



City and County of San Francisco

Meeting Minutes

City and School District Select Committee

City Hall
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

Supervisors: David Campos, Christina Olague, David Chiu; Commissioners Sandra Lee Fewer, Kim-Shree Maufas, Hydra B. Mendoza

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Thursday, June 28, 2012

3:30 PM

City Hall, Legislative Chamber, Room 250

Regular Meeting

Present: 6 - David Campos, Christina Olague, David Chiu, Sandra Lee Commissioners Fewer, Kim-Shree Maufas, and Eric Mar

Absent: 1 - Hydra Mendoza

The President appointed Supervisor Eric Mar, in place of Supervisor David Campos, to the City and School District Select Committee for the meeting of June 28, 2012, for File Nos. 120573 and 120714.

MEETING CONVENED

The meeting convened at 3:33 p.m.

120484 [Hearing - Transitional Kindergarten]

Sponsor: Campos

Hearing on the San Francisco Unified School District's plans for transitional kindergarten.

05/08/12; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to City and School District Select Committee.

05/24/12; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Heard in Committee. Speakers: Carla Bryant, Chief, Early Education Department, SFUSD; Melissa Luc, Transition Specialist; SFUSD; made a presentation and responded to questions raised throughout the discussion. Isabelle Demeuleheere, parent; Maria Maldonado, parent; Forest Gray, parent; Heather Murdoch, parent; Cassandra Sweet, parent; Jennifer Welsh, parent; discussed issues related to transitional kindergarten.

Heard In Committee. Speakers: Darlene Lim, Executive Director (Educational Placement Center, San Francisco Unified School District); Chris Armentrout, Director (Development & Local Government Relations, San Francisco Unified School District); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the hearing. Walter Paulson; Heather Murdoch; Julia Gray; Isabelle Demeuleheere; Forest Gray; Stephanie Fong; Maria Maldonado; spoke neither in support nor against the hearing matter.

FILED by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Campos, Olague, Chiu, Commissioners Fewer, Maufas

Excused: 1 - Mar

Absent: 1 - Mendoza

120573 [Hearing - SFUSD Revenue and Additional Support]**Sponsor: Mar**

Hearing to allocate a portion of the City's recent unexpected revenue to support the San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD) and to explore other ways the City can support SFUSD schools.

05/22/12; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to City and School District Select Committee.

06/14/12; REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT. June 14, 2012 - Referral sent to Youth Commission (Director of Commission requested referral)

Heard In Committee. Speakers: Monique Zmuda (Deputy City Controller); Nancy Waymack, Executive Director (Policy and Operations, SFUSD); presented information and answered questions on the matter. Leah LeCroix (Youth Commission); Huimin "Happy" Yang (Youth Commission); Michelle Parker, President (Second District PTA), Dennis Kelly (United Educators of SF); Chelsea Boilard, Director of Programs, and Christina Canaveral (Coleman Advocates); Chris Carey (SFUSD); Dennis MacKenzie (Round the Diamond Consulting and Education); Heather Murdoch; Todd David; Walter Paulson; spoke neither in support nor against the hearing matter.

CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Olague, Chiu, Commissioners Fewer, Maufas, Mar

Excused: 1 - Campos

Absent: 1 - Mendoza

120714 [Hearing - Community Assessment Referral Center and Truancy Assessment and Resource Center]**Sponsor: Campos**

Hearing to receive updates on the work of the Community Assessment Referral Center and the Truancy Assessment and Resource Center.

06/19/12; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to City and School District Select Committee.

Heard in Committee. Speakers: Edmund Lee (Department of Children, Youth, and Their Families); Denise Coleman (Huckleberry); Gavin O'Neil, Program Director (Community Assessment Referral Center); Michelle Parker, President (Second District PTA); Claudine Henderson (SFUSD); presented information and answered questions raised throughout the hearing.

CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Olague, Chiu, Commissioners Fewer, Maufas, Mar

Excused: 1 - Campos

Absent: 1 - Mendoza

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:55 p.m.