



CARMEL USD BOARD BRIEFS

SPOTLIGHTING INFORMATION FROM AND ACTIONS OF
THE CARMEL UNIFIED BOARD OF EDUCATION

Meeting of June 8, 2022

Consent Items - Board unanimously approved the Consent Calendar Items (5,0)

- **The Board approved the modified 2022-23 school year calendar:** The calendar was modified by recommendation of the Calendar Committee to adjust two dates - moved the staff development day from Friday, August 12, 2022 to Friday, August 19, 2022, to accommodate car week; and moved the staff development day from Friday, September 16, 2022 to Friday, September 9, 2022, to accommodate CHS homecoming activities. The updated calendar can be found on our [calendar webpage](#).

Action/Discussion/Information Items

- **The Board conducted a public hearing on the 2022-23 Update to the 2021-2024 Local Control Accountability Plan:** The Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) is a state-required three-year plan that describes the goals, actions, services, and expenditures to support positive student outcomes that address state and local priorities. A key part of the LCAP is describing how the district is using targeted funds to meet the needs of English Learners, Foster Youth, Homeless Youth, and Low-Income students. A [presentation](#) reviewed the plan, which was developed and evaluated through input and feedback from educational partners consisting of parents, students, staff, and community members.
- **The Board conducted a public hearing on the 2022-2023 fiscal year proposed budget:** School districts are required to adopt their budgets prior to July 1 of each fiscal year for the next fiscal year. The [presentation](#) given was an overview of the District's [budget](#) which reflects the education programs of the District expressed in terms of the allocation of financial resources. The General Fund Adopted Budget includes anticipated revenues and the distribution of those revenues among educational programs and support services.
- **The Board conducted a public hearing to gather pre-map input on trustee areas:** Board members are currently elected in "at-large" elections, where each member is elected by voters throughout the District. The California Voting Rights Act (CVRA) prohibits the use of "at-large" elections in certain circumstances. "By-trustee-area" elections, in which members are elected by voters in geographical subdivisions of the jurisdiction, are immune from challenge under the CVRA and may provide additional opportunities for candidates from across a jurisdiction to seek election. The Board has adopted a resolution indicating its intent to transition from at-large to by-trustee area elections. Additionally, at its May 25, 2022 meeting, the Board directed staff to retain Lapkoff & Gobalet Demographic Research, Inc. to assist it in the transition process. To begin this process, the law requires the Board to hold at least two "pre-map" public hearings prior to the development of any maps. Tonight, the Board held its first pre-map public hearing. During this hearing, the Board [received information](#) from the District's demographer about the planned process and timeline to develop trustee area boundary maps. The Board will hold its second pre-map public hearing at the June 22, 2022 Board meeting. This will be followed by the first hearings on draft trustee area maps beginning in August 2022. For more information about this process and future hearings, visit [our districting webpage](#).

***The next Meeting of the Carmel Unified Board of Education will be held on
Wednesday, June 22, 2022, at Carmel Middle School Library at 5 p.m.***