



PERSONNEL COMMISSION

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PERSONNEL COMMISSION MEETING May 5, 2005 MINUTES

Testing Room
Personnel Commission Office
999 Atlantic Avenue
Long Beach, CA 90813

Chairperson Chuck Acosta called the meeting of the Personnel Commission to order at 8:15 a.m. at which time he led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT

Chuck Acosta, Chairperson
Terry Ulaszewski, Member

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT

Ramon Curiel, Personnel Commission Administrator
Lisa Gardner, Administrative Coordinator
Lynne Karlsen, Personnel Analyst
Dale Culton, Certification Services Manager
Marilyn Doss, Associate Personnel Analyst
Susan Leaming, Associate Personnel Analyst
Alison Maitlen, Associate Personnel Analyst
Paula Wiesenhutter, Certification Services Supervisor
Maria Alvarez, Human Resources Technician
Vanessa Martinez, Human Resources Technician
Judy Marshall, Human Resources Assistant
Gail Rainwater, Senior Administrative Secretary

PRELIMINARY

Guests: Mary Brown, CSEA Chapter 2 President; Ralph Weil, CSEA Chapter 2 Unit A Vice-President.

HEARING OF PUBLIC TESTIMONY AND QUESTIONS FROM THE FLOOR ON ITEMS NOT LISTED ON THE AGENDA

None.

REPORT FROM THE PERSONNEL COMMISSION ADMINISTRATOR

Ramon Curiel reported on the status of the District's budget condition and its impact on classified positions. At Mr. Curiel's

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request, Administrative Coordinator Lisa Gardner gave a brief summary of the positions specified in this agenda that are recommended to be reduced or abolished.

Mr. Curiel updated the Commission on the progress of the Classified Employee Recognition and Barbecue Committees' activities.

Mr. Curiel reported that the arrangements have been finalized to transition specific functions and responsibilities regarding classified employment currently performed by Human Resource Services to Personnel Commission. CSEA Unit A Vice-President Ralph Weil stated for the record that CSEA has concerns over the Personnel Commission's ability to maintain neutrality and independence from the District with the assumption of the District's HRS duties. Commissioner Terry Ulaszewski responded that the Commission has been reviewing and discussing this transition extensively over the last year and has determined that there will not be problems of compromise. CSEA President Mary Brown recommended that Personnel Commission publicize the changes so that departments will be informed who to contact for specific classified functions. Mr. Curiel agreed to do so and asked for specific suggestions.

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The minutes of the April 21, 2005 Personnel Commission Meeting were approved.

CLASSIFICATION RESTRUCTURE RECOMMENDATIONS

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Personnel Administrator Curiel stated that Cecelia Slater, Nutrition Services Director, requested the restructuring of the Intermediate Nutrition Services Worker positions at Robinson and Stevenson be pulled from the agenda. Mr. Curiel also stated that the recommended abolishment of the Transportation Aide position at Burcham was an error and requested it be pulled from the agenda. The Commission pulled these items from the agenda.

CSEA Unit A Vice President Ralph Weil stated that CSEA Unit B Vice-President Joseph Schessler had again requested the 13 Unit B positions recommended for abolishment on this agenda be pulled pending further discussions with the Chief Business and Financial Officer. The Commission pulled the recommended abolishment of 2 Building Maintenance Workers, 2 Carpenters, 2 Electricians, 3 Electronic Technicians, 2 Maintenance Mechanics and 2 Painters.

The Personnel Commission acted to approve the following classification recommendations per Education Code 45256 and according to Personnel Commission Rules, and with the proviso that if any of these actions were affected by the hiring freeze they may not be implemented until the freeze is lifted:

REVISE CLASSIFICATION/
CLASS SPECIFICATION

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School Safety Officer

ABOLISH A CLASSIFICATION

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Career/Vocational Education Financial Assistant

CREATE A NEW POSITION

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1-Job Developer, 100% Special Ed 202 day
1-Supervisor – Autism Services 100% Special Ed 12 mos
1-Translator-Interpreter BL Spanish 100% PALMS 12 mos

RESTRUCTURE AN EXISTING POSITION

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1-Intermediate Accounting Assistant 100% Nutrition Services 12 mo to 217 day
1-Intermediate Nutrition Services Worker 100% Nutrition Services 12 mo to 204 day
1-Nutrition Services Operations & Training Specialist 100% Nutrition Services 12 mo
1-Nutrition Services Supervisor II 100% Head Start 12 mo to 217 day flex
1-Student Evaluation Technician BL Spanish 100% ISR 217 day flex to 202 day flex

ABOLISH AN EXISTING POSITION

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1-Instructional Aide 35% Gant 204 day
1-Instructional Aide BL Laotian 100% ISR 204 day flex
1-Instructional Aide BL Samoan 100% ISR 204 day flex
1-Instructional Aide BL Spanish 47.5% Robinson 202 day flex
1-Instructional Aide BL Spanish 100% ISR 204 day flex
1-Instructional Aide BL Spanish 62.5% Gompers 204 day
1-Instructional Aide BL Spanish 40% Keller 204 day
1-Instructional Aide BL Spanish 40% Keller 204 day
1-Instructional Aide BL Spanish (R) 62.5% Garfield 204 day
1-Instructional Aide BL Spanish (R) 40% Keller 204 day
1-Instructional Aide – Deaf/Hard of Hearing 75% Lakewood 202 day
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1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% Cabrillo 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Prisk 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% The Willows 202 day

