# Minutes of the
# Regular Board of Education Meeting
# Tuesday, October 13, 2026

**1. GENERAL BOARD FUNCTIONS**

1.1 The Meeting was Called to Order by Mr. Jose J. Rodriguez, President of the Board of Education, at 6:02 p.m. on Tuesday, October 13, 2026; in the Pace Training Center at Lynn Pace Elementary School 9625 Van Ruiten, Bellflower, California.

1.2 Presentation of the Colors by the Downey High School JROTC Color Guard followed by Renewal of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America by Cadet Command Sergeant Major Noah Valdez and the Character Counts! Pledge led by Joseph Manacmul, Member of the Board of Education.

1.3 Invocation was delivered by Giovanna Perez-Saab, Member of the Board of Education.

1.4 ROLL CALL

Jose J. Rodriguez
D. Mark Morris
Tyrone Conde
Joseph Manacmul
Giovanna Perez-Saab
Linda Salomon Saldaña
Nancy A. Swenson

Roger Brossmer, Ed.D.

1.5 ADOPT Agenda for the Regular Meeting of the Board of Education held on October 13, 2026.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Giovanna Perez-Saab.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

1.6 APPROVE Official Minutes of the Regular Board of Education Meeting held September 8, 2026, as submitted or with necessary corrections.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

1.7 RECEIVE correspondence and refer it to the proper order of business or to the Superintendent for handling.

There was no correspondence to be received.

1.8 HEAR A Presentation from Dr. Anthony Zegarra, Senior Director of Business, Maintenance, Operations and Transportation, on Mariachi Diamantes' festival participation in Guadalajara, Mexico.

1.9 HEAR a Presentation from the Mary R. Stauffer Foundation recognizing the 2026 Stauffer Foundation Teacher, Principal and District Grant Awardees.

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Board members also attended a few other events around the District in the past month like Williams Elementary's Salsa Night where families showcase their salsa and students perform during the event. Mr. Manacmul shared that it was a great community event. They also attended the Save the Music event at Sussman Middle School featuring Latin Grammy nominee DannyLux. Board members shared that it was a great concert and event. Some of our Board members attended the LACOE Teacher of Year Luncheon at the Universal Hilton where Abigail Jovel, teacher at Carpenter Elementary School, was honored as Downey Unified's Teacher of the Year.

Mr. Rodriguez welcomed the Personnel Commissioners Mrs. Dianne Lumsdaine, Mrs. Angie Rademaker and Mr. John Kennedy to the meeting this evening. Mr. Rodriguez thanked the staff for their continued efforts to improve student attendance and enrollment through personal outreach and individualized support for families.

Dr. Brossmer began by thanking Dr. Robert McEntire, Dr. Anthony Zegarra, and their teams for their work in organizing the Downey vs Warren football game. He also echoed the Board members' comments regarding the collaborative spirit displayed between the two high schools and credited school leadership for intentionally promoting unity while maintaining healthy competition. Dr. Brossmer also thanked district staff for facilitating professional development activities during the most recent student-free day. Finally, Dr. Brossmer thanked the District's labor partners for their collaborative efforts during negotiations and announced that agreements reflecting the 3% salary increase for DEA and Unit II would be presented for Board approval during tonight's meeting and he is confident that a Unit I agreement will follow shortly.

Information: 1.10 HEAR Oral Communications from Members of the Board of Education and Superintendent.
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1.11 HEAR Public on items not appearing on the Agenda - Please limit your comments to no more than three (3) minutes.

A comment was heard from Kevin Welch, President of DEA thanking DUSD for working better together during bargaining negotiations with the teacher's union.

