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MEMORANDUM

Office of the Superintendent

Meeting of

02/3/2016

TO: Board of Trustees
FROM: Wendy S. Tukloff, Ed.D., Superintendent
SUBJECT: Legislative Action Day

Background

California School Boards Association (CSBA) is a nonprofit education association representing the elected officials who govern public school districts and county offices of education. With a membership of nearly 1,000 educational agencies statewide, CSBA brings together school governing boards and administrators from districts and county offices of education to advocate for effective policies that advance the education and well-being of the state's more than 6 million school-age children.

CSBA asks all members to join them in Sacramento for CSBA's Legislative Action Day on Tuesday, March 15. The day will include two to three briefing sessions in the morning, followed by lunch and afternoon meetings with your Senator(s) and Assembly Member(s). It is critically important that Legislators hear directly from Trustees about what is happening at the local level. Key issues include the school district reserve cap, the importance of a state partnership in school facilities, budget and funding adequacy issues, and more. Details on how to register for the day is available online. For travel arrangements, one should plan to arrive in the morning to attend a briefing session which will be offered hourly starting at 9 a.m. The day ends after 5 p.m. A pre-event webinar is scheduled for Tuesday, March 1, 2016.

Discussion for this item is to determine who would like to join Trustee Bredall in representing Pacifica School District at Legislative Action Day. The Office of the Superintendent will assist with coordinating the event with those wishing to attend.