

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
 COTATI-ROHNERT PARK UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES – FEBRUARY 27, 2020

President Brown called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM at the Mountain Shadows Educational Center, 7165 Burton Avenue, Rohnert Park, CA 94928.	Call to Order
The Pledge of Allegiance was taken.	Flag Salute
On the motion by Trustee Wiltermood and second by Trustee Gillies, Trustees voted 5-0 to approve the agenda.	Approval of Agenda
Trustees in attendance were Joe Cimino, Chrissa Gillies, Jennifer Wiltermood, Tim Nonn and Leffler Brown.	Trustees in Attendance
There was no Public Comment on agenda items.	Public Comment
The Board of Trustees Convened a Public Hearing to Receive Public Testimony Concerning Proposed Trustee Voting Area Plans Associated with the District’s Transition to a By-Trustee Area Election System.	Public Hearing
President Brown opened the Public Hearing at 6:04 PM. Assistant Superintendent Synyard read a letter from Tracy Farrell, resident of Cotati, former Trustee and a parent in the school district. The hearing was closed at 6:25 PM.	
Peter Fagen Attorney with Fagen Friedman & Fulfrost and Cory Burback, Demographer with Cooperative Strategies presented a PowerPoint Presentation.	
A discussion was had with the Board regarding the Trustee Area Map Options.	
Board President Brown called for a five-minute recess at 6:25 PM. The meeting was reconvened to Open Session at 6:35 PM.	Recess/Reconvene
CBO Robert Marical, Assistant Superintendent Julie Synyard, and Director of Student Services, Matt Marshall were present.	Cabinet In Attendance
Interim Superintendent Watenpaugh, the Board, and Cabinet had a Study Session Discussion:	Study Discussion
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continued Review and Refinement of Board Goals • Review and Prioritize Trustee Requests for Information and Reports 	
Interim Superintendent Watenpaugh introduced Consultant Jill Wagner. A Marketing Discussion was had with the Board that focused on:	

- Marketing Strategies to Maintain and Increase Student Enrollment

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:24 PM.

Adjournment

Respectfully submitted,



Jeffery Brown, Board President



Michael Watenpaugh, Secretary

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