

Meeting Minutes
CITY/SCHOOLS LIAISON COMMITTEE

May 20, 2021 - 1:00 p.m.
(Virtual – Webex)
Tracy City Hall
333 Civic Center Plaza
Tracy, CA 95376

1. **CALL TO ORDER** – The meeting was called to order at 1:03 p.m. by Council Member Dan Arriola. *Note; There was no timer on this Webex platform and the Chair estimated the time using his cell phone.*

2. **ROLL CALL:**

Dan Arriola, City of Tracy

Brian Stephens, TUSD

Rob Pecot, TUSD

Jaime Quintana, TUSD

Ana Blanco, TUSD

Steve Abercrombie, TUSD

Mateo Bedolla, City of Tracy

Vanessa Carrera, City of Tracy

Ed Lovell, City of Tracy

Recorded By: Laura Smith, Executive Assistant, City of Tracy

Tim Spears, SSJCFA

Andrew Malik, City of Tracy

Alex Neicu, City of Tracy

Octavio Lopez, City of Tracy

Brian MacDonald, City of Tracy

Michael Nimon, City of Tracy

Jolene Jauregui, City of Tracy

Don Scholl, City of Tracy

3. **ITEMS FROM THE AUDIENCE:**

There were no comments from the public via, phone, Webex, or email.

4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM:**

- a. The Regular Meeting Minutes were approved from **March 18, 2021**

5. **UPDATE ON TRACY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (TUSD) ITEMS**

- Associate Superintendent Rob Pecot gave the following update:

In-person graduation ceremonies will be held next week for the high schools, Wednesday to Saturday, and drive through promotional ceremonies for the 8th grade.

- Director of Facilities & Planning Jaime Quintana gave the following updates:

- a. North School Modernization: The project is ahead of schedule, and a lot of construction activity with a target completion date of July 16th.
- b. Solar Projects at Various Sites: Lots of activity will be starting this weekend with installation of the solar panels at 14 sites completing 4 campuses at a time.

- Trustee Abercrombie congratulated Dr. Pecot as the Incumbent Superintendent in July 2022.
- Council Member Arriola also congratulated Dr. Pecot.

6. UPDATE ON JEFFERSON SCHOOL DISTRICT (JSD) ITEMS

Superintendent Jim Bridges was not able to attend the meeting, therefore no update, tabled the items.

7. UPDATE ON CITY OF TRACY ITEMS

- Public Works Director Don Scholl gave the following update:
 - a. Interact Clubs Earth Day Volunteer Projects / Millennium and Kimball High Schools: April 24th was Earth Day, and volunteers assisted with the landscape and renovation projects on Sycamore Parkway and tree planting at Plasencia Soccer Fields.
- Police Captain Alex Neicu gave the following update:
 - b. The Tracy Police Department's Annual Report for 2020 was presented to City Council on May 4, 2021, providing the residents of Tracy with a statistical review of the Department's performance, efforts, and accomplishments. Captain Neicu summarized the report, the full report is available on the police department's website, and Chief Millington's recorded presentation to City Council is on the city's website.
- Trustee Blanco requested an update at the next meeting about what training the (SRO) Student Resource Officers have regarding PC 264.2 and 679.04, on survivor rights when reporting sexual assaults. She wants the information to better inform her and the public. Captain Neicu will research and provide an update at the next meeting. Council Member Arriola seconded the request for information at the next meeting.
- Assistant City Manager Andrew Malik gave the following update:
 - c. The City Reopening Plan will slowly transition to more in-person services by appointment. The last two Council Meetings have been in-person with social distancing protocols in place. In June, the city will expand to more in-person public meetings. Development Services staff continue to work closely with developers and the public to issue permits, but overall the on-line electronic permit process has been very well received.
- Recreation Manager Jolene Jauregui gave the following update:
 - d. The (ASP) After School Programs are offered at Bohn and Williams, and for the next school year Poet will be added. Staff is working with TUSD to have Hirsch be included, as there are issues with space.
- Trustee Blanco indicated there is a need for the ASP at Hirsch and will work with TUSD and city staff to get this issued resolved.

- e. Jolene inquired if TUSD will be hosting parades this fall. Dr. Stephens responded but there were audio issues, so TUSD staff will respond separately to Jolene.

8. ITEMS FROM THE AUDIENCE

There were no comments from the public via, phone, Webex, or email.

- 9. ADJOURNMENT** - Meeting was adjourned at 1:45pm