i> : Maria Betts In favor <i>A favor</i> : 8 Oppose <i>En contra</i> : 0 Abstain <i>En abstención</i> : 0 Motion: Pass or Fail: Pass <i>Moción: Aprobada o Rechazada</i>

Council Business *Asuntos del Consejo*

N/A	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i> Approval school plan SPSA 2026-2027 Reviewed and assessed in detail at the the SSC Member School Site Plan Draft Workshop on 4/29. Principal provided SPSA overview handout for member review before motion to approve SPSA.
N/A	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i> N/A
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Other Business: <i>Otros Asuntos:</i>		
ELAC Reporting <i>Informes ELAC</i> ELAC Report-Dave Janowicz 2026-27 ELAC SPSA Recommendations	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Reporting (<i>Resumen de Informes</i>) VP Janowicz reported that ELAC members had no SPSA recommendations at this time.
Committee Reports or Guest Presenters (PTA, DELAC, Other outside presenters) <i>Informes de Comités o Presentadores Invitados (PTA, DELAC, otros presentadores externos)</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Presentation (<i>Resumen de Presentación</i>) N/A
Additional Information/New Business/Discussion <i>Información Adicional/Asuntos Nuevos/Conversación</i> Discuss Cell Phone Policy	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i> Ferguson: Staff members connected to catapult directed to their phones strongly supports this, change the dynamic in the classrooms and more focus on academics. Communication should be utilized through Aeries messaging or Class Dojo. Avila: Parents will be able to provide feedback regarding the cell phone policy once in place. Principal Suzen Holtemann: This policy is district wide so each school is aligned.
Adjournment: <i>Aplazamiento:</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Time: <i>Hora:</i> 2:55 PM

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Public Comment (2 minutes per speaker) <i>Comentarios del Público (2 minutos cada participante)</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Comments <i>(Resumen de Comentarios)</i> Tara Jacobs: concerns with the composition and terms with minutes. Former principal violated minutes last year. Tara offered support to current principal and said she is not interested. Would like to request results of nominations, ballots and votes for this year and last year. Wants someone other than the staff to be an officer. Current Principal is at risk of uniform complaint of state regulations.
Review Agenda <i>Repasar Agenda</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Comments <i>(Resumen de Comentarios)</i> Agenda reviewed prior everyone given a hard copy at the meeting and an email was sent in advance on 2/7/2026 to all school site council members. Maria Betts motioned to approve and Krystal Ferguson second for approval of agenda.
Review / approve minutes from last meeting <i>Revisar/aprobar el acta de la última reunión</i> Review and Approve 12/3/2025 SSC Minutes 1  Previous Minutes	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	I move to approve the <i>Propongo aprobar a la</i> Minutes/Actas Person <i>Persona</i> : Sonya Conner Second <i>Se secundó</i> : Krystal Ferguson In favor <i>A favor</i> : 9 Oppose <i>En contra</i> : 0 Abstain <i>En abstención</i> : 0 Motion: Pass or Fail: Pass <i>Moción: Aprobada o Rechazada</i>

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*Presidente***Summary of Action Taken**
Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas
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Chairperson
*Presidente***Summary of Action Taken**
Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas
N/A

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Other Approve Title I site funded positions: 1 Academic Intervention Specialist Bilingual Senior (8 hour position) 1 Academic Intervention Specialist Senior (8 hour position)	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	I move to approve the <i>Propongo aprobar a la</i> David Janowicz Person <i>Persona:</i> Krystal Ferguson Second <i>Se secundó:</i> Sonya Conner In favor <i>A favor :</i> 9 Oppose <i>En contra:</i> 0 Abstain <i>En abstención:</i> 0 Motion: Pass or Fail: Pass <i>Moción: Aprobada o Rechazada</i> AISB (2) positions were approved unanimously.
N/A	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	I move to approve the <i>Propongo aprobar a la</i> N/A Person <i>Persona:</i> Second <i>Se secundó:</i> In favor <i>A favor :</i> Oppose <i>En contra:</i> Abstain <i>En abstención:</i> Motion: Pass or Fail: <i>Moción: Aprobada o Rechazada</i>
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Document Review: *Revisión y de Documentos*

