

**Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District  
Board of Education Meeting  
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**September 6, 2007**

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TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION

ACTION/CONSENT

09/06/07

FROM: DIANNE TALARICO / TIMOTHY R. WALKER /  
MAUREEN BRADFORD

**UPDATE**

RE: APPROVAL OF INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS

RECOMMENDATION NO. A.02

It is recommended that the Board of Education enter into an agreement with the following Independent Contractors. These contracts are included in the 2007/2008 budget.

<b>Contractor/ Contract Dates</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Site</b>	<b>Funding</b>
Intercultural Development Research Association 8/1/07 to 7/31/08 Not to exceed: \$30,000	Training and Technical Assistance that includes three Implementation Team Meetings, on going observations, case studies, sites observations, a Teacher Coordinator Institute, and a Leadership Forum – Valued Youth Program	John Adams & Samohi	01-70900-0-11100-21000-5802-011-1300  EIA - Adams
Jessica Martin 8/29/07 to 6/20/08 Not to exceed: \$19,800	Training Language Art Teachers in reading comprehension strategies	John Adams	01-90121-0-11100-10000-5802-011-4110  Equity
Gary Drucker dba Sidewalk Studios 8/15/07 to 6/30/08 Not to exceed: \$16,550	To create a Newsletter for BB Bond	Purchasing	21-00000-0-00000-82000-5802-050-2551
Kevin McKeown 7/1/07 to 7/1/08 Not to exceed: \$70,000	<u>To repair Macintosh computers districtwide and authorization to order parts and Certified Apple Repair Tech</u>	<u>Computer Services</u>	<u>01-00000-0-00000-77000-5640-054-2540</u>
<u>Zevitz-Redfield &amp; Associates, Inc. (previously William Carey)</u> 7/1/07 to 6/30/08 <u>AMENDED AMOUNT not to exceed: \$37,500</u>	<u>To provide technology support as needed to maintain important District functions in an interim period until a Director of Information Services is employed</u>	<u>Information Services</u>	<u>01-00000-0-00000-77000-5802-054-2540</u>
Dana Erickson 8/14/07 Not to exceed: \$6,500	<u>To provide teambuilding and leadership activities for Administrative Retreat</u>	<u>Superintendent's Office</u>	<u>01-00000-0-00000-71500-5802-020-1200</u>
Robert Gilliam Productions, Inc. 2/13/07 to 6/30/07 Not to exceed: \$2,500	<u>To provide dance instruction at Olympic High School.</u>	<u>Edu. Foundation</u>	<u>01-90830-0-17000-10000-5802-014-4140</u>

MOTION MADE BY:

SECONDED BY:

STUDENT ADVISORY VOTE:

AYES:

NOES:

TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION ACTION/CONSENT  
09/06/07

FROM: DIANNE TALARICO / TIMOTHY R. WALKER / WILBERT YOUNG

RE: CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL - MERIT

RECOMMENDATION NO. A.11

It is recommended that the following appointments for Classified Personnel (merit system) be approved and/or ratified. All personnel will be properly elected in accordance with District policies and salary schedule.

<u>ELECTION</u>		<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>
BLACKBURN, SUZANNE GRANT ELEMENTARY	INST ASST - CLASSROOM 2 HRS/SY/RANGE: 18 STEP: A	9/4/07
BRALEY, CHRISTINA GRANT ELEMENTARY	INST ASST - CLASSROOM 2 HRS/SY/RANGE: 18 STEP: A	9/4/07
COOK JR., RAYMOND TRANSPORTATION	BUS DRIVER - HEAVY 7 HRS/10 M0/RANGE: 28 STEP: A	8/28/07
CORNELL, CONSTANCE SANTA MONICA HS	INST ASST - SPECIAL ED 6 HRS/SY/RANGE: 20 STEP: E	9/4/07
KEMNA-GONZALES, GABRIELLE PINE STREET/SP ED	INST ASST - SPECIAL ED 4.5 HRS/SY/RANGE: 20 STEP: A	9/4/07
LUBIN, DENNY WEBSTER ELEMENTARY	PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES SPEC 5.5 HRS/SY/RANGE: 26 STEP: F	9/4/07
MCCONVILLE-AWBREY, GIGI PT DUME ELEMENTARY	INST ASST - CLASSROOM 3 HRS/SY/RANGE: 18 STEP: A	9/4/07
O'NIEL, JAMES-BENJAMIN MALIBU HS	INST ASST - SPECIAL ED 6 HRS/SY/RANGE: 20 STEP: D	9/4/07

