

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES
Governing Board of the Los Angeles Unified School District

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION COMMITTEE

4:00 p.m., Thursday, January 25, 2024

333 South Beaudry Avenue, Board Room, Los Angeles, CA 90017

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AGENDA

I. Welcome and Opening Remarks Jackie Goldberg
Chairperson

II. Presentations

1. Introductions Dr. Frances Baez
Chief Academic Officer, Division of Instruction

2. Culturally Relevant and Responsive Pedagogy:
Implications for Instruction Lydia Acosta Stephens
Executive Director, Multilingual and Multicultural Education Department

Elizabeth Pratt
Administrator, Access, Equity, & Acceleration

Javier San Roman
Interim Administrative Coordinator, Academic English Mastery Program

Karmin Mendoza Hidalgo
Coordinator, Title VI American Indian and Indigenous Education

Natalia Searchwell
Specialist, Academic English Mastery Program

Micaela Mesino
Specialist, Academic English Mastery Program

3. Voices from Our School Communities..... Gregory Hooker
Principal, James A. Foshay Learning Center

Gabriela Rodriguez
Principal, Heliotrope Avenue Elementary

Esperanza Figueroa
Parent Representative, Heliotrope Avenue Elementary

III. Closing Remarks

IV. Public Comment

V. Adjournment

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