Needs Assessment (Evaluación de Necesidades)	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i> School plan for student achievement: Title I Needs Assessment review. Krystal Ferguson questioned the math proficiency noticing the math is getting harder, asked if WIN would be good for tutoring. Wants to be proactive for next year. VP Janowicz responded about the tutoring portion would be beneficial and early interventions. District will ask what the need is and need to review data before these programs can start. Chris Dufour shared fifth grade has tutoring to encourage her for her child next year.
N/A	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i> N/A

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ELAC Reporting <i>Informes ELAC</i> ELAC Report- Dave Janowicz	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Reporting (<i>Resumen de Informes</i>) VP David Janowicz ELAC meeting is continuing to build committee next meeting we will have elections to align with SSC. Had a good turn out at the last meeting.
Committee Reports or Guest Presenters (PTA, DELAC, Other outside presenters) <i>Informes de Comités o Presentadores Invitados (PTA, DELAC, otros presentadores externos)</i> Next DELAC: April 9, 2026 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM TRUSD Sycamore Room 5115 Dudley Blvd., McClellan, CA 95652	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Presentation (<i>Resumen de Presentación</i>) Rosa Avila announced next DELAC meeting: April 9, 2026, 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM at the district office.
Additional Information/New Business/Discussion <i>Información Adicional/Asuntos Nuevos/Conversación</i> Data Update PBIS	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Summary of Action Taken <i>Resumen de Medidas Adoptadas</i> VP Janowicz reviewed 2024-2025 CAASP data, current IReady Data, ELA and Math assessment Data, 25-26 attendance rate is 92.76 we are trending upwards and chronic absenteeism down 4.2%, 25-26 PBIS review, discipline data 2.7% reduction in suspensions for the 25-26 school year. Parent and family engagement participation has increased, last event 22.59% parent participation.
Adjournment: <i>Aplazamiento:</i>	Chairperson <i>Presidente</i>	Time: <i>Hora:</i> 3:00 PM

Next meeting date: <i>Fecha de próxima reunión:</i>	03/18/2026	2:30 PM
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BOARD POLICY (BP 5131.8)

Student Use of Cell Phones and Personal Electronic Devices (Grades TK–12)

Policy Statement

The Governing Board recognizes that personal electronic devices can support communication and safety, but may also disrupt learning, student engagement, mental health, and overall school climate when misused or excessively used during the school day.

In accordance with California law, the Board directs that student use of smartphones and personal electronic devices shall be limited during the school day in order to promote academic focus, student engagement, safety, and a distraction-free learning environment.

The Board establishes a “bell-to-bell” expectation that personal electronic devices remain off and away during the instructional day for students in grades TK–8, with more limited use permitted at the high school level as defined in administrative regulation.

For elementary students (TK–6), the Board strongly discourages bringing personal electronic devices to school. Personal electronic devices are brought to school at the student’s own risk.

The Superintendent or designee shall develop administrative regulations to ensure consistent implementation, including expectations for use, prohibited conduct, staff authority, consequences for misuse, and procedures for handling devices.

Applicability

This policy applies while students are:

- On school grounds
- During school hours
- At school-sponsored activities
- Under the supervision and control of district staff

Authority of School Staff

School staff may regulate student possession and use of personal electronic devices and may require a student to relinquish a device when used in violation of district policy or school rules.

Exceptions

Students shall not be prohibited from using a device when:

- Required for an emergency
- Authorized by staff for instructional purposes
- Required for a documented medical condition
- Required by an Individualized Education Program (IEP) or Section 504 Plan

Liability

Personal electronic devices are brought to school at the student's own risk. The district and school sites assume no responsibility for loss, theft, or damage except in cases of gross negligence.

