

Superintendent's Update

East Side Union High School District

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Board Vacancy Seat

The **deadline** for candidates to submit their application for the Board vacancy seat is **5:00 p.m. today, November 17, 2006**. Applications must be received in the Superintendent's Office by the deadline.

The Board approved the ***District Citizens Advisory Committee***. The committee will consist of the following panel members:

- *Don McKell, ESTA President*
- *Filiberto Zamora, CSEA President*
- *Jennifer Lewis, AFT President*
- *Vito Chiala, ACSA President*
- *Betty Banderas, Confidential Employees Representative*
- *Julie Pratico, Andrew Hill School Site Council President*
- *Shelly MoneyMaker, Piedmont Hills School Site Council President*
- *Angie Nunn, Silver Creek School Site Council President*
- *Sara Przemielewski, Wm. C. Overfelt School Site Council President*
- *Andrew Mann, Evergreen Valley High School ASB President*
- *Hong Le, Independence High School ASB President*
- *Chalesea Schuler, Mt. Pleasant High School ASB President*
- *Amie Sulaiman, Oak Grove High School ASB President*
- *Amelia Yeh, Santa Teresa High School ASB President*
- *Harriet Arnold, African American Community Coalition*
- *Juan Estrada, Latino Parent Coalition*
- *Representative from Asian Community*
- *Bob Nuñez, Superintendent*
- *Alan Garofalo, Assistant Superintendent of Operations*
- *Jerry Kurr, Interim Assistant Superintendent of Business Services*
- *Linda Gubman, Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources*

Candidate **interviews** will be scheduled **between November 27, 2006 and December 8, 2006**. The candidate selected will be **appointed** at the **Special Board Meeting of December 14, 2006**.

I am pleased to announce the following appointments:

Linda Gubman, Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources

Linda Gubman has been appointed as the **Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources**. **Linda** comes to the position with a wealth of experience in human resources and labor relations. **Linda** recently served in the capacity of Interim Assistant Superintendent of Instructional Services. Please take a moment to congratulate **Linda** to her new position.

Karen Mazza, Director of English Language Learners & Supplementary Education

Karen Mazza has been appointed as the **Director of English Language Learners and Supplementary Education**. **Karen** comes to East Side from Alum Rock School District. She brings with her over 20 years of certificated and administrative experience. Please take a moment to welcome **Karen** to East Side and congratulate her to her new position.

Please take a moment to welcome the following East Side Family members to their new assignments:

Vicki Robledo, Assistant to the Principal

Vicki Robledo has been appointed as the **Assistant to the Principal of Independence High School**.

Jeanne Mestaz, Associate Principal of Educational Development

Jeanne Mestaz has been appointed as the Associate Principal of Educational Development at **Yerba Buena High School**.

Tim Nguyen, Coordinator of English Language Learners and Supplementary Education

Tim Nguyen has been appointed as the **Coordinator of English Language Learners and Supplementary Education**.

Administrative Opportunities Available

The Human Resources Division invites internal candidates for the following positions:

- *Assistant Superintendent of Instructional Services*
- *Assistant Superintendent of Student Services*
- *Principal*
- *Co-Principal – James Lick High School*
- *Associate Principal*

The **deadline** to apply for all positions is **December 8, 2006**. Please contact Linda Gubman at (408) 347-5251 if you have any questions.

East Hills/Evergreen Vision Strategy Task Force

Discussion was held on the East Hills/Evergreen development area; with no action to make changes. Should the Board decide to take action, it will be at a Special Board meeting in December.

Happy Holidays

As we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving, I want to take this moment to wish all of you a wonderful holiday with family and friends. East Side is my family and I want to say thank you for all the contributions you have made for our students. Working collaboratively, we have made great strides in preparing our future leaders.

Once again, best wishes and may you enjoy your time off with family and friends.

Sincerely,

Bob Nuñez
Superintendent