

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item 9.1e

Meeting Date: March 16, 2017

<u>Subject</u>: Approve Transitional (Early) Kindergarten Waiver Application to Comply with Education Code 37202: Equity Length of Time

- Information Item Only
- Approval on Consent Agenda
- Conference (for discussion only)
 - Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: _____)
-] Conference/Action
- Action
 - Public Hearing

Department: Academic Office

Recommendation: Approve the Transitional (Early) Kindergarten Waiver Application to comply with Education Code 37202: Equity Length of Time

Background/Rationale: School districts that offer extended day kindergarten classes that also have a Transitional (Early) Kindergarten class are required to seek a waiver if both classes do not have matched instructional minutes. Applying for a waiver, will grant shorter instructional minutes for the Early Kindergarten programs which serve students who are beginning school at ages 4 and 5. SCUSD is applying for a waiver in two schools that have unmatched minutes due to an extended kindergarten program. The two impacted schools are Washington Elementary and Tahoe Elementary.

Financial Considerations: No financial impact

LCAP Goal(s): College, Career, and Life Ready Students

Documents Attached:

None

Estimated Time of Presentation: N/A Submitted by: Iris Taylor, Ed.D., Chief Academic Officer John Conway, Coordinator, Early Kinder Program Approved by: José L Banda, Superintendent