
**City of Davis/Davis Joint Unified School District (DJUSD)
2x2 Meeting**



AGENDA
Wednesday, September 18, 2024
5:00 pm



Community Chambers
23 Russell Blvd, Davis, CA

Participants:

*DJUSD: Trustee Cecilia Escamilla-Greenwald, Trustee Hiram Jackson,
City: Vice Mayor Bapu Vaitla, Councilmember Donna Neville
Staff: Matt Best (DJUSD), Mike Webb (City), Kelly Stachowicz (City)*

1. Call to Order & Roll Call

*Trustee Jackson called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.
Members present: Bapu Vaitla, Donna Neville, Cecilia Escamilla-Greenwald and
Hiram Jackson*

2. Public Comment

No public comment

3. Approval of the March 20, 2024 Minutes

*Escamilla-Greenwald moved, with a second by Neville, approval of minutes.
Motion passed by the following vote:
Yes: Escamilla-Greenwald, Jackson, Neville
No: None
Abstain: Vaitla*

4. City/District Communications

*Escamilla-Greenwald provided comments to address safe routes to school
pathways.*

*Best provided comments on the start of the school year for the District noting normal
challenges to start the year and new facilities opened on campuses.*

*Jackson gave support for Measure T Parcel Tax. DJUSD trustees endorsed at the
last board meeting.*

*Webb gave a few highlights from the last City Council. Announced Davis Neighbors
Night Out in October, more information on the City website. UCD Students were
welcomed by Davis Business Association with the intention of familiarizing them
with local services and businesses. UCD official start date for classes on Monday.*

5. Discussion Items

a. Facilities/Capital Improvement Projects Update

i. DJUSD

Construction projects are still underway in the District. STEM building opened at Davis High School. Aquatics Center broke ground in June, with a target date of Fall 2025 for completion. There will be a move to all-day kinder next school year, and with that will come 10 ECE classes at 5 campuses. Projects will be completed by late spring.

Strategic Fencing project outreach was completed at Willet, North Davis, and Davis High. The Board approved projects for Willet and North Davis.

ii. City

Update on two repaving projects in the upcoming year: 14th Street between F and Oak and the path in West Davis near Patwin starting next year. Anticipating minimal impacts with an expected quick completion.

b. Anderson Corridor Update

i. City

The design is about 30% complete. The city will meet with teachers to address issues with parking. Public meeting will be held in December to talk to neighbors.

c. DJUSD Enrollment/Boundary Update

There will be two study sessions in October related to District boundaries and enrollment and the schools within those boundaries, along with a discussion on implications short long and future years. The goal of the meetings will be to have Trustees provide directions for the District on school boundaries.

Kindergarten enrollment is scheduled to open six weeks earlier so that staff can have discussions in real time on enrollment. Kindergarten enrollment is about 85-100 students less than last year. There may be a bump in numbers with the implementation of full day kindergarten next school year.

d. Workforce Housing

i. DJUSD

The Board passed a Workforce Housing Resolution to explore workforce housing options to meet the needs of staff to live where they work.

i. City

The City continues to meet with the District in identifying housing types, price points that are helpful to the District for workforce and enrollment. This will be valuable in policy development for project proposals that may influence staff to have a greater likelihood of living in town and influence enrollment for the District.

Project in pipeline for the City housing projects. Several projects in

review are more sizeable in scale compared to Davis standards like Palomino Place. Village farms and Shriners projects would need to go to voters in 2025 and 2026. 2200 units for these two projects. Help contribute to workforce housing and enrollment.

6. Announcements/Comments

Jackson – Brought to the attention of DJUSD agenda item regarding developer fees.

7. Future Meetings – November 20, 2024

8. Adjourn to next meeting

The meeting adjourned at 5:46 p.m.
