



HBUHSD

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

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BOARD MEETING DATE: APRIL 16, 2013

HBUHSD Board of Trustees

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Board Actions

The Board:

- Adopted a resolution for the acceptance of and use of Tier III Categorical Funds for any educational purpose as provided in Education Code section 42605.
- Adopted a resolution opposing merging of TOCP/CTE funding with the Base Funding System as proposed by the Governor's Local Control Funding Formula.
- Approved the use of a contract with Waterford USD for the purchase of three CNG buses upon receipt of a grant.
- Adopted resolutions in support of both "Teacher Appreciation Week and "Classified Employees Appreciation Week."

Presentations to the Board

- Chris Herzfeld, Fountain Valley High School principal, presented on the positive impact of Technology for Learning. Highlights included innovative ways to engage students through the use of instructional technology.
- Dr. Connie Mayhugh, Executive Director of Curriculum, Instruction & Categorical Programs, along with Jason Kols, teacher from Fountain Valley High School, and Leonard Ibarra, teacher from Westminster High School, reviewed the on-line Health program.
- Marlene Kline, Coordinator of Assessment and Evaluation, presented information on the proposed transition to a future assessment system in California.
- Janie Hoy, Director of Student Services, and Rosie Geck, World Languages Facilitator, presented the California Association for Bilingual Education and Californians Together recognition of the Huntington Beach Union High School District's Seal of Biliteracy program.

Next Study Session Meeting:

Thursday, May 2, 2013

Next Regular Meeting:

Tuesday, May 14, 2013

District Bonds

Tim Carty of Piper Jaffrey reported on the district's credit rating increase from A+ to AA-, which enabled the interest rate on our General Obligation Bonds to be reduced from 4.94 percent to 2.38 percent. This reflects a \$31.7 million savings in interest costs over the life of the bonds, which will result in lower taxes to Huntington Beach homeowners.