



Governing Board Agenda Item

Meeting Date: May 14, 2026

From: Nayadin Persaud, Gladden Farms Elementary School Principal

Subject: Out-of-State Travel

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion

Background:

I would like to request permission for Elizabeth DeWeerd, Instructional Coach, and myself to travel to Orlando, Florida, to attend the National Association of Elementary School Principals Conference from July 12 - 15, 2026.

Gladden Farms Elementary School was recently recognized as a Gold Star School by the National Association of Elementary School Principals (NAESP), a prestigious national honor recognizing exemplary leadership and strong student outcomes. As part of this recognition, our school received an invitation to attend the conference with NAESP covering the registration fees in full.

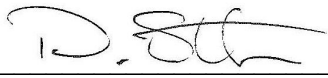
The estimated costs related to attending the National Association of Elementary School Principals Conference are listed below:

Expense	Cost	Funding Source
Registration	\$ -	
Hotel	\$ 1,750.00	M&O
Airfare	\$ 912.00	M&O
Meals	\$ 490.00	M&O
Substitute	\$ -	
Other: shuttle, parking, taxi, etc.	\$ 150.00	M&O
Vehicle Rental	\$ -	

District Vehicle – Fuel Estimate	\$ –	
Personal Vehicle – Mileage Reimbursement	\$ 79.28	M&O
Total	\$ 3,381.28	

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Nayadin Persaud, Gladden Farms Elementary School Principal, and Elizabeth DeWeerd, Instructional Coach, to travel to Orlando, Florida to attend the National Association of Elementary School Principals Conference from July 12 - 15, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
 Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Nayadin Persaud, Gladden Farms Elementary School Principal
 Phone: (520) 682-4757*



Governing Board Agenda Item

Meeting Date: May 14, 2026

From: Dr. Dondi Luce, Twin Peaks K-8 School Principal

Subject: Out-of-State Travel

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion


Background:

I would like to request permission for myself, up to three additional certified staff (to be determined), and up to 40 seventh grade students to travel to Toyon Bay, Catalina Island, California to attend the Catalina Island Marine Institute on March 28 - 31, 2027.

The purpose of this trip is to engage students in understanding and applying scientific concepts pertaining to, but not limited to, the idea that living things are alike, yet different, structures in living things are related to their function and that living things react to their environment. Students, through hands-on experiences, will develop a clear hypothesis as they investigate cell function and the cellular process and how it relates to the world and them.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Dr. Dondi Luce, Twin Peaks K-8 School Principal, up to three additional certified staff (to be determined), and up to 40 seventh grade students to travel to Toyon Bay, Catalina Island, California to attend the Catalina Island Marine Institute on March 28 - 31, 2027.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Dr. Dondi Luce, Twin Peaks K-8 School Principal
Phone: (520) 579-4750*



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Meeting Date: May 14, 2026
From: Kristin Reidy, Assistant Superintendent
Subject: Out-of-State Travel
Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics
Consent Action Discussion


Background:

I would like to request permission for Sabrina Dominguez, Melissa Joliat, Regan Oney, Jackie Shope, and Megan Hawkes, certified staff members, up to 12 additional certified staff chaperones, and up to 140 eighth grade students from Dove Mountain CSTEM K-8 School, Twin Peaks K-8 School, Marana Middle School, Tangerine Farms K-8 School, and Tortolita Middle School to travel to Washington D.C. to attend the World Strides Program on May 5-8, 2027.

The purpose of the trip is more than a trip about history. It is designed to enhance the student’s knowledge of their Social Studies curriculum. On this once-in-a-lifetime adventure, students will explore some of our nation’s most important historical sites while experiencing incomparable learning moments. Participants will gain a deeper understanding of our nation’s history; how decisions have shaped our country as they discover the American story.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Sabrina Dominguez, Melissa Joliat, Regan Oney, Jackie Shope, and Megan Hawkes, certified staff members, up to 12 additional certified staff chaperones, and up to 140 eighth grade students from Dove Mountain CSTEM K-8 School, Twin Peaks K-8 School, Marana Middle School, Tangerine Farms K-8 School, and Tortolita Middle School to travel to Washington D.C. to attend the World Strides Program on May 5-8, 2027.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

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Phone: (520) 682-4757*



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Meeting Date: May 14, 2026

From: Caitlin Kauffman, Marana High School Principal

Subject: Out-of-State Travel

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion


Background:

I would like to request permission for Christopher Citro, club sponsor, and the Marana High School Skills USA Auto Club Students to travel to Las Vegas, Nevada to attend the Specialty Equipment Market Association (SEMA) Education Days on November 2 - 6, 2026.

