

MINUTES
RIALTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

April 23, 2025
Dr. John R. Kazalunas Education Center
182 East Walnut Avenue
Rialto, California

Board Members

Present: **Dr. Stephanie E. Lewis, President**
 Edgar Montes, Clerk
 Evelyn P. Dominguez, LVN, Member
 Ivan Manzo, Student Board Member

Board Members

Absent: **Joseph W. Martinez, Vice President**
 Dakira R. Williams, Member

Administrators

Present: **Judy D. White, Ed.D., Interim Superintendent**
 Rhea McIver Gibbs, Ed.D., Lead Strategic Agent
 Nicole Albiso, Lead Fiscal Services Agent
 Derek Harris, Lead Risk Management & Transportation
 Agent
 Manuel Burciaga, Lead Innovation Agent: Secondary
 Armando Urteaga, Lead Personnel Agent
 Also present was Martha Degortari, Executive
 Administrative Agent, and Jose Reyes,
 Interpreter/Translator

A. OPENING

A.1 CALL TO ORDER 5:30 p.m.

 The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m.

A.2 OPEN SESSION

A.3 CLOSED SESSION

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By Clerk Montes

As provided by law, the following are the items for discussion and consideration at the Closed Session of the Board Meeting:

- **PUBLIC EMPLOYEE EMPLOYMENT / DISCIPLINE / DISMISSAL / RELEASE / REASSIGNMENT OF EMPLOYEES (GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54957)**
- **STUDENT EXPULSIONS / REINSTATEMENTS / EXPULSION ENROLLMENTS**
- **CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS**

Agency designated representatives: Judy D. White, Ed.D., Interim Superintendent; Lead Personnel Agents: Rhonda Kramer, Roxanne Dominguez, and Armando Urteaga, Personnel Services.

Employee organizations: California School Employees Association, Chapter 203 (CSEA), Rialto Education Association (REA), Communications Workers of America (CWA)

- **PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d) and/or (d)(3). CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - ANTICIPATED LITIGATION SIGNIFICANT EXPOSURE LITIGATION - Number of Potential Claims: 1**
- **REVIEW LIABILITY CLAIM NO. 24-25-23**

COMMENTS ON CLOSED SESSION AGENDA ITEMS

Any person wishing to speak on any item on the Closed Session Agenda will be granted three minutes.

None.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members to move into Closed Session:

Time: 5:32 p.m.

Majority Vote

A.4 ADJOURNMENT OF CLOSED SESSION

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By Clerk Montes

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members to adjourn Closed Session:

Time: 7:02 p.m.

Majority Vote

A.5 OPEN SESSION RECONVENED - 7:00 p.m.

Open session reconvened at 7:02 p.m.

A.6 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Kordyak Elementary School, second-grade student Reagan Leslie, led the Pledge of Allegiance.

A.7 PRESENTATION BY KORDYAK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Kordyak Elementary School's second-grade class, led by Mr. Carlos Torres, shared a preview of Kordyak Sings, the all-school music program happening on May 16, 2025. This year's school theme is "rewind, where students will take us on a musical journey through the 70s, 80s, 90s, and 2000s."

A.8 REPORT OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

The Board of Education accepted the administrative appointment of Valeria Estrella, Fiscal Services Manager, Fiscal Services.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Clerk Montes

The Board of Education accepted the administrative appointment of Germaine Gray, Middle School Principal, effective July 1, 2025.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

A.9 ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By Clerk Montes

Prior to adoption of the agenda, the following Board Item was pulled:

Discussion/Action item F-8 - Deny Liability Claim No. 24-25-23.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members to adopt the agenda as amended:

Majority Vote

B. PRESENTATIONS

B.1 MIDDLE SCHOOLS - DISTRICT STUDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (DSAC)

The following DSAC students shared information and activities held at their school:

Kolb Middle School - Daveaney Tapia

Frisbie Middle School - Aidan Morales

Jehue Middle School - Breanda Avila

Kucera Middle School - Melanie Nehls

Rialto Middle School - Nicole Enosegbe

C. COMMENTS

C.1 PUBLIC COMMENTS NOT ON THE AGENDA

At this time, any person wishing to speak on any item not on the Agenda will be granted three minutes.

Angelica Cuevas, District Parent, shared on behalf of many parents of Rialto Unified School District, their gratitude for the years of service provided by Dr. Marina Madrid. She highlighted Dr. Madrid's professionalism and vision for helping the students and parents. She spoke of the care and support she has provided to so many, and empowered moms to be better. She shared that Dr. Madrid will be greatly missed, but her legacy will continue. They congratulated her on her retirement.