**2. CONSENT AGENDA**

2.1 Approval of Consent Agenda Item Nos. 2.1 through 2.106.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.2 RATIFY and/or APPROVE attendance and authorize payment of actual and necessary expenses, including registration fees; and AUTHORIZE payment of expenses as described herein, as provided by Board Policy and Administrative

Regulation 7310, Convention and Conference Attendance.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.3 RATIFY Individual Service Agreement for Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School Services No. 202627-24 with The Gray Academy, Los Angeles, in an amount not to exceed $77,160.00, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, charged to the General Special Education NPS Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.4 RATIFY Individual Service Agreement for Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School Services No. 202627-27 with Spectrum-Center-Rossier Park High School, Buena Park, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $62,733.42, charged to the Special Education NPS Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.5 RATIFY Individual Service Agreement for Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School Services No. 202627-28 with Spectrum-Center-Rossier Park High School, Buena Park, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $63,080.85, charged to the Special Education NPS Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.6 RATIFY Individual Service Agreement for Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School Services No. 202627-29 with Spectrum-Center-Rossier Park High School, Buena Park, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $65,217.60, charged to the Special Education NPS Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.7 RATIFY Individual Service Agreement for Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School Services No. 202627-30 with Spectrum Rossier Elementary/Middle School, Orange, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $71,669.45, charged to the Special Education NPS Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.8 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-31 with East Whittier City School District, Whittier, to provide behavioral and emotional educational services to a DUSD student, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $79,200.00, charged to the Special Education Tuition Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.9 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-32 with East Whittier City School District, Whittier, to provide behavioral and emotional educational services to a DUSD student, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $79,200.00, charged to the Special Education Tuition Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.10 RATIFY the Downey-Montebello Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) Agreement No. 202627-025 with Brea-Olinda Unified School District, to provide Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services for Special Education students, from July 1,

2026, through June 30, 2027. Brea-Olinda Unified School District shall reimburse Downey-Montebello SELPA for the cost of services requested pursuant to this agreement.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.11 RATIFY the Downey-Montebello Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) Agreement No. 202627-026 with Compton Unified School District, to provide Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services for Special Education students, from July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027. Compton Unified School District shall reimburse Downey-Montebello SELPA for the cost of services requested pursuant to this agreement.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.12 RATIFY the Downey-Montebello Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) Agreement No. 202627-034 with Little Lake City School District, to provide Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services for Special Education students, from July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027. Little Lake City School District shall reimburse Downey-Montebello SELPA for the cost of services requested pursuant to this agreement.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.13 RATIFY the Downey-Montebello Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) Agreement No. 202627-040 with Tustin Unified School District, to provide Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services for Special Education students, from July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027. Tustin Unified School District shall reimburse Downey-Montebello SELPA for the cost of services requested pursuant to this agreement.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.14 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-378 with Dennis Saller, dba RebLearn, LLC, Sunnyvale, to provide an Independent Educational Evaluation (IEE) psychoeducational evaluation for a student with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), from October 14, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $4,400.00, to be charged to the General Special Education Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.15 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-276 with Close Up Foundation, Arlington, Virginia, for DHH students to attend the Close Up Civic Education Program in Washington, D.C., from May 2, 2027 through May 7, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $23,741.50, inclusive of pre-paid deposit, charged to the SELPA DHH Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.16 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-308 with Puppies and Reptiles for Parties, LLC, Torrance, to provide therapy dogs for a sensory-inclusive Fall Festival, on October 23, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $1,200.00, charged to the General Special Education NPA Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.17 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-333 with Teni Makarian, dba Play Move Develop Therapy, Inc., Glendale, to provide educationally related physical therapy assessment and treatment consultation, from September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $14,000.00, charged to the General Special Education Health Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.

Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.18 APPROVE Settlement Agreement for OAH Case No. 2026040574, Downey Unified School District Agreement No. 202627-349.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.19 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-350 with Dynamic Education Services, Inc., Placentia, to provide reading intervention and supplemental academic support services for a student with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), from October 14, 2026 through June 30, 2028, in an amount not to exceed $10,000.00, charged to the General Special Education Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.20 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-355 with Behavior and Education, Inc., Torrance, to provide behavior intervention consultation for a student with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), from October 14, 2026 through July 31, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $16,500.00, charged to the General Special Education NPS Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.21 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-357 with Left Coast Scales, LLC, dba LCS Training, Perris, to provide consultation services, including a subscription to LCS Data Meetings, to the Downey-Montebello SELPA on an as-needed basis, from September 8, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $16,625.00, charged to the General SELPA Administrative Unit Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.22 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-392 with Dustin Grabiner, dba Hermosa Kustoms, LLC, Hermosa Beach, to do modifications to the Leap Early Childhood sensory gym, from October 14, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $1,200.00, charged to the General Special Education Early Intervention Preschool Grant Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.23 APPROVE Settlement Agreement for OAH Case No. 220260613262, Downey Unified School District Agreement No. 202627-393.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.24 RATIFY a Memorandum of Understanding, DUSD Agreement No. 202627-394, with East Whittier City School District, Whittier, to provide District Special Education students with emotional and behavioral services through their Success Through Engagement and Perseverance (STEP) program, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.25 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-400 with Behavior Emotional & Academic Mentoring, LLC, Cerritos, to provide a Independent Educational Evaluation (IEE) in the area of Occupational Therapy for a student with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), from September 29, 2026 through August 31, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $2,200.00, charged to the General Special Education Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.26 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-401 with Dynamic Education Services, Inc., Placentia, to provide 50 hours of individual compensatory services (i.e., specialized academic instruction, academic tutoring, occupational therapy, and/or speech and language services) for a student with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), from October 13, 2026 through October 31, 2028, in an amount not to exceed $8,750.00, to be charged to the General Special Education Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.27 APPROVE the Williams Lawsuit Settlement Quarterly Report on Uniform Complaints for the first quarter (July 1 through September 30) of the 2026-27 school year.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.28 RATIFY and/or APPROVE per Board Policy 6362 the Purchase Orders prepared by the Purchasing Department for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 fiscal years from July 21, 2026, through August 21, 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.29 RATIFY and/or APPROVE per Board Policy 6362 the Purchase Orders prepared by the Purchasing Department for the 2026-27 fiscal years from August 22, 2026, through September 24, 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.30 RATIFY the issuance of A Warrant Payroll Orders for Hourly, Extra Duty and Overtime, Electronic Payments and Community Services work performed by Classified, Adult School, and Food Service Personnel issued in the month of August 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.31 RATIFY the issuance of B Warrants and Electronic Fund Transfers (EFT/ACH) for Downey Unified School District, falling between Warrant Numbers 22872667 - 22907584, and EFT/ACH Numbers falling between 202607310608865 - 202608280617921 issued for payment of authorized purchases or obligations incurred by law or District policy for the period beginning August 1, 2026 and ending August 31, 2026

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.32 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-113 with Central Ford, South Gate, to provide parts and services as needed for District vehicles, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $8,000.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.33 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-185 with Amplify Education Inc. Brooklyn, New York, to provide two(2) 3-hour professional development courses for administration and instruction essentials for DUSD elementary teachers, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in the an amount not to exceed $49,659.00, charged to the LCAP Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.34 RATIFY Agreement for Architectural Services No. 202627-203 with Rand Nicholl Architecture, Yorba Linda, for the shade structure at Pace Education Center, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $20,000.00, charged to the Early Intervention Preschool Grant.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.35 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-253 with the Orange County Department of Education (OCDE), Costa Mesa, to provide staff training in Essentials of Restorative Practices, from May 20, 2026 through May 20, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $3,450.00 charged to the General LCAP Line 21 Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.36 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-254 with 10-20 Club Inc., Downey, to provide education programs to students on alcohol, drugs, and decision-making, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $85,000.00, charged to the General Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.37 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-255 with Express Environmental Corp., Canoga Park, to provide oil and waste collection services for the Transportation Department, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $6,000.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.38 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-263 with Matthew Petit Photography, LLC, Los Angeles, to provide photography services for the Downey Adult School vocational nursing graduations, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $1,000.00, charged to the Downey Adult School Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.39 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-272 with Professional Tutors of America, Brea, to provide tutoring services to students in the McKinney-Vento and Foster Youth Programs, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $150,000.00, charged to General LCAP Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.40 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-275 with Salsana LLC., Herndon, Virginia, to provide concert performances for students at Williams Elementary School, on November 16, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $3,300.00, charged to the Williams Elementary Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA) Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.41 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-300 with Pacific West Industries, Inc., Orange, for emergency HVAC services and repairs, as needed, districtwide, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in