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION (AR 5131.8)

Student Use of Cell Phones and Personal Electronic Devices (Grades TK–12)

1. Definitions

Personal electronic devices include, but are not limited to:

- Smartphones and cell phones
- Smartwatches with communication capability
- Earbuds and headphones
- Tablets or similar personal devices
- Recording devices (e.g., Meta glasses)

2. Standard: “Off and Away”

“Off and away” means:

- Device is powered off, on silent, or in “Do Not Disturb” mode
- Device is not visible or accessible to the student
- Device is stored in a backpack or designated location as directed by staff

3. Applicability

This regulation applies:

- On campus, including before school, passing periods, recess, and lunch
- During school-sponsored activities
- Under the supervision and control of district staff

4. Elementary and K–8 Expectations

Grades TK–6 (Elementary)

- Students may bring devices to school for safety purposes; however, the district strongly discourages bringing personal electronic devices to school.
- Devices must remain off and away for the entire school day (“bell-to-bell” or “gate-to-gate”), including:
 - Before school
 - Instructional time
 - Recess
 - Lunch
- No student use is permitted during the school day unless:
 - Explicitly authorized by staff for instructional purposes
 - Required by an IEP, Section 504 Plan, or documented medical need
- Earbuds, headphones, and smartwatches must also remain off and stored.

Grades 7–8 (Middle School)

- Devices must remain off and away for the entire school day (“bell-to-bell” or “gate-to-gate”), including:
 - Passing periods
 - Lunch
- Use is permitted only:
 - With staff authorization for instructional purposes
 - With administrative approval when appropriate
- Earbuds, headphones, and smartwatches must remain off and stored unless authorized.

5. Secondary Expectations (Grades 9–12)

- Devices must be off and away during instructional time.
- Use may be permitted:
 - Before school
 - Passing periods
 - During lunch
- Teachers may authorize use for instructional purposes when:
 - Clearly aligned to instructional objectives
 - Structured and time-bound
 - Actively monitored and supervised

6. Classroom Expectations

- Students shall place devices in designated storage systems or keep them off and away as directed by staff.
- Devices may only be used when:
 - Authorized by the teacher
 - Used for instructional purposes

7. Permitted Use / Exceptions

Students may use personal electronic devices only when:

- Explicitly authorized by school staff for instructional purposes
- Required for a documented IEP, Section 504 Plan, or medical need
- Approved by administration for an emergency or extenuating circumstance

The school office remains the primary point of contact for urgent communication between families and students.

8. Prohibited Conduct

Students shall not:

- Use devices in violation of “off and away” expectations
- Record, photograph, or audio capture individuals without consent
- Use wearable recording devices without authorization
- Use devices for academic dishonesty
- Engage in bullying, harassment, or inappropriate communication
- Use devices in restrooms, locker rooms, or private areas
- Access inappropriate content
- Disrupt the learning environment

9. Staff Authority and Response to Misuse

Staff may:

- Direct devices to be put away
- Redirect students to comply with expectations
- Require devices to be relinquished
- Confiscate devices for the remainder of the class period or school day
- Refer repeated misuse to administration

Schools may implement progressive responses to repeated misuse, including:

1. Device held by staff until end of class or end of day

2. Device transferred to the office until dismissal
3. Parent/guardian notification and required retrieval
4. Parent/student/device-use agreements
5. Documentation in Aeries or other district systems

All responses shall be:

- Consistent with district discipline policies
- Developmentally appropriate
- Focused on correcting behavior and maintaining a safe learning environment

10. Handling, Storage, and Care of Devices

When a device is taken from a student:

- Staff shall exercise reasonable care in handling the device
- The device may be held by staff or transferred to a secure and locked location
- Access shall be limited to authorized personnel
- Site administrators may establish procedures for:
 - Storage
 - Documentation
 - Logging devices in and out
 - Return of devices

Placing a confiscated device on top of or inside an unlocked desk or cabinet is not considered a properly secured location.

The district is not responsible for loss, theft, or damage except in cases of gross negligence.

11. Search of Devices

Personal electronic devices shall not be searched except in accordance with law and district policy.

12. Privacy and Safety

Students shall not use devices to violate the privacy, safety, or rights of others.

Students shall not:

- Record or photograph others without permission
- Use devices in restrooms, locker rooms, or other private areas
- Use devices in a manner that disrupts school operations or compromises safety

13. Emergency Procedures

- Students must follow all staff directions during emergencies.
- Personal devices may not be used unless directed by staff.
- Students may contact families through the office or with staff permission.
- Families should contact the school office for urgent communication.