Janete Gutierrez, District Parent, also acknowledged the immense dedication to the students and parents by Dr. Marina Madrid during her years of service with Rialto Unified School District. She shared that the work of Dr. Madrid has opened many doors and built many bridges for so many. She congratulated Dr. Madrid, on behalf of many parents, for the legacy she leaves behind.

Carlos Nava, District Parent, also highlighted the many reasons they are grateful for the support of Dr. Madrid. He spoke of the opportunities and programs she provided to parents. He shared that thanks to her, he took a computer course and learned Word and Excel. He mentioned the need to have more people like her who provide support to the community without concern for age or financial status.

Jailynn Olmedo, a District Student, shared her experience and excitement as a participant in the HBCU Tour. She spoke of the highlights of the trip, which changed her perspective on attending a university such as Howard or Winston. She was grateful for the opportunity and encouraged others to attend.

Doni George, a District Student, also shared her experience as a participant in the HBCU tour. She spoke of her excitement in visiting Howard University and explained the importance of supporting these trips.

Bernadette Pinchback, the Grandmother of Student Doni George, shared the impact that this journey has had on these African American students and the amazing experience. She gave special thanks to Dr. Ayanna Balogun. She recommends that this opportunity continue for future

students, and also suggested that the students be prepared prior to their tour to expand their experience.

Camilia Horton, 12th Grade Student at Carter High School, thanked those who made the HBCU tour possible. She shared some of the highlights of her experience, emphasizing the inspiration of being around other students who looked like her. She shared the possibility of her attending either Alabama State University or Virginia State. She recommended that other students take advantage of this opportunity.

Aliya Thomas, Senior at Rialto High School, also started by thanking everyone who made the HBCU tour possible, including the parents who allowed their children to participate. She thanked the parents for their trust and for believing in the students. She shared that this trip has opened her eyes and connected her to new possibilities, which gave her a sense of belonging. She encouraged students to take advantage of this opportunity and requested that the District continue to support this tour.

Flora Hinijosa, a Student at Carter High School, also thanked each and every one for making the HBCU Tour possible and acknowledged Dr. Ayanna Balogun and the teachers who accompanied the students on the tour. She shared that this tour opened her eyes to a rich culture with many opportunities. She requested that the District continue to fund this opportunity.

Samantha Brookins, Student at Eisenhower High School, also thanked the District for making this trip possible and providing students with this opportunity. She shared that she now has a clear understanding of which school would be best for her.

Se'ven Lakee, Student at Rialto High School, shared that he also had the opportunity to attend the HBCU tour for the second time this year. He is excited about the possibility of attending one of the universities and thanked the District for supporting this opportunity.

Patrick Kelley, Consultant and Retired Superintendent, thanked the Board for the opportunity to assist the District in providing guidance and support. He shared his experience as both Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources for nine years prior to that. He shared his desire to support the needs of the employees of Rialto Unified School District and said it is an honor to be here in this community.

David Hernandez Rios, Senior of Rialto High School, shared his concerns and opinions on a recent news publication regarding students and

LGBTQ. He spoke of how his peers are affected by the publication. He spoke of intolerance and recommended that parents remain involved.

Daniel Enriquez, Father of Isabella, Student at Curtis Elementary School, requested the District's support in retaining their daughter from promoting to 6th grade due to IEP failures, and the lack of support from teachers and the Principal. He explained that their daughter has missed an extensive amount of school and is not prepared to enter the sixth grade. He is concerned about Isabella's academic performance and safety. He blames Mr. Owen Ross, School Principal.

Donna Enriquez, Mother of Isabella, Student at Curtis Elementary School, shared her disappointment with Principal Ross and elaborated on several concerns, including a negative experience when a student eloped from the campus. She requested the Board's support in their decision to retain their daughter and to provide her with the education that she deserves. She said neither she nor her husband has any bad intentions and are requesting to meet with Interim Superintendent, Dr. Judy White, to discuss this further.

Shiela Umbaji Futch, President of Toastmasters, thanked the Board and Superintendent for their support in the recent recognition of the Distinguished Citizens. She indicated that they were proud to recognize Riardo Carlos, Matthew Peters, and Edith Ortiz, who have gone above and beyond in supporting the community. She also extended an invitation to the community to join Rialto Toastmasters. She concluded by thanking the District for building a stronger Rialto.