an amount not to exceed $40,000.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.42 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-306 with Jewish Family and Children's Services of Long Beach and Orange County, Long Beach, to provide individual and group counseling services to DUSD students, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $294,134.82, charged to General LCAP Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.43 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-311, a Master Agreement, with Catering by Herach & Ara, Montebello, to provide catering services on an as-needed basis to District schools and offices, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $10,000.00.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.44 RATIFY Contract for Consultant Services related to the California Schools Storm Water Compliance Group No. C-25815:26:27 / DUSD Service Agreement No. 202627-319 with the Los Angeles County Office of Education (LACOE) and WSP USA, Inc., to provide storm water compliance consulting and technical services through the California Schools Storm Water Compliance Group, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $5,000.00 to WSP USA, Inc., and $800.00 to LACOE, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.45 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-323 with ATI HoldCo, LLC, Riverside, to provide, deliver, and install restroom doors at Warren High School, from August 21, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $8,252.54, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.46 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-324 with Innovation Painting, Inc., Ontario, to prepare and paint the kitchen interior at Unsworth Elementary School, from May 11, 2026 through August 30, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $27,595.00, charged to General Kitchen Facility Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.47 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-325 with Westside Builders Corp., Northridge, to remodel a bungalow classroom at Old River Elementary School, repair flooring in Room 25 at Ward Elementary School, install an outdoor tent at Garcia Elementary School, and install a projection screen in Room 12 at Doty Middle School, from August 21, 2026 through September 30, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $51,108.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.48 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-330 with Quality Environmental, Inc., Santa Fe Springs, to conduct asbestos abatement in a classroom at Columbus High School, from September 8, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $12,400.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried

Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.49 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-332 with Mike Brown Grandstands, Inc., Irwindale, to provide rental of eight (8) mobile bleacher units, including delivery, setup, and removal, for the Downey vs. Warren football game at Warren High School, from October 8, 2026 through October 12, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $35,280.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.50 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-334 with Century Paving, Inc., La Mirada, to perform asphalt repairs at multiple locations at Columbus High School, from August 26, 2026 through August 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $6,000.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.51 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-335 with Affordable Portables, LLC, Paramount, for the rental of six dual-sink handwashing stations at Garcia Elementary School, from August 26, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $1,000.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.52 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-336 with WestEd, Seal Beach, to continue a partnership with the Downey Unified School District Elementary Education Team by building directly on the Spring 2026 Elementary Initiatives Curriculum Review of English Language Arts and Mathematics across all 13 elementary schools, from September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $130,000.00, charged to the General Regular Education Curriculum Development Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.53 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-337 with Lopez United, Inc., Chino, to demolish and remove existing chain link fencing and install new black vinyl chain link fencing and an 8-foot double gate at Williams Elementary School, from August 25, 2026 through September 30, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $24,950.00, charged to the Deferred Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.54 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-338 with LA Signs, Inc., dba LA Signs & Banners, Downey, to provide and install lettering on each building at Warren High School, from August 28, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $8,184.80, charged to the Deferred Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.55 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-339 with IXL, LLC, San Mateo, to provide training for Rosetta Stone Engage I effective language instruction and best practices for using the curriculum and teacher tools, in an amount not to exceed $1,095.00, charged to the Title III Limited English Proficiency Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.56 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-340 with City of Downey, to provide School Resource Officer services for the Police on Campus Program at Columbus High School, from August 17, 2026 through August 15, 2027, in an amount not

