Lowell Joint School District Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee 11019 Valley Home Avenue, Whittier, CA 90603 Minutes Regular Meeting of the Citizens Bond Oversight committee October 29, 2019

Call to Order Superintendent Coombs called the meeting to order at 5:45 p.m. at the District

Office, 11019 Valley Home Avenue, Whittier.

Call to Order The flag salute was led by Jim Coombs, Superintendent of Schools.

Trustees Present: Stuart Gothold, Lyn Carty, Richard Jones, Casey Powers, Jan

Averill, and Martin Tourville

Trustees Absent: Vacant Position - PTA/Site Committee Member

Staff Present: Jim Coombs, Superintendent of Schools and David Bennett,

Assistant Superintendent of Facilities and Operations

Introduction / Welcome Superintendent Coombs welcomed all guests and staff members.

Approval of Agenda It was moved, seconded, and carried by unanimous vote, (6–0) to approve the October

7, 2019, C.B.O.C. Board agenda.

Roles and Responsibilities

of the Committee

Mr. Bennett reviewed the core values, ethic statement, bylaws, Brown Act, and

Robert's Rules of Order with the Citizens Bond Oversight Committee.

Appoint a Chair by

Superintendent

It was moved, seconded, and carried by unanimous vote, (6-0) to approve Richard

Jones to be the President of the Citizens Bond Oversight Committee.

Elect a Vice Chair It was moved, seconded, and carried by unanimous vote, (6–0) to approve Lynn Carty

to be the vice Chair of the Citizens Bond Oversight Committee

Designation of Terms of

Members Chapter

(3) one year terms and (3) two year terms assigned by Richard Jones

Casey Powers (one year) and Stuart Gothold (one year) Richard Jones (one year)

Lynn Carty (two years) Martin Tourville (two years) Vacant Position (two years)

Report on New/Proposed

Bond Projects

David Bennett presented New and Proposed Bond Projects

Report on Bond Sale/Financials

Jason Chung, Vice President of Fieldman, Rolapp & Associates, Inc. presented a Measure LL Bond Overview.

Mr. Chung reviewed the Lowell Joint School District Competitive Sale of its General Obligation Bond.

- ❖ The Lowell Joint School District sold its General Obligation Bonds, Election of 2018, Series 2019 (the "Bonds") via competitive sale on June 27, 2019 in the aggregate par amount of \$14,000,000
- ❖ Credit rating of 'Aa2' by Moody's Investors Service
- * Total of four bids received on the Bonds
 - Winning bid submitted by Morgan Stanley & Co, LLC at a True Interest Cost ("TIC") of 3.119002% (before re-structure)
 - Backup bid submitted by Fidelity Capital Markets
 - Difference between best and cover bid only 0.9 basis points (.009%)
- Financing summary statistics:
 - Total par amount: \$14,000,000
 - Debt repayment ratio: 1.59 to 1

Mr. Chung shared the comparison of the projected versus the final bonds that came in at a repayment ration difference of \$.13 per \$1 borrowed.

He summarized in the Measure LL projected finance plan that the District could issue its second series of Measure LL bonds as soon as 2020 and issue the entire Measure LL authorization by 2026.

Selection of Meeting Dates by CBOC Chairperson

It was decided that the meetings would be the second Monday of each quarter month beginning in March. The dates for the next Citizens' Bond Oversite Committee are March 9, 2020 and June 8, 2020.

Comments from the Public

None.

Proposed Future Agenda Items

They will be selecting from previous candidates to fill the vacant seat.

Adjournment

Superintendent Coombs declared the meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Date Approved:

Clerk/President/Secretary to the Citizens Bond Oversight Committee