

Board Highlights - September 12, 2017

At its meeting on Tuesday, the Board of Trustees heard a status report on the Measure D Bond projects underway in the district. Construction at Kent is now concentrating on the administrative complex at the front of campus, and the music classroom toward the east side. Modernization of classrooms that was scheduled for the summer has all been completed. Architectural plans for Bacich's projects are being submitted to the state architect for review in the next few weeks.

Preparations are nearly complete for a survey of the community about our Parcel Tax. Godbe Research will be contacting as many voters in our school district as possible in the next few weeks via phone, email, and text. If you are contacted for your opinions, we would greatly appreciate it if you took the time to offer them. At its October meeting, the Board will get a report on the results of the survey and recommendations from our consultant Charles Heath of TBWB on next steps. This meeting is open to the public and all are welcome.

Our Local Control and Accountability Plan has received final approval and we have a much more easily digestible version of it for your review. Take a [look here](#) at what is driving our work this year and where you can be of assistance.

While the rest of us were off enjoying our summer, the district's facilities and maintenance staff was harder at work than ever. The Board honored Facilities Director Paul Miller and his crew - Kris Kuivenhoven, Jesus Zamorano, Jimmy Roque, Carlos Hernandez, Jose Quintanilla, and Medhanie Gebremichael for exhibiting characteristic grace and good humor while maneuvering around construction chaos, summer camps, and a million other demands.