

Irvine Unified School District
Irvine, California
Board of Education
Minutes of Special Meeting
May 14, 2002

Call to Order

The Special Meeting of the Board of Education was called to order by President Choi at 5:45 p.m., in the District Administration Center, 5050 Barranca Parkway, Irvine, CA.

Roll Call

Members Present:

Sue Kuwabara, Carolyn McInerney, Margie Wakeham, Steven Choi

Members Absent:

Karen Preston (Member Preston joined the meeting at 5:55 p.m.)

Closed Session

The Board adjourned to Closed Session at 5:47 p.m. to discuss labor negotiations. No action was taken.

Reconvene Special Meeting

President Choi reconvened the meeting at 6:45 p.m. and reported on the discussion in closed session.

Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance to the United State of America was led by Member McInerney and was followed by a moment of silence.

Roll Call

Members Present:

Sue Kuwabara, Carolyn McInerney, Karen Preston, Margie Wakeham, Steven Choi

Members Absent:

None

Staff:

Patricia Clark White, Superintendent

Lee Brooks, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent

Other Staff:

Anne Caenn

Items of Business

Board of Education Vacancy Screening

After reviewing the 13 applications submitted for the provisional appointment to fill the vacancy created by Member Preston's resignation, each Board member was asked to nominate three candidates. The votes were then tallied to determine the top candidates.

On the motion of Member McInerney, seconded by Member Wakeham and carried 3-1 (Member Choi voting "No," Member Preston abstaining), the Board selected the following four candidates to be interviewed on May 28, 2002:

Gary J. Brand
William T. Gray
Hugh Hewitt
Sharon Wallin

The Board discussed the interview process and timelines.

Adjourn to Closed Session

The Board adjourned to Closed Session at 7:09 p.m. to continue discussions regarding Labor Negotiations. No action was taken.

Adjournment

There being no further Board of Education business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Steven S. Choi
President

Patricia Clark White
Superintendent