to exceed $160,000.00, charged to General LCAP Line 52 Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.57 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-341 with LEGO Education, Boston, Massachusetts, to provide a professional development day on Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence (CS & AI) for elementary teachers on October 5, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $3,495.00, charged to the General Regular Education Title 11 Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.58 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-343 with Orbit Party Rentals, Santa Fe Springs, to provide rental and installation services of canopies, tables, and chairs for the Downey vs. Warren football game for the VIP section for staff and Board of Education members at Warren High School, from October 8, 2026 through October 13, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $6,202.82, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.59 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-344 with Arete Digital Imaging, dba, Carwraps.com, North Hollywood, to replace graphics for Stauffer Middle School cafeteria barriers, from September 1, 2026 through November 1, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $3,487.56, charged to the General Cafeteria Food Services Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.60 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-345 with Eric Bauer, dba Alliance Race Timing, Sacramento, to provide online registration and race management for the TLC 5K, from November 1, 2026 until April 1, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $5,000.00, charged to the General Health Services TLC Fundraising Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.61 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-346 with ATF Private Security Inc., Pasadena, to provide security services for the Downey vs. Warren football game at Warren High School, from October 9, 2026 through October 10, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $15,690.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.62 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-347 with Brennan Estimating Services, Inc., dba Brennan Fire & Security, Santa Fe Springs, to provide fire flow testing at Pace Education Center and Rio Hondo Elementary School from September 1, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $1,300.00, charged to the General Pace Construction Fund and Measure K Bond Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.63 RATIFY Agreement for Project Inspection Services No. 202627-348 with Sandy Pringle Associates, Inc., dba Pringle Group, Torrance, to provide project inspection services for the New Construction Project at Carpenter Elementary School, from September 2, 2026 through June 30, 2028, in an amount not to exceed $155,883.36, charged to the Measure K Bond Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.64 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-352 with Westside Builders Corp., Northridge, to repair and renovate water damaged bungalow at Warren High School, from September 3, 2026 through September 30, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $45,091.20, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.65 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-353 with On Premise Products Inc., dba ServeSmarts K-12 Products, El Cajon, to replace the existing serving line in the cafeteria at Alameda Elementary School, from September 3, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $89,028.84, charged to the General Cafeteria Food Services Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.66 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-358 with ProSolve, LLC, San Tan Valley, Arizona, to provide keynote speaker for Secondary Education TeachFest, from October 12, 2026 through October 14, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $8,500.00, charged to the General Secondary Education Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.67 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-359 with Pumpman Socal, Baldwin Park, to remove and replace irrigation booster pump system at Warren High School, from September 10, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $12,612.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.68 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-361 with Genesis Floor Covering, Inc., Pico Rivera, to furnish and install flooring in Room E33 at Columbus High School, from September 10, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $10,778.96, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.69 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-362 with RPM Development Group, Inc., Bellflower, to remove current non-compliant transition ramp and prepare and install new ADA compliant ramp at Gauldin Elementary School, from September 10, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $11,800.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.70 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-363 with Burke Williams Day Spa, Sherman Oaks, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from August 28, 2026 through August 27, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.71 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-364 with Skyn & Body, Montebello, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from August 26, 2026 through August 25, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.72 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-365 with Juanito El Sobador, Los Angeles, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from August 28, 2026 through August 27, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.73 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-366 with Reanna Carter Lymphatic Health Center, Whittier, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from August 31, 2026 through August 30, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.74 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-367 with Massage Envy, Apple Valley, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from August 25, 2026 through August 24, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.75 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-369 with Anaheim Medical Clinic, Anaheim, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from August 12, 2026 through July 31, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.76 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-371 with Sunny Hills Medical Center, Fullerton, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from August 26, 2026 through July 31, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.77 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-372 with Paul’s Concrete, Downey, to remove and prepare existing soil for a new concrete area at Downey High School, from September 10, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $71,900.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.78 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-374 with Innovation Painting, Inc., Ontario, to provide painting of murals, door stripes, three metal containers, two football goal posts, exterior warehouse, bollards, and lettering in multiple buildings at Warren High School, from September 11, 2026 through November 30, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $73,344.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.79 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-375 with Habit Burger Grill, Downey, to provide catering services for the Downey vs. Warren football game at Warren High School, from October 9,

