## **National School District**

## **GOVERNING BOARD HIGHLIGHTS**

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## **Welcome New Employees**

**Ileane Malfavon**– Instructional Assistant Special Education

#### Recognitions

**Two Outgoing Trustees Recognized for Service** 

Ms. Barbara Avalos was recognized for her service as a Governing Board Member. Ms. Avalos was first elected to the Governing Board in November 2008. She served four terms, most recently serving as Board President.



Mr. Brian Clapper was recognized for his service as a Governing Board Member. Mr. Clapper was first elected to the Governing Board in November 2012. He served three terms, most recently serving as Board Clerk.





Governing Board Highlights are a summary of recognitions, presentations, discussions, and

important decisions from recent Board meetings. They differ from the meeting minutes, which give a detailed report of Board members present, approvals, vote tallies, etc. Approved meeting minutes are posted on the website along with the Board Meeting Calendar and agendas.

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#### Oath of Office

Two New Trustees Swear Oath of Office





Ms. Michelle Gates

Ms. Rocina Lizarraga

I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.

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#### **Board Elections**



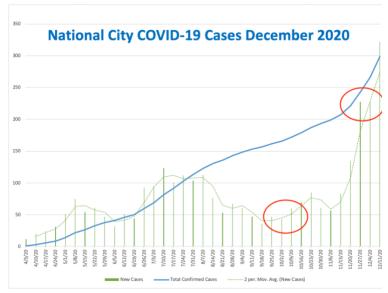
The Board voted unanimously to elect Ms. Maria Dalla as the new 2021 Governing Board President.



The Board voted unanimously to elect Ms. Maria Betancourt-Castañeda as the new 2021 Governing Board Clerk.

### **COVID-19 Updates**

Superintendent Dr. Leighangela Brady led a discussion detailing how the District is navigating the COVID-19 pandemic. Updates included in person support for distance learning, rising Coronavirus case rates in National City, and the pending start date for hybrid instruction.



Due to the continued surge in Coronavirus cases in our region, the Board has determined that the anticipated hybrid instruction start date of January 11, 2021 for is no longer feasible. A new date will be determined by the Governing Board on January 27, 2021.

#### **Presentations**

Interim Assistant Superintendent of Business Services, Dr. Lisbeth Johnson, and Director of Finance, Ms. Erina Cowart gave a presentation on National School District's First Interim Financial Report. The District received a positive certification based on an accompanying resolution #20.21-29 for budget reductions needed in subsequent years.

#### **Approved Items**

In addition to routine items of business, the Governing Board approved the following items:

LCFF BUDGET OVERVIEW FOR PARENTS

SOUTH COUNTY SPECIAL EDUCATION LOCAL PLAN AREA (SELPA) LOCAL PLAN FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR (EXHIBIT B)

AMENDMENT OF #CT3451 WITH NATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT AND RADY CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL- SAN DIEGO FOR THE PROVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES

CONTRACT #CT3738 WITH THE SAN DIEGO
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS TO LINK
THE DISTRICT'S STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM
TO THE SACRAMENTO COUNTY OFFICE OF
EDUCATION FOSTER FOCUS DATA SYSTEM

CONTRACT #CT3786 WITH MIRIAM NENNINGER ENTERPRISES TO PROVIDE PARENT WORKSHOPS FOR NATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT FAMILIES

Next Governing Board Meeting January 27, 2021

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