14. Access and Equity

Schools shall ensure:

- Students have access to necessary instructional technology
- Alternatives are provided when personal devices are not available

15. Site Implementation

Schools may implement site-specific systems aligned with this regulation, including:

- Gate-to-gate restrictions
- Classroom phone storage systems
- Designated phone-free zones
- Office-based procedures
- Structured collection procedures
- Device-use agreements

16. Communication and Review

- This policy and regulation shall be communicated annually to students and families.
- The policy shall be included in student and parent handbooks.
- Schools may reinforce expectations throughout the school year.
- The district shall review and update this policy and regulation at least every five years in accordance with state law.

Woodridge Elementary



SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL BYLAWS

ARTICLE I

Duties of the School Site Council:

The School Site Council of *Woodridge Elementary*, shall carry out the following duties:

- Obtain recommendations for, and review of, the proposed Single Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA) from all school advisory committees.
- Participate in regular training on SSC roles and responsibilities.
- Develop and approve the SPSA and related categorical expenditures in accordance with all state and federal law and district regulations.
- Recommend the SPSA and categorical expenditures to the TRUSD Board of Education for approval.
- Provide ongoing review of the implementation of the SPSA with the principal, teachers, and other school staff members.
- Make modifications to the SPSA whenever the need arises.
- Submit the modified SPSA for district approval whenever a material change (as defined in district governing board policy) is made in planned activities for related categorical expenditures.
- Regularly evaluate academic data to determine the progress made toward school goals to raise the academic achievement of all students.
- Carry out all other duties assigned to the council by the TRUSD Board of Education and by state law.

ARTICLE II

Members

Section A: Composition*

The council shall be composed of at least 10 members, selected by their peers, as follows:

- ✓ Principal/Designee
- ✓ Classroom teachers
- ✓ “Other” school staff members (non classroom teaching staff can be certificated or classified)
- ✓ Parents or community members

* *Elementary schools must have a minimum of ten (10) members.*

The school principal/designee is a required member of the council. The principal/designee shall attend all SSC meetings. Council members chosen to represent parents may be employees of the school district so long as they are not employed at this school.

Section B: Term of Office

Council members shall be elected *for 2 year terms*. Half, or the nearest approximation thereof, of each representative group shall be elected during odd years, and the remaining number of elected members during even years. At the first regular meeting of the council, each member’s current term of office shall be recorded in the minutes of the meeting.

Section C: Voting Rights

Each member of the council is entitled to one vote and may cast that vote on any matter submitted to a vote of the council. Absentee (proxy) and any electronic ballots shall not be permitted.

Section D: Termination of Membership

The council may, by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of all its members, suspend or expel a member. Any elected member may terminate his or her membership by submitting a written letter of resignation to the council chairperson.

Section E: Transfer of Membership

Membership on the council may not be assigned or transferred.

Section F: Vacancy

Any vacancy on the council occurring during the term of duly elected member shall be filled by:

- An alternate designated during the annual election
- Nominated by current SSC and approved by majority of SSC membership.

The term will be for the remaining time left in the vacated seat.

ARTICLE III

Elections of Council Members

- The school principal/designee is a standing member of the council.
- Classroom teacher elections will be held in *August/September*:
 - The certificated membership will be elected into rotational positions of *two years*.
 - Nominations and elections are conducted by the certificated staff (classroom teacher). If the form is digital, a member of that voting party will be a collaborator on the digital form and will assist in the verification of nominations and election results.
 - A ballot will be used that includes a write in option.
- “Other” staff elections will be held in *August/September*.
 - The “other” position is filled by a non-classroom teacher. He/she may be a classified or certificated staff member.
 - The “other” staff membership will be elected into rotational positions of *two years*.
 - Nominations and elections will be conducted by the non classroom teaching certificated and classified staff. If the form is digital, a member of that voting party will be a collaborator on the digital form and will assist in the verification of nominations and election results.
 - A ballot will be used that includes a write in option.
- Parent/Community Member representative elections will be conducted in *September*.
 - Nominations and elections will be conducted by the *school office staff*.
 - *Announcement of the nominations will be made through parent communication resources.*
 - Nominations will be accepted through the *first week of September*.
 - If the form is digital, a member of the office staff will be a collaborator on the digital form and will assist in the verification of nominations and election results.
 - A ballot will be used with a write in option.

