



CITY OF TEMPLE CITY AND  
TEMPLE CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

THURSDAY APRIL 29, 2021

1. CALL TO ORDER

Matt Smith called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm. via Teleconference.

2. ROLL CALL

Present- Board President Matt Smith, Board Member Donna Georgino, Superintendent Kimberly Fricker, Ed.D., Assistant Superintendent Hannah Geddy, Interim Chief Business Official Mercedes Gomez and Director of Risk Management Mari Montgomery.

Councilmember Tom Chavez, Councilmember William Man, City Manager Bryan Cook, Parks & Recreation Director Adam Matsumoto, Jillian Nunez and Administrative Assistant Iliana Flores

Absent- None

Excused- None

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JANUARY 28, 2021

Councilmember Chavez moved to approve the minutes, seconded by Councilmember Man.

4. DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. PUBLIC SAFETY-TRAFFIC AT OAK AVENUE AND TCHS

Superintendent Fricker reported that with the change in start time at Oak Avenue and Temple City High School in 2023, Temple City Unified School District (district) is exploring the idea of adding another crossing guard.

Councilmember Chavez inquired about the Legislative Bill and when it would be implemented.

B. SUPERINTENDENT'S NEWSLETTER

Superintendent publishes a District newsletter bimonthly and would like city input on events and also to share a link to the district newsletter on the city website. Councilmember Chavez asked City Manager Cook to look into connecting with district and sharing link and information. Assistant Superintendent Geddy asked how the community can subscribe to the City website. City Manager Cook will look into the possibility of community members being able to subscribe through the city website.

C. TEMPLE CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT UPDATE

In communication with City Manager Cook and teamed up with the city on the stand against hate to the AAPI community.

Thanked the city and Herald Christian Center for the being a vaccination source for district employees.

Thanked Councilmember Sternquist for the multiple donations of PPE and hand sanitizer.

Introduced new staff Assistant Superintendent Hannah Geddy, Interim Chief Business Official Mercedes Gomez and Director of Risk Management Mari Montgomery  
Launching the reopening of campuses and looking forward to fall. Following the state and local guidelines.

Summer school plans are geared towards mitigating learning loss.

Planning in person promotions and graduations.

Will begin Facility Master Plan and will be hosting input sessions.

Councilmember Chavez asked about upcoming changes to the bell schedules for the intermediate and high school.

D. CITY OF TEMPLE CITY UPDATE

Councilmember Tom Chavez announced that the Youth Committee meeting will be held next Tuesday May 4, 2021 at 3:30 and will have a webinar on Mental Health. Part of the panel will be on Youth and Mental Health, will be live on Facebook (link will be available on website).

Encourages students to apply for the City Youth Committee.

E. DISCUSSION FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

The Standing Committee agreed to hold next meeting on July 29, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There was no unfinished business

6. CLOSING COMMENTS/QUESTIONS

There were no closing comments.

7. PUBLIC COMMENTS – None

8. SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled July 29, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

9. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 5:48 p.m.

ATTEST:

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Iliana, Flores  
Administrative Assistant to the City Council and City Manager