

RESCUE UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

AGENDA ITEM: District Mission and Vision

BACKGROUND:

A primary responsibility of the RUSD Board of Education is that of setting direction for the District. Such a vision sets the framework for District goals, expectations for student learning, policies, budget priorities and parameters for collective bargaining. In October, the Board revisited the Vision, Mission, and the Board Goals. Some of the pieces were streamlined and revised. The Board has requested time to look at our current Vision and Mission again to determine whether to keep them as they are or to revise them.

STATUS:

The Board will discuss the District's mission and vision and possible revisions.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

BOARD GOAL(S):

Board Focus Goal I – STUDENT NEEDS

- A. Student Safety and Well Being: Enhance and encourage social, emotional, ethical and civic learning by providing a safe, supportive and diverse environment.
- B. Curriculum and Instruction: Provide a meaningful, innovative learning environment using Common Core, and other student content standards and research-based, progressive, effective instructional methodology, instructional materials, staff development and technology that will ensure student success in career and college.

Board Focus Goal II – FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY:

Keep the district fiscally solvent through prudent LCAP aligned budget processes in order to meet the needs of our students.

Board Focus Goal III – COMMUNICATION/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

Establish and maintain consistent and effective communication that is transparent and timely in an effort to provide and receive information that will engage and educate our District and community.

Board Focus Goal IV – STAFF NEEDS:

Attract and retain diverse, knowledgeable, dedicated employees who are skilled and supported in their commitment to provide quality education for our students.

Board Focus Goal V – FACILITY/HOUSING:

Build, improve and maintain school facilities to meet current and future education needs while integrating the most effective and efficient use of resources.

Board Focus Goal V – CULTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

Create and promote programs that support, reward and incentivize employees to perform at exceptional levels for the benefit of our students.

RECOMMENDATION:

Board discuss the District's mission, vision and possible revisions.

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Mission and Vision
2018-2019

Mission

Rescue Union School District, in partnership with families and the community, is dedicated to the success of every student by providing a challenging, comprehensive, and quality education in a safe environment in which all individuals are respected, valued, connected, and supported.

Vision

The Rescue Union School District will be recognized by parents, educators and other school districts for students who have the ability to use problem solving and critical thinking skills to:

- Assimilate
- Evaluate
- Collaborate
- Demonstrate, and
- Communicate

Relevant new information across the curriculum, in a respectful manner through the use of contemporary and evolving approaches to facilitate learning.

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AGENDA ITEM: District Facilities – Measure K, Current Funding, and Master Facility Plan

BACKGROUND:

In 1998, Measure K was passed for \$27M for facilities and technology services in the district.

The district currently has five funds related to facilities and construction in the district. Additionally, the district uses the general fund to support maintenance of facilities.

Certificate of Deposits (COPs) have been issued in 2010 and 2017 to complete projects in the district.

STATUS/DISCUSSION:

The board has requested information on the activities related to the Measure K bond, and next steps on a master facility report. Both items will be discussed with the board as well as current facility funding and future state funding with the goal of taking next steps to create a master facility plan.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Unknown

BOARD GOAL(S):

Board Focus Goal II – FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY:

Keep the district fiscally solvent through prudent budget processes in order to meet the needs of our students.

Board Focus Goal V – FACILITY/HOUSING:

Build, improve and maintain school facilities to meet current and future education needs while integrating the most effective and efficient use of resources.

RECOMMENDATION:

None - This is a discussion item during a study session to help facilitate direction and goals on facility and district needs.