Students and instructors will attend daily automotive seminars and networking events. Students will have the opportunity to apply for the SEMA Scholarship program, attend a career fair, and attend round table discussions with industry leaders and CEOs.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Christopher Citro, club sponsor, and the Marana High School Skills USA Auto Club Students to travel to Las Vegas, Nevada to attend the Specialty Equipment Market Association Education Days on November 2 - 6, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Caitlyn Kauffman, Marana High School Principal
Phone: (520) 616-6400*



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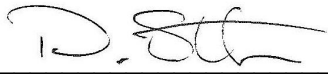
Background:

I would like to request permission for Zoie Sentz and Denisse Enriquez, chapter sponsors, Michael Abrigo, Marana High School Resource Officer and coach, and the Marana High School Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) student leaders to travel to Anaheim, California to attend the FCCLA Fall Leadership Institute on November 12 - 15, 2026.

The FCCLA Fall Leadership Institute aligns directly with Career and Technical Education and Family and Consumer Sciences coursework, providing students with real-world leadership training and career exploration opportunities with one of the world's most recognized brands. Through expert-led workshops, students will strengthen leadership, problem-solving, and communication skills, while gaining behind-the-scenes insights into careers in business, hospitality, media, engineering, education, and more. Students will apply classroom learning in interactive sessions on teamwork, storytelling, and innovation.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Zoie Sentz and Denisse Enriquez, chapter sponsors, Michael Abrigo, Marana High School Resource Officer and coach, and the Marana High School Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) student leaders to travel to Anaheim, California to attend the FCCLA Fall Leadership Institute on November 12-15, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

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From: Caitlin Kauffman, Marana High School Principal

Subject: Out-of-State Travel

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion


Background:

I would like to request permission for Alyssa Perez and Camron Dozier, Marana High School (MHS) coaches, and the MHS Girl’s Basketball Team to travel to San Diego, California to attend the University of San Diego Team Camp on June 25 - 27, 2026.

This event is a great opportunity for student-athletes to develop their skills on and off the court. Players will learn team work, team bonding, and gain the experience of working with the University of San Diego student athletes.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Alyssa Perez and Camron Dozier, Marana High School (MHS) coaches, and the MHS Girl’s Basketball Team to travel to San Diego, California to attend the University of San Diego (USD) Team Camp on June 25 - 27, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Caitlyn Kauffman, Marana High School Principal
Phone: (520) 616-6400*



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From: Caitlin Kauffman, Marana High School Principal

Subject: Out-of-State Travel

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion


Background:

I would like to request permission for Alexa Balderas, Marana High School (MHS) head coach, two assistant coaches, and the MHS Women's Volleyball Team to travel to Las Vegas, Nevada to attend the Las Vegas Classic Volleyball Tournament on August 27 - 30, 2026.

This event is an opportunity for our student athletes to compete against teams from other regions, improving their skills, and building a stronger team.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Alexa Balderas, Marana High School (MHS) head coach, two assistant coaches, and the MHS Women's Volleyball Team to travel to Las Vegas, Nevada to attend the Las Vegas Classic Volleyball Tournament on August 27 - 30, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Caitlyn Kauffman, Marana High School Principal
Phone: (520) 616-6400*



Governing Board Agenda Item

Meeting Date: May 14, 2026

From: Delia McCraley, Mountain View High School Principal

Subject: Out-of-State Travel

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion

Background:

I would like to request permission for five Mountain View High School students to travel to Washington, D.C. to attend the Civics Matters Arizona trip on June 3-6, 2026.


