



Agenda Item Details

Meeting	Jan 24, 2023 - January 24, 2023 Regular Board Meeting - - 5:00 P.M. (IN-PERSON)
Category	6. CONSENT CALENDAR
Subject	6.21 (C/A): Approval of an Out-of-State Conference SUSD for District Leaders, School Site Administrators, and School Faculty Staff to Attend the Annual PLC Conference in Las Vegas, NV June 7-9, 2023, Total Number of Attendees Not to Exceed 350
Type	Action
Recommended Action	It is recommended that the Governing Board approve an Out-of-State Conference for SUSD District Leaders, School Site Administrators, and School Faculty Staff to attend the Annual PLC Conference in Las Vegas, NV June 7-9, 2023. Total number of attendees not to exceed 350.

Introduction

Professional learning communities are a major initiative in our school district for improving the learning outcomes for all students. By creating teacher teams that are made interdependent by common goals, and by focusing their collaboration on the analysis of student work and student learning, teacher teams are able to determine their effect on learning, and in the process, identify the most highly effective instructional practices. PLC’s are a learning system that builds the capacity of our teachers, our schools, and everyone else throughout our entire district.

Analysis

The Professional Learning Communities at Work is three big ideas of a PLC - a focus on learning, building a collaborative culture, and results orientation. This unique event brings the PLC at Work architects together with some of the brightest, most respected minds in education. The most dynamic keynotes will be present and the staff will attend powerful breakouts designed to help infuse the PLCs at Work process into every aspect of our School District. Attending this conference will provide District Leadership, School Site Administrators and School Faculty Staff with best practices to improve student achievement and graduation rates.

The very essence of a *learning* community is a focus on and a commitment to the learning of each student. When a school or district functions as a PLC, educators within the organization embrace high levels of learning for all students as both the reason the organization exists and the fundamental responsibility of those who work within it. In order to achieve this purpose, the members of a PLC create and are guided by a clear and compelling vision of what the organization must become in order to help all students learn. They make collective commitments clarifying what each member will do to create such an organization, and they use results-oriented goals to mark their progress. Members work together to clarify exactly what each student must learn, monitor each student’s learning on a timely basis, provide systematic interventions that ensure students receive additional time and support for learning when they struggle, and extend and enrich learning when students have already mastered the intended outcomes.

The intended outcomes for the ongoing training is to develop a district culture that promotes PLCs that will engage in collective inquiry into both best practices in teaching and best practices in learning. Our goal is to encourage Collective inquiry to enable team members to develop new skills and capabilities that in turn lead to new experiences and awareness. Ultimately this heightened awareness can transform into fundamental shifts in attitudes, beliefs, and habits which, over time, transform the culture of any school. Members of a *professional* learning community are expected to work and learn together.

The district will utilize centralized and site based Title I funds to provide access to this essential professional development. We encourage our teams to attend professional development opportunities during the summer months in order to minimize the impact of teacher absences during the school year. School Site Councils approve site based Title I expenditures as appropriate.

Conference Dates: June 7-9, 2023

Location of Service: Las Vegas, Nevada

School Site/District Attendees:

<u>School Site</u>	<u>Headcount</u>
Adams	10
August	15
Bush	10
Chavez	25
Cleveland	8
Edison	20
El Dorado	6
Elmwood	13
Fillmore	7
Franklin	20
Fremont	10
Grunsky	5
Harrison	8
Hazelton	8
HCA	10
Henry	14
Hong Kingston	6
Huerta	8
Kennedy	9
King	4
Kohl	7
Madison	16
Marshall	6
Mata	10
Merlo	5
Monroe	5
Montezuma	6
Nightingale	10
Peyton	10
Pittman	10
PLA	1
PYA	6
Rio Calaveras	14
Roosevelt	12
San Joaquin	5
SECA	7
Spanos	10
Stagg	20
Van Buren	10
Victory	20
Washington	14
Weber	6
<u>Non-School Sites</u>	
Student Support Services	100
Educational Services	10
Total Headcount	542

Cost: Estimated Costs: \$1,120,000 (estimate \$2,057 per attendee)

<u>Category</u>	<u>Unit Cost</u>	<u>Total Per Category</u>
Registration:	\$749.00	\$405,958.00
Mileage:	\$80.00	\$43,360.00
Airfare:	\$334.00	\$181,028.00
Airport Parking:	\$54.00	\$29,268.00
Car Service:	\$50.00	\$27,100.00
Hotel:	\$600.00	\$325,200.00
Meals	\$190.00	\$102,980.00
Total Cost Estimate for 542 Attendees:		\$1,114,894.00

Funding Source: Title I Funds

Prepared by: Brian Biedermann, Director, Educational Services

Reviewed by: Dr. Susana Ramirez, Interim Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services

Approved by: Dr. Traci E. Miller, Interim Superintendent of Schools

Motion & Voting

It is recommended that the Governing Board approve all Consent Action Items *C/A (subject to items being removed by individual trustees for separate consideration as Action Items.)

President AngelAnn Flores motioned to move Board Agenda Items 6.12, 6.21., and 6.27 to Action/Discussion. Seconded by Trustee Cecilia Mendez.

Motion by AngelAnn Flores, second by Cecilia Mendez.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Cecilia Mendez, AngelAnn Flores, Alicia Rico, Ray C Zulueta Jr, Donald Donaire, Sofia Colon, Kennetha Stevens

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