Sandra Aguilar, Frisbie Middle School Parent, addressed the Board and Interim Superintendent and indicated that their help continues to be minimal. She indicated that she came to ask for an appointment to speak with Dr. White on April 11, 2025. She was told that she was not available and that Dr. Burciaga would be calling her, but she has not received a call back. She read out a statement written by her son and spoke of negative comments made by his teacher. She wants to address the issues involving Principal Alex Vara and Board Member Mr. Montes. She demanded the support of the District.

Steven Figueroa, Community Advocate, spoke in support of Mrs. Sandra Aguilar and the violation committed by Board Member Montes when interfering and taking the microphone from her hand when speaking. He commented that Principal Vara cannot be allowed back and demanded that the Board listen to this parent's requests.

Paula Bailey, District Parent, spoke in support of Child Abuse Awareness Month and distributed pinwheels to the Board and the Interim Superintendent, as a symbol of prevention of child abuse. She reminded everyone to wear jeans on April 30, 2025, to acknowledge the victims of child abuse. She also shared the great things happening at Eisenhower High School.

Ana Gonzalez, District Parent and Advocate, thanked Juanita Chan for her support in the Community Action Summit. She also shared concerns of Milor High School violating Title V by prohibiting the use of the cafeteria. She elaborated by stating that her daughter attends the school, and not allowing her to eat her lunch in the cafeteria goes against her IEP. Her daughter does not do well with the air quality outdoors, and she and other students need to have access to the library and the cafeteria. She demanded that this be looked into immediately.

Sandra Trujillo Langdon, Parent of Student at Kucera Middle School, shared that she filed a formal complaint against Principal Mrs. Cuevas. She highlighted an incident that took place on April 14, 2025, and the negative interactions she had with the Principal. She felt that she was treated unprofessionally and demanded to be contacted to address her concerns.

Mirna Ruiz, Community Member, shared concerns of special needs students at Milor High School being assigned to do custodial duties. She requested this be looked into immediately, as it could be interpreted as discriminatory rather than a career pathway. She asked that special needs students be given the same access as all other students. She asked the Board to suspend the program.

Celia Saravia, representing Amigos Unidos, a Support Group for Parents of Special Needs Students, spoke of the programs she and other parents have been able to participate in and thanked the District for the opportunity. She shared the benefits of the UCLA math courses and the USC literacy courses. She thanked Dr. Marina Madrid for her continued support to parents, and thanked Dr. Manuel Burciaga and Dr. Rhea McIver Gibbs. She also requested that the District pay attention to the needs of special education students at Milor High School and look into the issue mentioned by Mrs. Ruiz.

C.2 PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS

Any person wishing to speak on any item on the Agenda will be granted three minutes.

None

C.3 COMMENTS FROM ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS

- Rialto Education Association (REA)
- California School Employees Association (CSEA)
- Communications Workers of America (CWA)
- Rialto School Managers Association (RSMA)

Tobin Brinker, Rialto Education Association President (REA), shared that the association will be purchasing tickets to attend this year's RITZ Gala to support students. He also spoke of the upcoming We Honor Our Own celebration, where so many staff members will be recognized for their retirement and years of service with the District. He also voiced his concerns regarding the budget cuts, particularly the decision to cut the Reading Specialists. He highlighted the importance of this position and the support that Reading Specialists provide students. He stated that literacy is non-negotiable and emphasized the need to serve students first.

Christine Acosta, California School Employees Association (CSEA President), shared concerns on behalf of classified staff members regarding safety and security. She spoke of staff members getting injured by students when addressing behavior challenges. She indicated that staff are not equipped to handle these situations, and they feel unsupported. She requested that the Board and District consider investing in staff training. She also spoke of the recent temporary staff reassignments in Nutrition Services. She shared concerns about placing staff who are not properly trained for these positions and recommended that the District take a closer look at this matter and bring in a prepared leader.

Dr. Nalik Davis, Assistant Principal at Carter High School and representing the Rialto School Management Association (RSMA), shared a reminder of the student scholarships awarded to District students and reminded staff that the deadline to apply is May 2, 2025. He stated that RSMA scholarships are also available for children of District staff who are members of RSMA. Dr. Davis also reminded the community that a Young Men's Summit will be held at Carter High School on May 9, 2025.