The Civics Matters Trip is a four-day, all-expenses-paid annual Washington, D.C. trip for Arizona high school students, hosted by the Arizona Cardinals and partners, which aims to foster civic engagement. This is a student-only delegation. School staff do not travel with the group. Students are selected through a statewide Leadership Challenge and represent their schools as official Civics Matters delegates. All selected students travel together as one Arizona delegation and are supervised the entire time by professional chaperones provided by the Close Up Foundation, a nationally recognized organization with decades of experience leading student programs in Washington, D.C.

The purpose of the trip is to empower students to become active citizens, understand democracy, and earn credits towards the Arizona Seal of Civics Literacy. Delegates meet peers from across Arizona, explore historic landmarks, engage directly with civic institutions, and participate in hands-on workshops that deepen their understanding of government, leadership, and civic responsibility. The experience is designed to move learning beyond the classroom and help students see themselves as active participants in democracy.

The trip takes place outside of the regular school year, and there is no cost to students, families, or schools.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for five Mountain View High School students to travel to Washington, D.C. to attend the Civics Matters Arizona trip on June 3-6, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Delia McCraley, Mountain View High School Principal
Phone: (520) 579-4400*



Governing Board Agenda Item

Meeting Date: May 14, 2026

From: Ben Rorem, Marana Middle School Principal

Subject: Out-of-State Travel - Date Change

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion

Background:

On August 14, 2025, the Governing Board approved the following request to attend the Catalina Island Marine Institute with the travel dates of February 15-20, 2026. However, due to inclement weather, the travel dates were changed to November 9-13, 2026. Parents were given the option to have their child attend the trip in November or receive reimbursement for non-tax credit payments.


I would like to request permission for Marana Middle School certified staff Ivy Sweeney, Regan Oney, Michael Hall, Susin Hall, and Mari Silva, three additional administrative/certified staff (to be determined), and 44 Marana Middle School students to travel to Catalina Island, California to attend the Catalina Island Marine Institute on February 15-20, 2026.

The purpose of this trip is to engage students in understanding and applying scientific concepts pertaining to, but not limited to, the idea that living things are alike, yet different, structures in living things are related to their function and that living things react to their environment. Students, through hands-on experiences, will develop a clear hypothesis as they investigate cell function and the cellular process and how it relates to the world and them.

Students will be attending the Marine Institute program, at Toyon Bay, which includes a series of activities including snorkeling, island labs, and ocean kayaking. Students will embark on a scientific adventure that will not only teach marine science and island ecology, but also stimulate curiosity for nature and science.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve the revised out-of-state travel dates of November 9-13, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Ben Rorem, Marana High School Principal
Phone: (520) 614-8835*



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From: Kristin Reidy, Assistant Superintendent

Subject: Out-of-State Travel

Priority: To provide rigorous, relevant, and innovative academics

Consent Action Discussion

Background:

I would like to request permission to travel to Las Vegas, Nevada to attend the Teach for America 35th Anniversary Summit on October 2-3, 2026 with travel to begin on October 1, 2026.

At this Summit, thousands of Teach For America alumni, educators, leaders, and partners will gather to celebrate their shared legacy and the opportunity to shape what comes next. As a 1999 Teach for America alum, I will be able to engage in the following educational leadership activities at this learning event:

- Connect and celebrate across generations, communities, and sectors.
- Learn from innovative thinkers in and outside of K-12 education.
- Affirm and explore purpose with immersive experiences and conversations.
- Embrace the Teach for America mission, direction, and vision for the future.
- Commit to meaningful actions to drive lasting impact in every community.

