



## School Advisory Forum (SAF) Meeting

Riverside Elementary School

December 15, 2025

2:30-3:30 PM

### AGENDA

- I. **Update on Testing/Assessment**
  - A. Discussion of teacher and parent concerns regarding testing and use of Performance Matters is ongoing.
  
- II. **Update on Elimination of Block Scheduling Proposal**
  - A. The district announced that they will not move forward to eliminate block scheduling in the 2026-27 school year.
  
- III. **Update on "Redefining Our Schools"**
  - A. The Superintendent has shared recommendations for 2026/27 school attendance boundaries and school usage. No schools in the North Area have recommendations.
  - B. Under the proposed changes, 7 schools would be consolidated, 3 schools will have boundary changes, and one school will be reconfigured. The schools being closed "will be transitioned to another District use."
  - C. Final recommendations will take place at the Regular School Board Meeting on January 21, 2026.
  
- IV. **Upcoming Topics**
  - A. Budget - The District faces a projected net negative fiscal impact of approximately \$94.7 million, resulting in a hiring freeze and continued efforts to reduce costs/increase enrollments.
  
  - B. Facilities/Capital Projects
    1. AECOM's Contract expires January 17, 2026
    2. Over 100 delayed projects since 2014 SMART bond program
    3. Want a six month extension
    4. 3 years = \$113,911,437.00 – 6 months extension \$9,674,946.60
    5. Total 2014 bond was \$800.00
  
- V. **Future Topics** - What concerns would you like brought to the North Area board?


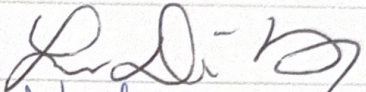
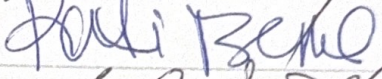
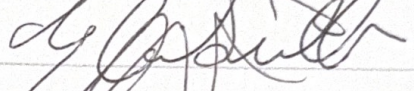
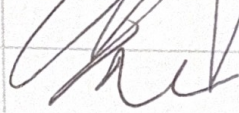
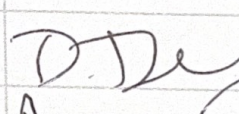
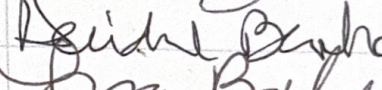
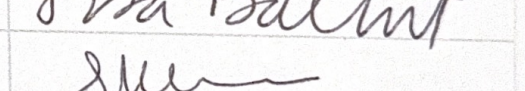
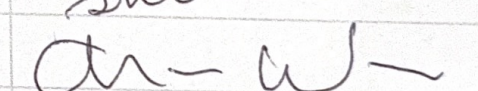
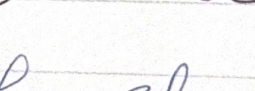
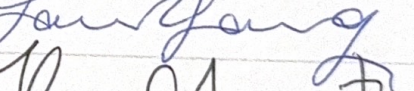

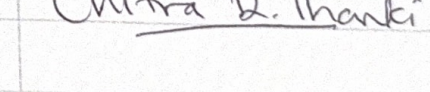
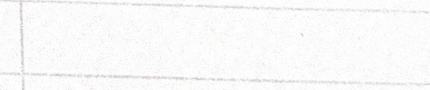

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## ★ SAC Sign in Sheet for Riverside ES (3031)

Date:

12/15/25

Time: 2:30 PM

| #  | Full Name         | SBBC Employee | Parent of Student | Community/Business | Sign Here   |
|----|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------------|---|
| 1  | Edwina Fern       | No            | Yes               |                    |     |
| 2  | Lucie D'Espou     | No            | Yes               |                    |    |
| 3  | Kati Bernard      | Yes           | Yes               |                    |    |
| 4  | Meghan Smith      | Yes           | Yes               |                    |    |
| 5  | Desiree Ramez     |               | Yes               |                    |     |
| 6  | Christina Allen   | No            | Yes               |                    |    |
| 7  | Dahlia Dessor     | Yes           | No                |                    |   |
| 8  | Deirdre Bernhardt | Y             |                   |                    |   |
| 9  | Lisa Balint       | Y             | N                 |                    |   |
| 10 | Sonya Khan        | Yes           | Yes               |                    |  |
| 11 | Natalie Walters   | No            | Yes               |                    |  |
| 12 | Susan Rao         | Yes           | Yes               |                    |   |
| 13 | Lawen Yang        | Yes           | Yes               |                    |   |
| 14 | GREG LAZARUS      | NO            | Yes               |                    |   |
| 15 | Chitra Thanki     |               | Yes               |                    |  |
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