2026 through October 10, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $4,792.94, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.80 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-376 with Kagan Publishing & Professional Development, San Clemente, to provide three professional development workshops for our elementary teachers, on October 12, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $44,020.00, to be charged to the Title II Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.81 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-377 with Capturing Kids' Hearts, College Station, Texas, to provide professional development recharge training on social/emotional tools for secondary teachers to support students, on January 4, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $40,600.00, charged to the General Title 11 Regular Education Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.82 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-379 with Cardenas Music, South Gate, to provide Mariachi music and performance classes to middle and high school students, from August 13, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $129,500.00, charged to the General Arts and Music Prop 28 Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.83 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-380 with David Hakham, D.D.S., et al, Whittier, to furnish practical experience and the use of office facilities in educating Allied Health students from Downey Adult School, from June 4, 2026 through June 3, 2031, at no cost to the District.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.84 RATIFY DUSD Agreement No. 202627-383 with Gasol Foundation USA, Los Angeles, to conduct the Healthy Habits for Life Intervention Study in collaboration with Downey Unified School District, YMCA LA, Kolar Family YMCA (Downey) and UCLA, that supports sustainable healthy habits among children and their families through a series of workshops. These workshops will be conducted at the following elementary locations: Garcia, Rio Hondo, Rio San Gabriel, Price and Gallatin, from August 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027, at no cost to the district.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.85 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-384 with DigiCal, Santa Fe Springs, to provide web hosting and maintenance at Downey Adult School, from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $5,400.00, to be charged to the Downey Adult School Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.86 APPROVE Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services Agreement No. 202627-386 with Yahir Torres, dba DJ Yahir Entertainment, Garden Grove, to provide photobooth service for the Downey Unified School District College Fair, on October 14, 2026, in the amount not to exceed $375.00, charged to the LCAP.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried

Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.87 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-387 with Sungold Partners, LLC, Whittier, to provide administrative professional development, mentoring and coaching, from September 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $25,000.00, charged to the Superintendent's General Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.88 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-389 with ATI HoldCo, LLC, Riverside, to provide, deliver, and install replacement framing for the restroom doors at the pool complex at Warren High School, from September 24, 2026 through November 30, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $6,447.31, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.89 RATIFY Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-390 with AweFull Learning, LLC, Mission Viejo, to provide a series of Microsoft Copilot trainings, from September 22, 2026 through June 30, 2027, in the amount not to exceed $32,000.00, charged to the General LCAP Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.90 RATIFY Agreement for Independent Consultant/Professional Services (Construction Related) No. 202627-395 with Adaptive Building Group, Inc., Covina, to conduct an intrusive asbestos and lead-based paint materials survey for modernization at the pool facility in Downey High School, from September 24, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $12,800.00, charged to the Deferred Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.91 RATIFY Agreement for Construction Services (Small Projects) No. 202627-396 with Innovation Painting, Inc., Ontario, to provide painting of interior offices at Stauffer Middle School, from September 24, 2026 through October 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed $11,991.00, charged to the General Routine Repair Maintenance Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.92 APPROVE DUSD Service Agreement No. 202627-397 with Document Tracking Services, LLC, San Diego, to provide document tracking services and Spanish translations for the School Accountability Report Cards (SARC), from November 5, 2026 through November 4, 2027, in an amount not to exceed $9,625.00, charged to the General Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.93 APPROVE Unconditional Grant Agreement No. 194410 with Kaiser Permanente to support and strengthen Downey Adult School’s healthcare career pathway programs, from October 1, 2026 through September 30, 2027; and ACCEPT grant funding in the amount of $30,000.00.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.94 RATIFY Amendment No. 4 to Agreement for Architectural Services No. 202223-624 with HPI Architecture, Newport Beach, to provide additional architectural and engineering services for the Rio San Gabriel Elementary School New Construction and Modernization Project, increasing the amount by $181,660.00 for a new total agreement amount not to exceed amount of $4,127,439.00, charged to the Measure K Bond Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.95 APPROVE Amendment No. 1 to Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-Construction Services No. 202627-020 with Greg Birchfield, Saugus, to provide CPR/First Aid training to Senior Instructional Assistants in the Special Education Department, and other Classified Employees, increasing the amount by $15,000.00, for a new total agreement amount not to exceed $35,000.00, charged to General Special Education Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.97 RENEW RFP No. 25/26-09 with Cream Co., LLC, Alameda, for the purchase of Specialty Proteins for the Food & Nutrition Services Department, from November 15, 2026 through November 14, 2027.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.98 RATIFY Change Orders No. 4-20 to Bid No. 24/25-13, Middle School Gyms HVAC Project, with GDL Best Contractors, Inc., Whittier, in the increased amount of $383,779.20, for a total agreement amount not to exceed $1,991,645.94, charged to the Developer Fees Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.100 RATIFY Letter of Agency with the School Project for Utility Rate Reduction (SPURR) authorizing the District's participation in the SPURR E-Rate Consortium for the procurement of eligible E-Rate Category Two services and equipment for Funding Years 2027 through 2031.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.101 APPROVE the declaration and sale and/or recycling of District obsolete property for September and abate the income to the General Fund or the Food Services Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.102 APPROVE the declaration and sale and/or recycling of District obsolete property for October and abate the income to the General Fund or the Food Services Fund.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.103 RATIFY Routine Personnel Items until subsequent action is taken by the Board of Education.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.104 APPROVE the establishment of a new position with duties corresponding to the current classification of Elementary Campus Assistant assigned to Gallatin Elementary School, 17.5 hours per week, 10 months per year, at range 840 ($17.342 - $21.075 per hour) on the Salary Schedule effective October 14, 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.105 APPROVE the establishment of a new position with duties corresponding to the current classification of Elementary Campus Assistant assigned to Old River Elementary School, 17.5 hours per week, 10 months per year, at range 840 ($17.342 - $21.075 per hour) on the Salary Schedule effective October 14, 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