The estimated costs related to attending the Teach for America 35th Anniversary Summit are listed below:

Expense	Cost	Funding Source
Registration	\$ 100.00	M&O
Hotel	\$ 600.00	M&O
Airfare	\$ 400.00	M&O
Meals	\$ 275.00	M&O

Substitute	\$ 0	–
Other: shuttle, parking, taxi, etc.	\$ 100.00	M&O
Vehicle Rental	\$ 0	–
District Vehicle – Fuel Estimate	\$ 0	–
Personal Vehicle – Mileage Reimbursement	\$ 0	–
Total	\$ 1,475.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Kristin Reidy, Assistant Superintendent, to travel to Las Vegas, Nevada to attend the Teach for America 35th Anniversary Summit on October 2-3, 2026 with travel to begin on October 1, 2026.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board:



Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Kristin Reidy, Assistant Superintendent
Phone: (520) 682-4757*



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Consent Action Discussion

Background:

I would like to request permission to travel to Alexandria, Virginia on July 6-8, 2026 (travel to start on July 5, 2026); Houston, Texas on October 20-22, 2026 (travel to start on October 19, 2026); and Atlanta, Georgia on February 23-25, 2027 (travel to start on February 22, 2027), to participate in the AASA Aspiring Superintendents Academy.

The AASA Aspiring Superintendents Academy will demystify the role of school superintendent and provide a blueprint for success in key areas. Through real-world, situational leadership tasks, participants will work collaboratively to prepare themselves to become the future leaders of school districts across the country. Aside from the experiential learning and growth, participants will gain from their involvement by expanding their professional networks and interacting with a variety of highly experienced and successful superintendents.

This is an immersive program crafted to prepare district leaders for the multifaceted challenges of leading a student-centered, future-driven district. Through a blend of hands-on learning and forward-thinking strategies, participants will build the skills, confidence, and network to thrive. This academy covers a wide range of essential topics, providing members with a deep understanding of the leadership role of a successful superintendent.

The AASA Aspiring Superintendents Academy Core Curriculum Areas Include:

- Framing the Superintendency
- 3C's of Leadership: Culture, Community, and Communications
- Leading Systems of Learning
- Balancing Leadership
- Governance and the Superintendency

The estimated costs related to attending the AASA Aspiring Superintendents Academy are listed below:

Expense	Cost	Funding Source
Registration	\$ 4,500.00	M&O
Hotel	\$ 2,700.00	M&O
Airfare	\$ 1,800.00	M&O
Meals	\$ 800.00	M&O
Substitute	\$ —	—
Other: shuttle, parking, taxi, etc.	\$ 400.00	M&O
Vehicle Rental	\$ —	—
District Vehicle – Fuel Estimate	\$ —	—
Personal Vehicle – Mileage Reimbursement	\$ —	—
Total	\$ 10,200.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Kristin Reidy to travel to Alexandria, Virginia on July 6-8, 2026 (travel to start on July 5, 2026); Houston, Texas on October 20-22, 2026 (travel to start on October 19, 2026); and Atlanta, Georgia, on February 23-25, 2027 (travel to start on February 22, 2027), to participate in the AASA Aspiring Superintendents Academy.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board:


 Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

*Questions should be directed to: Kristin Reidy, Assistant Superintendent
 Phone: (520) 682-4757*



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From: Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

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Consent Action Discussion

Background:

I would like to request permission to attend AASA's July Governing Board Meeting and the 2026 Legislative Advocacy Conference July 7-9, 2026 in Washington D.C. Travel will commence on July 6, 2026.

School system leaders and school business officials are critical leaders when it comes to federal education policy discussions. The Legislative Advocacy Conference, presented by AASA and ASBO International, is my opportunity to learn, share, and represent our District.

Over the course of three days, I will hear from education policy experts, key U.S. Department of Education staff, and meet with our Senators and Representatives on Capitol Hill.


AASA and ASBO International's advocacy teams will be on-hand to brief me on key priorities and pending legislation, and to help prepare me to meet effectively with our representatives.

As an AASA Governing Board member, all expenses will be paid by AASA.

There is no cost to the District.

Recommended Motion:

I move that the Governing Board approve out-of-state travel for Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent, to attend AASA's July Governing Board Meeting and the 2026 Legislative Advocacy Conference July 7-9, 2026 in Washington D.C.

Approved for transmittal to the Governing Board: 
Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent

Questions should be directed to: Dr. Daniel Streeter, Superintendent
Phone: (520) 682-4774