- C.4 COMMENTS FROM THE STUDENT BOARD MEMBER
- C.5 COMMENTS FROM THE INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT
- C.6 COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

D. PUBLIC HEARING

D.1 OPEN PUBLIC HEARING

Any person wishing to speak on the item on the Public Hearing agenda will be granted three minutes.

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

2025-2026 INITIAL PROPOSAL TO CALIFORNIA SCHOOL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (CSEA) RIALTO CHAPTER NO. 203

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members to open Public Hearing:

Time: 9:23 p.m.

Majority Vote

D.2 2025-2026 INITIAL PROPOSAL TO CALIFORNIA SCHOOL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (CSEA) RIALTO CHAPTER NO. 203

Pursuant to the requirements of Government Code and Board Policy, The attached initial contract successor proposal for the 2025-2026 school year, submitted by the Rialto Unified School District for an agreement between California School Employees Association (CSEA), Rialto Chapter 203, and the Rialto Unified School District Board of Education, is hereby posted in compliance with the legislative requirements for public notice.

D.3 CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

**2025-2026 INITIAL PROPOSAL TO CALIFORNIA SCHOOL
EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (CSEA) RIALTO CHAPTER NO. 203**

**Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by
Board Members to close Public Hearing:**

Time: 9:24 p.m.

Majority Vote

E. CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS

All items on the Consent Calendar will be acted upon in one motion unless pulled by Board of Education members or the Superintendent for individual action.

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

**Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board
Members to approve Consent Calendar Items:**

Majority Vote

E.1 GENERAL FUNCTIONS CONSENT ITEMS

**E.1.1 APPROVE THE SECOND READING OF BOARD POLICIES
4119.24, 4219.24, AND 4319.24; MAINTAINING APPROPRIATE
ADULT-STUDENT INTERACTIONS**

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

**Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.
Vote by Board Members:**

Majority Vote

**E.1.2 APPROVE THE SECOND READING OF REVISED BOARD
POLICY 5145.6; PARENT GUARDIAN NOTIFICATIONS**

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

**Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.
Vote by Board Members:**

Majority Vote

E.2 INSTRUCTION CONSENT ITEMS

E.2.1 APPROVE AN OVERNIGHT TRIP EVERY 15 MINUTES IN PARTNERSHIP WITH RIALTO POLICE DEPARTMENT - CARTER HIGH SCHOOL

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Approve twenty-one (21) Carter High School Seniors (6 male, 15 female) and three (3) chaperones (1 male, 2 female) on an overnight trip, effective April 24, 2025, at no cost to the District.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.2.2 APPROVE FAMILY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE (FLI) PARENTS, STUDENTS AND STAFF TO ATTEND THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA BARBARA COLLEGE TOUR

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Approve twenty (20) Parents/Guardians, one to ten (1-10) children/students, and seven (7) staff members to attend the University of California Santa Barbara on May 7, 2025, in Santa Barbara, California, at a cost not-to-exceed \$3,700.00, and to be paid from the General Fund (CEI Grant).

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.3 BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL CONSENT ITEMS

E.3.1 APPROVE THE WARRANT LISTING AND PURCHASE ORDER LISTING

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

All funds from March 19, 2025 through April 1, 2025, (Sent under separate cover to Board Members). A copy for public review will be available on the District's website.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.3.2 DONATIONS

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Accept the listed donations from Amazon, and that a letter of appreciation be sent to the donor.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.3.3 APPROVE AMENDMENT NO 1. TO THE AGREEMENT WITH ECS IMAGING INC

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Extend the term of the agreement from March 31, 2025, to August 31, 2025, to convert data from legacy databases. All other terms and conditions of the agreement will remain the same.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.3.4 SURPLUS OF EQUIPMENT AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Declare the specified surplus equipment and miscellaneous items as obsolete and not serviceable for school use and authorize the Superintendent/designee to sell or dispose of these items as specified in the Education Code Sections 17545 and 17546.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.3.5 ACCEPT THE FACTORS FORUM IMPLEMENTATION FUND GRANT FROM MenloEDU

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Accept the Factors Forum Implementation Fund Grant for \$30,000.00 to be received from menloEDU, effective April 24, 2025 through October 30, 2025, at no cost to the District.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.3.6 APPROVE AN AGREEMENT WITH EDDY SUMAR DBA ER\$ CONSULTING SERVICES

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Provide five (5) days of professional development and curriculum support for all Career Technical Education teachers, effective April 24, 2025 through June 30, 2025, at a cost not-to-exceed \$15,000.00, and to be paid from the General Fund (CTEIG).

