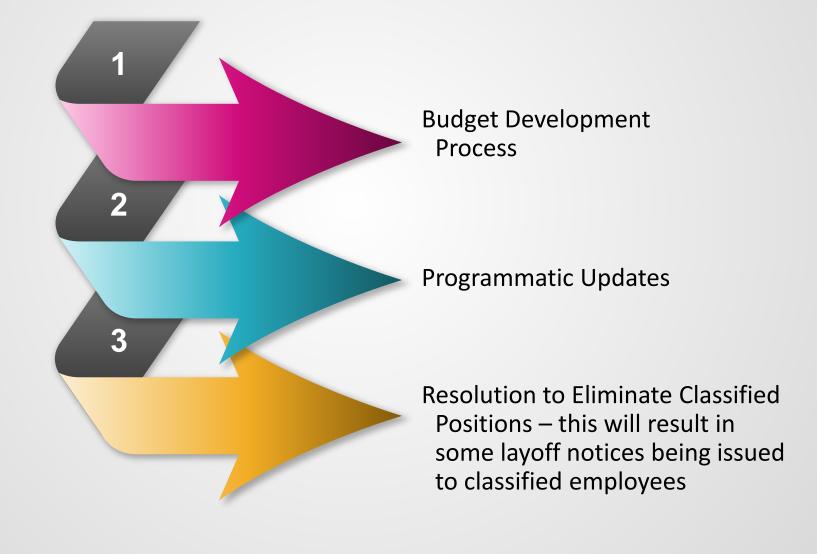


# Approve Resolution No. 3254: Notice of Layoff: Classified Employees – Reduction in Force Due to Lack of Funds and/or of Work

Board Meeting March 3, 2022 Agenda Item No. 9.2

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## Agenda



# Elements of the Budget Development Process

- District Enrollment Projections/Staffing Allocations
  - Decision Insite
  - Adjustments for District's Data
- Governor's January Proposed Budget for Upcoming Year
  - Assumptions for 2022-23
- State Budget May Revise for Upcoming Year
  - District Budget for 2022-23

## **Budget Development Process**

- Cross-departmental consensus process to ensure that every site and department has the appropriate staffing and budget to meet the needs of students and our community
- Expired grants/resources
- Limited term positions
- Program changes

Year-round recurring cross-departmental meetings

## AB438 – New Classified Layoff Process



Employees whose positions are being eliminated due to the expiration of a specially program(s) are still subject to the 60-day notice process

rights for 39 months

## **Budget Development Staffing Process**

#### **December**

Sites/Depts. receive staffing allocations

#### **February**

HR processes data from Budget

District worked to identify additional one-time funds that could be used to reduce reductions and reduce the need for layoff notices to be sent to employees in positions being reduced

#### **April**

Layoff Hearing with an Administrative Law Judge

#### January/February

- Sites/Depts. meet with stakeholders
- Due to the demands of the Omicron surge, sites were provided with flexible options to meet with Budget to confirm staffing allocations for upcoming year

#### March

Board meeting for Resolution 3254: Notice of Layoff: Classified Employees – Reduction in Force Due to Lack of Funds and/or Work

#### <u>May</u>

- Administrative Law Judge Decision
- Board Resolution to issue final layoff notices prior to May 15, (as per AB438)
- HR issues final layoff notices prior to May 15

### Reductions

## **Vacant** 39.522380 FTE

- No employee current in the position
- → Various classifications
- No layoff notices due to these specific reductions

86.531130 FTE Reduced

# 10.758750 FTE – No Layoff Notice

- → Various classifications and hours
- → Hard-to-fill
- While bumping may occur, no layoff notices due to these specific reductions

## Department Closures 29.875000 FTE

- Department adjustments in order to better meet student needs
- Additional hours for current year being reduced to previous year level able to readjust later as needed

## Site Closures 6.37500 FTE

- Sites reducing positions to 6 hours
- Sites adjusting positions in order to better meet student needs
- Reassigned adjustments

On the resolution, asterisk notes places where no layoff notice will be given based on known attrition, current vacancies, and use of one-time funds for that position

## March 15 Preliminary Notices Sent to Meet AB 438 Timeline

Analysis must be completed, attrition accounted for and preliminary notices sent

Preliminary notices sent prior to March 15 Employees able to request a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge

The District will utilize known attrition and vacancies in order to help reduce the number of preliminary notices that must be sent.

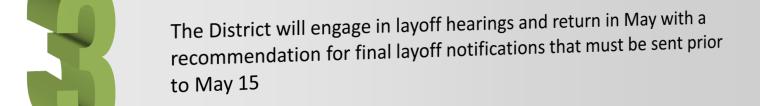
The District must meet the timelines as established by AB 438 for these preliminary March 15<sup>th</sup> notices.

Employees who received a preliminary layoff notice have seven days to request a hearing on their proposed layoff.

# Recommendation and Next Steps

Recommend approval of Resolution 3254

With union involvement, the District will attempt to meet with employees who are interested in voluntarily reducing and complete an analysis to determine preliminary layoff notices



## Questions