2.106 APPROVE the establishment of a new position with duties corresponding to the classification of the Intermediate Clerical Assistant assigned to Old River Elementary School, 40 hours per week, 11 months per year, at range 115 ($3,934.00 - $4,790.00 per month) on the Salary Schedule effective October 14, 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

**3. GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES**

3.1 MOVE TO DECLARE a Public Hearing to hear the public on the matter of the appointment of Mr. John Kennedy as Personnel Commissioner for a three-year term ending December 1, 2029.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Giovanna Perez-Saab.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

3.2 MOVE TO CLOSE Public Hearing.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Giovanna Perez-Saab.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

3.3 APPOINT Mr. John Kennedy as Personnel Commissioner for a three-year term ending December 1, 2029.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

3.4 APPROVE updated Downey Unified School District Board Policies, Regulations and Bylaws.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

3.5 RECEIVE the Fourth Quarter 2025-26 Fiscal Year Results of Site Visits, Reviews and Uniform Complaint Data.

The Board of Education received the Fourth Quarter 2025-26 Fiscal Year Results of Site Visits, Reviews and Uniform Complaint Data.

3.6 Adopt Resolution No. 202627-02, in support of Character Counts! Week, October 19-23, 2026.

Motion by D Mark Morris, second by Giovanna Perez-Saab.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

3.7 APPROVE Downey Unified School District Resolution No. 202627-03 Declaring the Futility of Further Public Bidding for Middle School Gyms HVAC Project and Authorizing Change Orders with GDL Best Contractors, Inc., a California Corporation, for Additional Labor and Materials Needed to Address Design-Related Conditions and Complete the Project.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Tyrone Conde.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

**4. SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE - Instructional**

4.1 APPROVE Downey Adult School CTE Programs: Welding and Metal Fabrication Program and Advanced Manufacturing Program.

Motion by D Mark Morris, second by Giovanna Perez-Saab.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

**5. SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE - Personnel**

5.1 RATIFY the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Downey Education Association (DEA) and Downey Unified School District (DUSD) regarding a stipend for additional students placed on Resource Specialist Program (RSP) Teachers' caseloads effective August 10, 2026 through June 4, 2027.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Linda Salomon Saldana.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.2 RATIFY the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between DEA and DUSD regarding salary reclassification for additional course work/column advancement (Cultural Proficiency Certificate Program) effective August 10, 2026 through June 4, 2027.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Linda Salomon Saldana.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.3 APPROVE the Memorandum of Understanding between the Downey Unified School District and the California School Employee Association (CSEA) and its Downey Chapter 746 regarding Excess Vacation Payout Program, effective July 1, 2026.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Tyrone Conde.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.4 APPROVE the Memorandum of Understanding between the Downey Unified School District and the California School Employee Association (CSEA) and its Downey Chapter 248 regarding Excess Vacation Payout Program, effective July 1, 2026.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Giovanna Perez-Saab.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.5 APPROVE the Tentative Successor Agreement with DEA/CTA/NEA including a 3.0% ongoing salary increase for the 2026-27 school year with additional language changes and several new teacher stipends effective August 1, 2026, that will be added to all Salary Schedule rates and the Stipend Factor Rate enumerated in Appendix A of the Agreement; and REVISE all Salary Schedules/Rates Provisions for the 2026-27 school year contingent upon LACOE AB 1200 approval.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.6 APPROVE the Tentative Agreement including a 3.0% ongoing salary increase for the 2026-27 school year with additional language changes that will be added to the Salary Schedule rates, between the California School Employees Association (CSEA) and its Downey Chapter 746 and the Downey Unified School District, effective July 1, 2026.

