



# SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item# 12.1h

**Meeting Date:** May 2, 2024

**Subject:** Approve Resolution No. 3407: Resolution Regarding Board Stipends

- Information Item Only
- Approval on Consent Agenda
- Conference (for discussion only)
- Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: \_\_\_\_\_)
- Conference/Action
- Action
- Public Hearing

**Division:** Board of Education

**Recommendation:** Approve Resolution No. 3407: Resolution Regarding Board Stipends.

**Background/Rationale:** Education Code section 35120 fails to define hardship which has led to uncertainty regarding payment of stipends for Board members who may be deserving of payment due to absence resulting from hardship or other duties such as jury duty or performing duties or services for the District at the time of a Board meeting. All stipend payments will be based on an attendance sign-in sheet as well as any Board resolution(s) excusing absences in compliance with law. A Board member who is absent from a meeting may be eligible for payment by reporting the excused absence to the Board Office. A Board resolution will be periodically placed, as needed, on the Board agenda to state that the reason for the absence complies with Education Code section 35120 and shall be reflected in the minutes.

**Financial Considerations:** None

**LCAP Goal(s):** Family and Community Empowerment

**Documents Attached:**

1. Resolution No. 3407: Resolution Regarding Board Stipends

<p><b>Estimated Time of Presentation:</b> N/A <b>Submitted by:</b> Lavinia Grace Phillips, Board President <b>Approved by:</b> Lisa Allen, Interim Superintendent</p>
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**SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**RESOLUTION NO. 3407**

**RESOLUTION REGARDING BOARD STIPENDS**

**WHEREAS**, Education Code section 35120 and Board Bylaw 9250 of the Sacramento City Unified School District (“District”) authorize Board members to be paid stipends for meetings they were unable to attend due to illness, hardship or other duties such as jury duty or performing duties or services for the District at the time of a Board meeting; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board finds that the Board members may be paid, or retain, stipends for meetings they were unable to attend as stated in Attachment A.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education which finds and determines as follows:

1. Adopts the foregoing recitals as true and correct;
2. Authorizes stipends for meetings the Board members were unable to attend pursuant to Attachment A; and
3. Incorporates herein by reference Attachment A.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education on this 2nd day of May, 2024, by the following vote:

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_  
NOES: \_\_\_\_\_  
ABSTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_  
ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTESTED TO:

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Lisa Allen  
Secretary of the Board of Education

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Lavinia Grace Phillips  
President of the Board of Education

**ATTACHMENT A**

**RESOLUTION NO. 3407**

1. Absence Due to Other Duties: Stipends are authorized to the following Board member(s) due to work related obligation which is deemed acceptable by the Board:
  - a. Board member Lavinia Phillips for the Regular Board meeting on April 18, 2024.