<u>TEMP/ADDITIONAL ASSIGNMENTS</u>		<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>
ANDERSON, BRUNO BARNUM HALL	CUSTODIAN I	8/9/07-8/26/07
COOPER, RAY BARNUM HALL	CAMPUS SECURITY OFFICER	8/9/07-8/26/07
HANSON, MAGGIE STUDENT SERVICES	ADMINISTRATIVE ASST	8/6/07-6/30/08
LOWE, HEATHER EDUCATIONAL SVCS	ELEMENTARY LIBRARY COORD	8/6/07-8/10/07
LOWE, HEATHER MCKINLEY ELEMENTARY	ELEMENTARY LIBRARY COORD	8/9/07-8/27/07
MANGNUM, DON BARNUM HALL	CAMPUS SECURITY OFFICER	8/9/07-8/26/07
OMARI, SALEEN BARNUM HALL	CUSTODIAN I	8/9/07-8/26/07

OYENOKI, LIZ MCKINLEY ELEMENTARY	SR OFFICE SPECIALIST	8/9/07-8/27/07
SMITH, DUNELL BARNUM HALL	CAMPUS SECURITY OFFICER	8/9/07-8/26/07
TANGUM, CATHY OLYMPIC HIGH SCHOOL	CAMPUS SECURITY OFFICER	7/1/07-6/30/08
<b><u>SUBSTITUTES</u></b>		<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
ABDALLAH, CHIHEB OPERATIONS	CUSTODIAN I	8/10/07-6/30/07
GOMEZ, JOSE OPERATIONS	CUSTODIAN I	8/10/07-6/30/07
MCGOWAN, LUCILLE OPERATIONS	CUSTODIAN I	8/10/07-6/30/07
MRAVIK, TANYA CHILD DEVELOP SVCS	OFFICE SPECIALIST	6/28/07-10/31/07
REAL, METTA SPECIAL EDUCATION	INST ASST - SPECIAL ED	9/4/07-6/20/08
VARGAS, MARIA OPERATIONS	CUSTODIAN I	8/23/07-6/30/08
<b><u>APPOINTMENT TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION</u></b>		<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
MECHUR, RALPH	BOARD MEMBER	8/1/07-12/31/08
<b><u>LEAVE OF ABSENCE (PAID)</u></b>		<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
BAKER, TERRENCE MAINTENANCE	CUSTODIAN MEDICAL	7/20/07-8/22/07
HORTON, TEHEISHA ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY	SR OFFICE SPECIALIST MEDICAL	8/28/07-10/15/07
RAMIEREZ, MARIA FOOD SERVICES	CAFETERIA WORKER I MEDICAL	9/4/07-9/28/07
<b><u>PROFESSIONAL GROWTH</u></b>		<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
ANDERSON, SALLY EDUCATIONAL SVCS	ADMINISTRATIVE ASST	12/1/05
ESCOBAR, VICTORIA FOOD SERVICES	CAFETERIA WORKER II	7/1/06
MCCARTHY, JENNIFER FISCAL SERVICES	ACCOUNTING TECH	8/1/07
VELASCO, HENRY INFORMATION SVCS	TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT ASST	8/1/07
<b><u>WORKING OUT OF CLASS</u></b>		<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
ANDERSON, MICHAEL OPERATIONS	LEAD CUSTODIAN FR: CUSTODIAN	7/2/07-8/31/07
BERRIMAN, WALLY BUSINESS SERVICES	DIRECTOR, FACILTY IMPRVMT PROJ FR: DIR, FACILITIES MAINTENANCE	7/25/07-1/15/08

