

# BEAVERTON SCHOOL DISTRICT School Board Work Session District Office, 1260 NW Waterhouse Ave. Tuesday, February 11, 2025

## **MEETING MINUTES – BOARD WORK SESSION FEBRUARY 11, 2025**

**Board Members Absent:** 

#### **Board Members Present:**

Dr. Karen Pérez, Chair Justice Rajee, Vice Chair Susan Greenberg Dr. Melissa Potter Sunita Garg Ugonna Enyinnaya Dr. Tammy Carpenter

### Staff Present:

Dr. Gustavo Balderas Dr. Heather Cordie Michael Schofield Casey Waletich Kerry Delf Steve Langford Susan Rodriguez Shellie Bailey-Shah Camellia Osterink Dr. Shelly Reggiani Lori Krumm Rachel Jury Shirley Valladares Justin Waltrip Anya Kwasnik Carrie Scott Sarah Weiland

Superintendent Deputy Superintendent for Teaching & Learning Associate Superintendent for Business Services Associate Superintendent for Operations & Support Services Chief of Staff Chief Information Officer **Chief Human Resources Officer** Public Communications Officer **General Counsel Executive Administrator for Equity & Inclusion Executive Administrator for Student Services Special Education Assistant Administrator** Special Education Assistant Administrator Special Education Assistant Administrator School Psychologist Learning Specialist Board Secretary & Executive Assistant

The meeting was open to the public to attend in person or via livestream on YouTube.

#### I. OPEN MEETING

Board Chair Karen Pérez called the work session to order at 6:03 p.m. She noted that all seven board members were present.

## **II. SUPERINTENDENT'S MID-YEAR REPORT**

The superintendent presented a mid-year update focused on work underway and progress attained to meet established goals aligned with the district's strategic plan. Key areas of progress include the successful implementation of universal screeners across the district, adoption and implementation of new K–5 language arts curriculum based on the science of reading and ongoing work toward curriculum adoption for grades 6–12, expansion of dual language learning programs including the addition of a new

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Mandarin Chinese immersion program, continued expansion of preschool programs, growth in career technical education opportunities, growing diversity of the district's workforce, progressing work to replace the district's enterprise resource planning (ERP) system, community engagement to identify vision and values to inform long-range facilities planning, on-time/on-budget progress on bond-funded construction projects to replace Raleigh Hills Elementary and Beaverton High School and improve other school facilities, and more.

## **III. SPECIAL EDUCATION REFERRAL & EVALUATION PROCESS**

Staff presented an overview of the special education referral process and timelines. The process is established to ensure equitable identification of students who may have a disability and require specially designed instruction. It is a systematic approach involving multiple stages, including pre-referral intervention, in which general education teams implement evidence-based interventions using a multi-tiered system of supports (MTSS) and monitor progress to determine effectiveness; referral, if data shows limited progress after targeted interventions; evaluation, which includes observations, standardized assessments, and input from educators and families; and eligibility determination, in which the team determines whether the student qualifies for special education services based on evaluation data.

## **IV. CLOSE MEETING**

Chair Pérez adjourned the work session at 7:03 p.m.