

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item# 9.5

Meeting Date: May 2, 2024
Subject: Safe Schools Update
 Information Item Only Approval on Consent Agenda Conference (for discussion only) Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated:) Conference/Action Action Public Hearing
<u>Division</u> : Office of Safe Schools
Recommendation: Phase III implementation plan and strategy.
<u>Background/Rationale</u> : Provide Board and Community an update of our current status and progress with "Re Imagine School Safety" strategy moving into phase III
<u>Financial Considerations</u> : Implementation Costs.
<u>LCAP Goal(s)</u> : Safe, Emotionally Healthy and Engaged Students, Family and Community Empowerment and Operational Excellence. Reduce suspension(s) for Black and African American Students
<u>Documents Attached:</u> Executive Summary
Estimated Time of Presentation: 15 minutes

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Board of Education Executive Summary

Office of Safe Schools

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I. Overview/History of Department or Program

The Office of Safe Schools has rounded the corner on phase II of the "Re Imagine School Safety" and is moving into phase III. Since then the program's model, services, and staff, have added to the goals and objective of the district's focus on safety.

II. Driving Governance

On July 16, 2020, the Board passed and adopted Board Resolution 3157, "Resolution to Reimagine School Safety and Work to Dismantle Structural Racism in Sacramento City Unified Schools,"

III. Budget

Cost for community based organization collaboration.

IV. Goals, Objectives and Measures

The goal of the phase III is to drive a restorative mechanism that interrupts the school to prison pipeline

V. Major Initiatives

In partnership with the Rose Family, MBK - Sierra Health and Sacramento Co. Probation Dept.

- Target the interventions to disrupt the school to prison pipeline
- Reduce suspensions for Black and African American Students
- Divert youth from juvenile justice involvement

VI. Results

The District's resources have been acquired and the overall effort (Phase II) set in motion. We are toward the end of our third year without SRO's. We have some results that have been captured by data and will be shared with the Board.

VII. Lessons Learned/Next Steps:

We strive to incorporate restorative practices and develop policies that best serve our staff, students and community members. We aim to achieve a positive impact on our school climate and overall safety moving forward. The Sacramento City Unified School District acknowledges that collaborative partnerships are the vehicle to achieving the overarching goals of our district.