

REDWOOD CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Redwood City, California

UNAPPROVED MINUTES

**Board of Education Regular Meeting
Wednesday, June 18, 2025**

1. Call to Order

President Wells called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Procedural: 1.1 Roll Call

Present at the Regular Board meeting: President Mike Wells, Vice President David Weekly, Trustee David Li, and Superintendent Baker

Absent at the Regular Board Meeting:

- Trustee Jennifer Ng Kwing King
- Trustee Cecilia Márquez

Others present during the Regular Board meeting: CBO Rick Edson, Deputy Superintendent Wendy Kelly, Assistant Superintendent Anna Herrera, Itzel Gloria, and others.

2. Welcome

President Wells welcomed those present.

3. Changes to the Agenda

None.

4. Approval of Agenda

The School Board approved the agenda as submitted (Li, Weekly; 3-0).

Trustee Li (Ayes)

Trustee King (Absent)

Trustee Márquez (Absent)

Vice President Weekly (Ayes)

President Wells (Ayes)

5. Oral Communication

None.

6. Approval of Bond Program Consent Items

The School Board approved the Bond Program Consent Items (Weekly, Li; 3-0), taking the following action:

Action (Consent): 6.1 Approval of Phase 2 Solar Project DSA Project Inspector Services Agreement with Pinelli & Associates, Inc.

Trustee Li (Ayes)
Trustee King (Absent)
Trustee Márquez (Absent)
Vice President Weekly (Ayes)
President Wells (Ayes)

7. Bond Program Action Items

None.

8. Public Hearing

8.1 Public Hearing – Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) for 2025-2026

President Wells opened the Public Hearing for the LCAP at 7:03 p.m.

Assistant Superintendent Anna Herrera presented to the School Board an overview of the progress of the 2024-2027 LCAP. The presentation included updates on goals, actions, and outcomes.

Public Comment:

Agustin Espino, a parent in RCSD and the ELAC President, expressed appreciation for the district's dedication to student academic success. Espino also voiced concerns about the lack of engagement among Hispanic/Latino parents in district matters, as well as the persistent achievement gap between White/Asian students and Black and Hispanic/Latino students.

President Wells closed the public hearing at 7:40 p.m.

Board Discussion:

The Board discussed the information presented on the LCAP.

Superintendent Baker asked for clarification regarding the number of students who were reclassified in the 2024-25 school year.

Superintendent Baker addressed the public comment regarding parent engagement and provided an overview of the actions being taken to increase parent engagement.

Trustee Li provided suggestions to improve the LCAP document and PowerPoint, aiming to enhance readability and overall clarity.

Trustees discussed metric targets, LTELs' progress, online school for chronic absentee students, counseling services, etc.

No action was taken. The 2025-2026 LCAP will be brought forward for adoption at the June 25, 2025, meeting.

8.2 Public Hearing: RCSD 2025/26 Proposed Budget

President Wells opened the public hearing on the RCSD 2025–2026 Proposed Budget at 8:19 p.m.

Rick Edson, Chief Business Official, presented the proposed budget for the 2025–2026 fiscal year. The presentation included projected revenues and expenditures, multi-year financial projections, and reserves. CBO Edson noted that Slide 13 requires a correction in Section G, Ending Fund Balance.

No public comments were made.

President Wells closed the public hearing at 8:39 p.m.

Board Discussion:

The Board discussed the 2025–2026 Proposed Budget. Trustees asked questions and provided feedback related to budget reductions and funding challenges.

No action was taken. The 2025–2026 Proposed Budget will be brought forward for adoption at the June 25, 2025, regular board meeting.

9. Consent Items

The School Board approved the Consent Items (Weekly, Li; 3-0), taking the following action:

Action (Consent): 9.1 Approval of the 2025–2026 Board Meeting Calendar

Action (Consent): 9.2 Approval of Amendment No. 3 between Redwood City School District and Bullseye Translation to provide additional interpretation services 2024-2025 school year

Trustee Li (Ayes)

Trustee King (Absent)

Trustee Márquez (Absent)

Vice President Weekly (Ayes)

President Wells (Ayes)

10. Action Items

Action (Consent): 10.1 Approval of the Prop 28 Expenditure Plan for the 2025-2026 School Year

No questions or comments.

The School Board approved the Prop 28 Expenditure Plan for the 2025-2026 School Year (Weekly, Li; 3-0).

Trustee Li (Ayes)

Trustee King (Absent)

Trustee Márquez (Absent)

Vice President Weekly (Ayes)

President Wells (Ayes)

11. Board and Superintendent Reports

Reports: 11.1 Report from Board Members and Superintendent

Trustee Li and Vice President Weekly had nothing to report.

President Wells reported attending the End of the School Year Staff Luncheon hosted by Superintendent Baker.

Superintendent Baker reported attending a Redwood City Together Meeting.

12. Information

None.

13. Correspondence

Vice President Weekly reported receiving correspondence regarding the Taxpayer Representative CBOC vacancy.

14. Other Business/Suggested Items For Future Agenda

None.

15. Board Meetings Calendar

Information: 15.1 Changes to the Board Meetings Calendar

None.

16. Adjournment

The School Board adjourned the meeting at 8:54 p.m. (Weekly, Li; 3-0).

Cecilia Márquez, Clerk