GARDNER, RODNEY OPERATIONS	LEAD CUSTODIAN FR: CUSTODIAN	7/2/07-8/31/07
HYATT, VIRGINIA PURCHASING	DIRECTOR, PURCHASING/BB BOND FR: DIR., PURCHASING/WAREHOUSE	8/1/07-12/11/07
PADILLA, RAMIRO OPERATIONS/GROUNDS	EQUIPMENT OPERATOR FR: GARDNER	10/9/06-10/12/06
TIRADO, FORTINO OPERATIONS/GROUNDS	SPRINKLER REPAIR TECH FR: GARDNER	7/16/07-7/24/07

**ESTABLISHMENT OF POSITION**

	<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
INST ASST - SPECIAL ED 6 HRS/SY; JOHN ADAMS MS	9/5/07
INST ASST - SPECIAL ED 5 HRS/SY; ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY	10/3/07

**ABOLISHMENT OF POSITION**

	<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
INST ASST - SPECIAL ED 6 HRS/SY; PT DUME	9/5/07

**DISQUALIFICATION FROM PROBATION**

	<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
<del>5799-43-08 ADMINISTRATIVE ASST. SPECIAL EDUCATION</del>	<del>9/19/07</del>

**RESIGNATION**

	<b><u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u></b>
DOTY, PAUL PERSONNEL COMMISSION	8/17/07
GIROUX, MICHELLE ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY	6/22/07
GONZALEZ, MONICA CHILD DEVELOP SVCS	8/10/07
HONDA, JULIE SANTA MONICA HS	8/14/07
LOSOYA-OROZCO, IRENE EDISON ELEMENTARY	9/4/07
SALMERON, JENNY EDISON ELEMENTARY	8/22/07
SHIH, JENNIFER CHILD DEVELOP SVCS	8/30/07

MOTION MADE BY:  
 SECONDED BY:  
 STUDENT ADVISORY VOTE:  
 AYES:  
 NOES:

TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION  
FROM: DIANNE TALARICO / MICHAEL D. MATTHEWS  
RE: ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

ACTION/MAJOR  
09/06/07  
**UPDATE**

RECOMMENDATION NO. A.13

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the following administrative appointments:

**CERTIFICATED APPOINTMENTS**

**Effective**

~~Avena, Kathleen~~ 9/7/07  
~~Behavior Intervention Specialist~~

Brian Burke 8/27/07  
Teaching Principal, Community Day School

Doris Meek 9/7/07  
Multi-Site Supervisor, Child Development Services

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Correction to Administrative Appointment

~~Gardner, Melissa~~ 8/24/07  
~~Behavior Intervention Specialist~~  
(Previously approved on 8/23/07 Agenda)

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NOES:

TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION

DISCUSSION

09/06/07

FROM: DIANNE TALARICO / CHIUNG-SALLY CHOU /  
MAUREEN BRADFORD

**UPDATE**

RE: 2006-**2007** STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT DATA

DISCUSSION ITEM NO. D.02

The California Standards Tests (CSTs) measure student achievement in grade level standards. They are administered to all students in grades 2 - 11. The California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE) is given to all 10<sup>th</sup> grade students. Students must pass both the mathematics and language arts portions of this exam in order to graduate from high school. Students who do not achieve a passing score in 10<sup>th</sup> grade may continue to take the test throughout 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

Both the CSTs and CAHSEE results are used to determine the district's Academic Performance Index (API), the state's accountability piece for student achievement.

In addition, the percentage of students who are proficient on these exams is used to determine the district's Adequate Yearly Progress toward Annual Measurable Objectives (AMOs), as part of the federal accountability requirements legislated through the No Child Left Behind Act.

Achievement data from these standardized measures, as well as district formative assessments are used to help schools and central office identify program needs, prioritize professional development, and to develop data-driven school improvement plans.

Multi-year trends in districtwide student achievement on CSTs, CHASEE, API, and AYP will be reviewed.