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**BEFORE THE FRESNO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION  
AND THE FRESNO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS  
FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA**

In the Matter of Support for State School  
Facility Program Participation

Resolution No. 2025 -23 (FCBE)  
Resolution No. 2025 -38 (FCSS)

WHEREAS, Education Code established multiple programs to be administered by the Department of General Services (DGS) as staff to the State Allocation Board (SAB); and

WHEREAS, the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools (County Superintendent) intends to file applications for eligibility determination, file applications for funding, and/or certify information under one or more SAB-Administered Program(s) as provided in Section 17070.10, et seq., of the Education Code commonly referred to as the School Facility Program (SFP); and

WHEREAS, a condition of processing the various applications under the SAB and DGS administered programs is a resolution in support of those applications from the Fresno County Board of Education (County Board); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Education Code Section 101460(b)(1)(A), prior to approving a project or projects seeking funds from the SAB, the County Board shall hold at least one public hearing to solicit input from members of the public regarding the project or projects being proposed for submission; and

WHEREAS, the SAB and DGS require a county office of education's board of trustees to authorize specific individuals to sign and submit information on behalf of a county office of education; and

WHEREAS, the County Board and County Superintendent understand that the signing and submittal of forms on behalf of the county office of education commits the county office of education to comply with program requirements.

WHEREAS, the County Board and County Superintendent are aware that all application submittals on or after October 31, 2024, are subject to Section 17070.54 of the Education Code; and

WHEREAS, the County Board and County Superintendent are aware of the minimum requirements for the five-year school facilities master plan as outlined in Section 17070.54 of the Education Code.

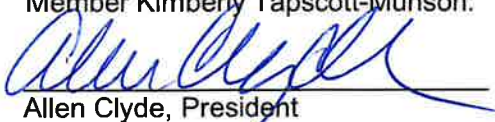
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Education and the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools hereby adopt this resolution in support of filing necessary applications under programs administered by the SAB and DGS as follows:

1. The County Board authorizes the individuals identified below to physically sign all documents and papers or submit documents via OPSC Online that are associated with SAB-Administered Program(s):
  - Dr. Michele Cantwell-Copher, Fresno County Superintendent of Schools
  - Kevin Otto, Deputy Superintendent, Business Services
  - Jeffrey D. Becker, Executive Director, Facilities & Operations


2. The County Board has held a public hearing to solicit input from members of the public regarding modernization and new construction projects at the following sites being proposed for submission to the state for funding:
  - Beth Ramacher School
  - Monte Vista School
  - Sutherland School
  - Violet Heintz Education Academy
  - Kermit Koontz Education Complex
  - Integrated classroom sites operated by the FCSS Special Education program
3. As a condition of participating in the SFP, as administered by the SAB, the County Superintendent shall submit to the DGS a five-year school facilities master plan, or updated five-year school facilities master plan, approved by the County Board for all application submittals on or after October 31, 2024.
4. The County Superintendent, as a condition of SFP participation, shall submit the required five-year school facilities master plan within 90 days of the Office of Public-School Construction notification of processing the application.
5. The County Board and County Superintendent acknowledge that failure to submit an acceptable five-year school facilities master plan may result in rescission of project funding.

This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education at its meeting on July 17, 2025, by the following votes:

President Allen Clyde:	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vice President Marcy Masumoto:	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent	<input type="checkbox"/>
Member Bryan Burton:	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent	<input type="checkbox"/>
Member Itzi Robles:	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent	<input type="checkbox"/>
Member Kimberly Tapscott-Munson:	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain	<input type="checkbox"/>	Absent	<input type="checkbox"/>

  
Allen Clyde, President

This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools as of the date immediately stated below as evident by her signature hereunder:

  
Dr. Michele Cantwell-Copher, Superintendent

Date: 7/17/25

CERTIFICATION

I am the Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the Fresno County Board of Education and hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the full, true, and correct resolution duly passed and adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education on the date stated above.

By:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Dr. Michele Cantwell-Copher  
Fresno County Superintendent of Schools  
Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the  
Fresno County Board of Education

Date: 7/17/25