



SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

November 10, 2025

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OR DESIGNEE TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE CONTRACT RENEWALS OR NEW CONTRACTS FOR ELECTRICITY AND GAS SUPPLY

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Delegate authority to the Superintendent or designee to negotiate and execute contract renewals or new contracts for electricity and gas supply.

RATIONALE: Because of the fluctuating and volatile pricing of electricity and gas utilities, which rates are typically valid solely for a day or possibly hours, the District is seeking the Board's approval to delegate authority to the Superintendent, or designee, to renew the current electricity and gas contracts for periods following the current contracts' expirations or execute a new electricity and gas contracts through the issuance of a new request for proposals (RFP)s for both services. This will allow the District to take advantage of low pricing in continually volatile energy markets, without any delay (and price changes) that would result in waiting until too late to commence the approval process.

BUDGET PROVISIONS/ACTION REQUIRED: 2025-2026 Budget

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