

Resolution No. 5108

**RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF
VALLEJO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ADOPT
ATTENDANCE BOUNDARY CHANGES**

WHEREAS, the Vallejo City Unified School District (“District”) is a California public school district with broad authority to take actions that are necessary or desirable pursuant to Education Code section 35160;

WHEREAS, at the December 17, 2025 meeting of the District’s governing board (“Board”), the Board authorized the closures of (i) Highland Elementary School, a TK-6 school located at 1309 Ensign Avenue, Vallejo, California 94590; (ii) Lincoln Elementary School, a TK-3 school located at 620 Carolina Street, Vallejo, California 94590; and (iii) Annie Pennycook Elementary School, a TK-6 school located at 3620 Fernwood Drive, Vallejo, California 94591 (collectively, the “Closures”) for the 2026–2027 school year;

WHEREAS, Board Policy 5116, School Attendance Boundaries, provides the Board with the authority to establish school attendance boundaries; and further states that the superintendent or designee shall periodically review school attendance boundaries and make recommendations to the Board for attendance boundary changes;

WHEREAS, as a result of the Closures, the District’s attendance boundaries need to be adjusted prior to the 2026–2027 school year;

WHEREAS, the District elected to prepare a School Boundary Options Report (the “Boundary Analysis”), which recommends attendance boundary adjustments to Cooper Elementary, Federal Terrace Elementary, Steffan Manor Elementary, Glen Cove Elementary, Wardlaw Elementary, and Patterson Elementary;

WHEREAS, after review of the Boundary Analysis, District staff has presented a final recommendation regarding attendance boundary adjustments to Cooper Elementary, Federal Terrace Elementary, Steffan Manor Elementary, Glen Cove Elementary, Wardlaw Elementary, and Patterson Elementary for the 2026–2027 school year (the “Boundary Adjustments”);

WHEREAS, the Board previously analyzed the Closures under the California Environmental Quality Act and the State CEQA Guidelines (“CEQA”) and determined that they are categorically exempt pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.18 and CEQA Guidelines section 15314;

WHEREAS, the Board analyzed the Boundary Adjustment in accordance with CEQA, and the Board has found that the Boundary Adjustment is categorically exempt from CEQA and will therefore file a Notice of Exemption with the County Clerk;

WHEREAS, Public Resources Code section 21080.18 exempts the transfer of kindergarten through grade 12 public school students to another school, if the only physical changes involved are categorically exempt;

WHEREAS, Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15314 creates an exemption for “minor additions to existing schools” within existing school grounds where the addition does not increase original student capacity by more than 25% or ten classrooms, whichever is less;

WHEREAS, as detailed in the Boundary Analysis, because the Boundary Adjustments will not increase enrollment at any site beyond existing capacity, will not require physical changes to any school site beyond minor room conversions, and will not increase original student capacity at any school site by more than 25% or ten classrooms, the Boundary Adjustments fit within the exception provided in §15314.

WHEREAS, pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 14 section 15061, the District has considered whether the Boundary Adjustments may have a significant effect on the environment and has concluded, through its own independent review and analysis, that the Boundary Adjustments will not have a significant impact on the environment;

WHEREAS, the Board believes that the Boundary Adjustments are in the best interest of the District and its students;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct.
2. Based on analysis and community input, the Board finds and determines that the Boundary Adjustments are in the best interests of the District, its students, and the community.
3. The Boundary Adjustments fall within Public Resources Code section 21080.18 and CEQA Guidelines section 15314.
4. The Boundary Adjustments will not have a significant effect on the environment.
5. The Superintendent or designee is authorized to file a Notice of Exemption from CEQA with the County Clerk regarding the Boundary Adjustments.
6. The Superintendent or designee is authorized to take all other actions necessary to implement this Resolution.
7. The District shall provide information regarding the Boundary Adjustments to parents and pupils.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Board of Education of the Vallejo City Unified School District of Solano County, California, this 14th day of January, 2026, by the following vote:

AYES: _____

NOES: _____

ABSTENTIONS: _____

STATE OF CALIFORNIA]

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COUNTY OF SOLANO]

I, Rubén Aurelio, Clerk of the Board of Education of the Vallejo City Unified School District, certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of the resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a regular meeting as stated.

Clerk of the Board of Education