Motion by Giovanna Perez-Saab, second by Tyrone Conde.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.7 APPROVE a 3.0% ongoing salary increase for the 2026-27 school year for Certificated Management; with changes that will be added to the Management Salary Schedule effective July 1, 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Tyrone Conde.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.8 APPROVE a 3.0% ongoing salary increase for the 2026-27 school year for Board of Education, Classified Management and Confidential employees, with additional language changes that will be added to the Management Salary Schedule rates, effective July 1, 2026.

Motion by Linda Salomon Saldana, second by Giovanna Perez-Saab.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.9 APPROVE the Assembly Bill (AB)1200 Certification: Public Disclosure of Proposed Collective Bargaining Agreements for the 2026-27 school year resulting from negotiations settled between DEA/CTA/NEA, California School Employees Association (CSEA) and its Downey Chapter 746 and the Downey Unified School District.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Tyrone Conde.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.10 APPROVE the revised Salary Schedule and Employment Contract for the Superintendent, with the 3.0% salary increase effective July 1, 2026.

Motion by Giovanna Perez-Saab, second by D Mark Morris.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.11 APPROVE the revised Salary Schedules and Employment Contracts for the Deputy Superintendent; Associate Superintendent of Business Services; Assistant Superintendent of Secondary Education and Assistant Superintendent of Certificated Human Resources, with the 3.0% salary increase effective July 1, 2026.

Motion by Nancy A Swenson, second by Linda Salomon Saldana.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

5.12 APPROVE Committee on Assignments recommendations for the 2026-27 school year.

Motion by Tyrone Conde, second by Nancy A Swenson.
Final Resolution: Motion Carried
Yea: Jose J Rodriguez, D Mark Morris, Tyrone Conde, Joseph Manacmul, Giovanna Perez-Saab, Linda Salomon Saldana, Nancy A Swenson

**6. ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDA**

**7. NEXT MEETING**

7.1 The next meeting of the Board of Education will be a Special Board Meeting to be held on Thursday, October 29, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. in the Pace Training Center at Lynn Pace Elementary School 9625 Van Ruiten, Bellflower, California.

The meeting was recessed at 7:59 p.m. and reconvened at 8:10 p.m.

**8. CLOSED SESSION**

8.1 The Board of Education retired into Closed Session at 8:11 p.m. to discuss: Public Employment - Certificated/Administration/Classified Management; Discipline/Dismissal/Release, Student Case and Negotiations and reconvened into Open Session at 8:45 p.m.

Comment was heard on a Closed Session Item from Mrs. Hismelda Macias speaking on behalf of Classified employees regarding negotiations for CSEA Unit I. Mrs. Macias shared her concerns regarding the current salary schedule structure for Unit I employees. She explained a proposal developed through negotiations which is intended to address an issue with the current salary schedule. The current proposal would include creating a 10th step on the salary schedule. This step would give a portion of members (about 20% or 125 members) a total of 7% salary increase and the remaining (approximately 80%) a 2% increase. Mrs. Macias concluded by requesting the Boards' consideration of this proposal.

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

9.1 The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education was adjourned 8:47 p.m. in memory of Elias Avants, Sebastian Burgos, Abigail Tinoco and Frederick A. Mayfield.

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| Jose J. Rodriguez, President | Tyrone Conde, Clerk |