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

**E.3.7 APPROVE AN AGREEMENT WITH PABLO DAMAS - KORDYAK
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Provide students in grade TK-5 with a painting event at Kordyak Elementary School, effective April 24, 2025 through May 29, 2025, at a cost not-to-exceed \$14,445.00, and to be paid from the General Fund (Prop 28 AMS).

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.3.8 APPROVE AN AGREEMENT WITH VILLAGE LIFE EDUCATION

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Approve an agreement with Village Life Education for consultant services provided by Dr. Kirk Kirkwood, effective May 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025, at a cost not-to-exceed \$37,500.00, and to be paid from the General Fund.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.4 FACILITIES PLANNING CONSENT ITEMS

E.4.1 NOTICE OF COMPLETION FOR SILVER CREEK MODULAR, LCC FOR THE ZUPANIC VIRTUAL ACADEMY PROJECT

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Accept the work completed March 28, 2025, by Silver Creek Modular, LCC, for the Zupanic Virtual Academy project, and authorize District staff to file a Notice of Completion with the San Bernardino County Recorder.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.5 PERSONNEL SERVICES CONSENT ITEMS

E.5.1 APPROVE PERSONNEL REPORT NO. 1335 FOR CLASSIFIED AND CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

E.6 MINUTES

E.6.1 APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING HELD MARCH 5, 2025

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent.

Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

F. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

F.1 APPROVE AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO THE AGREEMENT WITH DLR GROUP ARCHITECTURE TO PROVIDE ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR THE INTERNATIONAL HEALING GARDEN

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Increase the original contract amount of \$268,000.00 by an additional cost of \$11,745.00 for additional architectural services required for the International Healing Garden project, for a revised contract amount of \$279,745.00. All other terms and conditions will remain the same.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.2 ACCEPT THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE GRANT

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Farm to Fork Grant for \$350,000.00, effective April 24, 2025 through June 30, 2026, at no cost to the District.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.3 APPROVE AN AGREEMENT WITH SAN BERNARDINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Approve the Subgrantee/Project Agreement subaward for \$127,124.00 to be received from San Bernardino Community College District, effective April 24, 2025 through June 30, 2026, at no cost to the District.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.4 APPROVE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING SCHEDULE FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By President Dr. Lewis

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

Majority Vote

F.5 APPROVE THE 2025 STUDENT BOARD MEMBER SCHOLARSHIP

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Authorize a scholarship check in the amount of \$3,000.00 for Student Board Member, Ivan Manzo, and to be paid from the General Fund.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.6 ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 24-25-49 TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR 2025-2026

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Authorize staff to process the necessary transfers of funds to revise budget amounts during the course of the fiscal year to reflect changes in District operations.

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.7 DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO SELECT SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH FIRMS FOR INTERVIEW

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

The Governing Board requested proposals from Superintendent Search Firms to assist in the recruitment and selection of a new Superintendent. The Governing Board will discuss the submitted proposals and may vote to select search firms for an interview, to be held at a subsequent meeting.

The Board of Education took action to approve the following search firms to move forward for interview at an upcoming regularly scheduled Board Meeting:

- **Ray & Associates**
- **Hazard Young Attea Associates**

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.8 DENY LIABILITY CLAIM NO. 24-25-23

The item was pulled at the request of the Board of Education and will be brought back for future action.

F.9 ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING

Moved By President Dr. Lewis

Seconded By Member Dominguez

Case Number:
24-25-59

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.10 STIPULATED EXPULSION

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By President Dr. Lewis

Case Number:
24-25-65

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.11 EXPULSION REINSTATEMENT

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By President Dr. Lewis

Case Numbers:
24-25-36
24-25-41

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

F.12 APPEAL ON RECOMMENDATION OF EXPULSION

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By President Dr. Lewis

Case Number:
24-25-59

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Majority Vote

G. ADJOURNMENT

The next regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Rialto Unified School District will be held on May 7, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at the Dr. John Kazalunas Education Center, 182 East Walnut Ave, Rialto, California.

Materials distributed or presented to the Board of Education at the Board Meeting are available upon request from the Superintendent’s Office.

Moved By Member Dominguez

Seconded By President Dr. Lewis

Vice President Martinez and Member Williams were absent. Vote by Board Members to adjourn:

(Ayes) President Lewis, Clerk Montes, Member Dominguez

Time: 9:43 p.m.

Majority Vote


Clerk, Board of Education


Secretary, Board of Education