All election ballots and result records will be maintained at the school site for three (3) years.

ARTICLE IV

Officers

Section A: Officers

The officers of the council shall be a chairperson, vice-chairperson, secretary, and other officers the council deems desirable.

The chairperson shall:

- Collaborate with the principal in developing agendas
- Preside meetings of the council.
- Sign all letters, reports, and other communications of the council.
- Have other such duties as are prescribed by the council.

The vice-chairperson shall:

- Assist the chairperson in assigned duties.
- Substitute for the chairperson in his/her absence.

The secretary shall:

- Keep minutes and sign-ins of meetings of the council.
- Transmit true and correct copies of the minutes of such meetings to members of the council.
- Keep a register of the names, email addresses, and telephone numbers of each member of the council,-as furnished by those persons.
- Perform other such duties as are assigned by the chairperson or the council.

Section B: Election and Terms of Office

The officers shall be elected annually, at the first or second meeting of the council, and shall serve for one year, or until each successor has been elected.

Section C: Reasons for Removal of Officers

Any officer may be removed from office by a two-thirds vote of all the members. *(Your SSC should determine grounds for removing officers, i.e. Do you remove after someone has missed three consecutive meetings with no reason given?)*

Section D: Vacancy

A vacancy in any office shall be filled at the earliest opportunity by a special election of the council for the remaining portion of the term of office or by placement of a properly elected alternate during the Fall election.

ARTICLE V

Committees

Section A: Sub-committees

The council may establish and abolish sub-committees of their own membership to perform duties as prescribed by the council. *At least one member representing teachers and one member representing parents shall make up the sub-committee.* No sub-committee may exercise the authority of the council.

Section B: Terms of Office

The council shall determine the terms of office for members of a committee.

Section C: Rules

Each committee may adopt rules for its own government not inconsistent with these bylaws or rules adopted by the council, or policies of the district governing board.

Section D: Quorum

A majority (51% or greater) of the members of the committee shall constitute a quorum. The act of a majority of the members present shall be the act of the committee, provided a quorum is present.

ARTICLE VI**Meetings of the Council****Section A: Meetings**

The council shall meet regularly (*at least 5 times per school year*). Special meetings of the council may be called by the chairperson or by a majority vote of the council.

Section B: Place of Meetings

The council shall hold its regular meetings at a facility provided by the school, unless such a facility that is accessible to the public, including handicapped persons, is unavailable. Alternate meeting places may be determined by the chairperson or by majority vote of the council. This shall include meetings on Zoom in a virtual format.

Section C: Notice of Meetings

1. Written public notice (agenda) of all meetings shall be posted at an appropriate place accessible to the public at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting.
2. Changes in the established date, time, or location shall be given special notice.
3. All meetings shall be publicized in the following venues:
TRUSD website and posted on the front window of the school.
4. All required notices shall be delivered to council and committee members no less than 72 hours, *personally, or by mail or via e-mail.*

Section D: Quorum

The act of the majority of the members present shall be the act of the council, provided a quorum is in attendance, and no decision may otherwise be attributed to the council. A majority of the members of

the council (51% or greater) shall constitute a quorum. No actions may be taken unless a quorum has been established.

Section E: Conduct of Meetings

Meetings of the council shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of order established by California Education Code Section 35147 © and with Robert's Rules of Order or adaption thereof approved by the council.

Section F: Meetings Open to the Public

All meetings of the council, and of committees established by the council, shall be open to the public. Notice of such meetings shall be provided in accordance with Section C of this article.

ARTICLE VII

Amendments

An amendment of these Bylaws may be made at any regular meeting of the council by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members present. Written notice of the proposed amendment must be submitted to council members at least 72 hours prior to the meeting at which the amendment is to be considered for adoption.

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