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MEMORANDUM

Office of the Superintendent

Meeting of

June 15, 2016

TO: Board of Trustees
FROM: Wendy S. Tukloff, Ed.D., Superintendent
SUBJECT: Board Bylaw 9220 Governing Board Elections
(Discussion/Action)

Background:

Pacifica School District has received communication from March Church, Chief Elections Officer and Assessor-County Clerk-Recorder, San Mateo County, regarding the November 6, 2016 Statewide General Election. The Candidate Filing period for this General Election will open July 18, 2016 and close August 12, 2016. The terms of two Trustees expire in December 2016: Matthew Levie and Andrea Gould.

At the June 1, 2016 Board Meeting, discussion regarding the current Board Bylaw 9220 (BB9220) took place, especially regarding Statement of Qualifications in relation to determine whether the district or candidates assume the cost of printing, handling, translating, and mailing candidate statements filed pursuant to Elections Code 13307. A request was made to determine the ability to select Option 1 (district pay cost) with a ceiling placed with a dollar amount of \$2400. The current position of the Registrations and Elections Division, SMC is that placing a ceiling on the amount a district will cover is not one of the options offered as there are potential ramifications such as collecting fees from candidates, etc. Therefore, there are only two options- district pays or candidates pay. I have attached the current PSD BB 9220 Governing Board Elections and a CSBA Sample for one's information.

Upon discussion and action for Board Bylaw 9220, the Trustee will guide the completion of the 2016 School District Governing Board General Election Candidate Policy Form.