1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Holmes 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Gant 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% Millikan 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% Lakewood 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Burroughs 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Hamilton 202 day flex
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% The Willows 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 62.5% Wilson 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Millikan 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% Bancroft 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Kettering 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 62.5% Gant 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% Stephens 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Hoover 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Mann 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Emerson 202 day
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1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Bixby 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 62.5% Lakewood 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Jordan 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% The Willows 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Millikan 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 75% Lakewood 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special 47.5% Emerson 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Special BL Spanish 62.5% Henry 202 day
1-Instructional Aide-Speech/Language Communication 47.5% The Willows 202 day
1-Instructional Assistant – Computer Resources 40% Gant 204 day
1-Instructional Assistant-Parent Resources Center BL 85% Burnett 12 mo
1-Intermediate Office Assistant-Schools 100% Burnett 217 day flex
1-School Community Worker BL Khmer 20% Carver 204 day
1-School Community Worker BL Khmer 20% Prisk 204 day
1-School Community Worker BL Spanish 60% Twain 204 day
1-School Community Worker BL Spanish 25% Chavez 204 day

1-Senior Office Assistant 100% ISR 12 mo
1-Senior Office Assistant 100% ISR 217 day flex
1-Staff Secretary 100% ISR 217 day flex
1-Staff Secretary 100% ISR 12 mo
1-Student Evaluation Technician BL Spanish 100% ISR 217 day flex
1-Student Evaluation Technician BL Vietnamese 100% ISR 217 day flex

REMOVAL FROM ELIGIBILITY LIST

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Staff submitted a recommendation to remove a name from current eligibility lists per Personnel Commission Rules 4.2.A.5 and 4.2.A.7. The individual was not present. The Commission acted to remove Adeyemie Wills from current eligibility lists.

BULLETINS

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Personnel Commission Rule 4.6.B.1, states that the Personnel Administrator shall be responsible for issuing job announcement bulletins to publicize recruitment and examination processes. All job bulletins issued are then to be ratified at the first reasonable opportunity at a Commission meeting. The Commission acted to ratify the following bulletins:

Choral Accompanist	Dual	05-0108-0122
Computer Support User Representative	Dual	05-0148-5000
Cook Remote Site	Dual	05-0158-0591
Executive Director-Facilities Development & Planning	Dual	05-0138-5084
Network Support Specialist	Dual	05-0149-3337
Nutrition Services Supervisor I	Dual	05-0143-5064
Nutrition Services Supervisor II	Dual	05-0144-5065
Nutrition Services Supervisor III	Dual	05-0145-5066
Plant Supervisor – Avalon	Dual	05-0155-5081
Plant Supervisor I	Prom	05-0156-5026
Webmaster	Dual	05-0152-5083

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Personnel Commission Rule 5.1.A, states that the Personnel Administrator shall be responsible for establishing eligibility lists as a result of examination processes authorized by these rules. All such eligibility lists shall then be certified at the first reasonable opportunity at a Commission meeting following the protest and review period. The Commission acted to certify the following eligibility lists:

Bus Driver	Dual	05-0107-0101
Campus Security Officer	Dual/Cont	05-0146-5011

Campus Security Officer (Limited Term & Substitute)	Dual/Cont	05-LTES-5011
Coordinator – Autism Services	Dual	05-0116-5036
Instructional Aide-Special	Open/Cont	05-0140-0448
Instructional Aide-Special (Limited Term & Substitute)	Open/Cont	05-LTES-0448
Instructional Aide-Special	Open/Cont	05-0153-0448
Instructional Aide-Special (Limited Term & Substitute)	Open/Cont	05-LTES-0448
Instructional Assistant-Intensive Behavioral Treatment	Open/Cont	05-0136-5035
Laborer	Dual	05-0129-0204

ANNUAL ELECTION

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Personnel Commission Rule 2.1.A states that “the Commission shall elect one of its members as Chairperson and another as Vice-chairperson at the first meeting of each May.” In accordance with this rule the Commission elected Vera Mulkey to serve as Chairperson and Terence Ulaszewski as Vice-Chairperson.

RESOLUTION HONORING CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES

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The Personnel Commission acted to adopt the following Resolution honoring Classified Employees during Classified Employee Week:

RESOLUTION

CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EMPLOYEE WEEK

- WHEREAS, classified school employees provide valuable services to the schools and students of the merit system districts of California; and
- WHEREAS, classified school employees contribute to and participate in the establishment and promotion of a positive instructional environment; and
- WHEREAS, classified school employees play a vital role in providing for the welfare and safety of all students and employees in the Long Beach Unified School District; and
- WHEREAS, classified school employees employed by our school district strive for excellence in all areas relative to the performance of their responsibilities; and
- WHEREAS, the Chapter II of the California School Employees Association, the Confidential And Supervising Secretary Association, and the non-represented supervisory and management classified employees have actively participated in and encouraged the furtherance and improvement of the services rendered by classified employees to the district and students; and

WHEREAS, the Personnel Commission endorses the criteria for defining an exemplary classified employee as one who supports the educational mission of the School District, is committed to being a team player and a positive role model for students, strives for excellence in personal performance, and contributes significantly to the classroom support and business operations of the District; and

WHEREAS, the Personnel Commission heartily endorses all District activities relative to classified employee recognition; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that this Personnel Commission acknowledges and honors the contribution of the classified school employees and their respective leadership to quality education in the Long Beach Unified School District, and recognizes the week of May 15-21, 2005 as CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EMPLOYEES WEEK.

NEXT MEETING

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The next regular meeting of the Personnel Commission will be held on Thursday, May 19, 2005. The meeting will be at 8:15 a.m. in the Testing Room of the Personnel Commission Office, 999 Atlantic Avenue 90813.

ADJOURNMENT

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There being no further business, the Personnel Commission adjourned at 9:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ramon Curiel
Personnel Commission Administrator

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