

# PROPERTY AND LIABILITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING JUNE 16, 2016 10:30 A.M.

# **AGENDA**

A. Approval of Minutes for May 2016 Board of Directors Meeting

**Nick Kouklis** 

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B. Approval of Payment of Student Insurance Claims in the Amount of \$124,655.99 and Tackle Football Claims in the Amount of \$529.04 for the Month of May 2016

Moved		_2 <sup>nd</sup>		
Yes	No	Abstain	Roll Call Vote	

# II. Public Comment

I. Consent Agenda

# III. Closed Session- Property and Liability Claims

The board may be required to adjourn to closed session for discussion of matters regarding a claim for the payment of tort liability losses, public liability losses, or workers' compensation liability, authorized by Government Code 54956.95.

District	File Number	Claimant
Orcutt Union School District By Pat Tumbarello	2013006958	Mayra Jiminez A-BI
Hanford Joint Union High School District By Ryan Bourget	2016020241	Rosemarie Serna L-BI
Hanford Joint Union High School District By Ryan Bourget	2016019909	Carmine & Marilyn Coppola L-BI
Trona Joint Unified School District By Ryan Bourget	2016021640	Property
Kern High School District By Robert Kretzmer	086084	Bret Carter L-BI

# IV. Reconvene To Open Session

A. Reports from Closed Session, if Required

# V. Action Items

A.	Report of Property and Liability Claims in the Amount of \$599,704.26 for the Month of May 2016 and Ratification of Payment of this Amount			Robert Kretzmer	
	Moved_			2 <sup>nd</sup>	
	Yes	No	Abstain	Roll Call Vote	
В.		•	Presentation of Submitted for	of Financial Statements for the Month Approval	Kim Sloan
	Moved_			2 <sup>nd</sup>	
	Yes	No	Abstain	Roll Call Vote	
C.	Request App	oroval of	the 2016-2017	Budget	Kim Sloan
	Moved		2 <sup>n</sup>	d 	
	Yes	_No	Abstain	Roll Call Vote	
D.	Request App	roval of	the 2016-2017	Board Meeting Times, Dates and Places	Nick Kouklis
	Moved_		2'	nd	
	Yes	No	Abstain	Roll Call Vote	
VI.	<u>Informati</u>	on and	l Discussion	<u>Items</u>	
A.	Update on t	he SISC I	-lex Navia Plan		Kim Sloan
В.	Fire Hazard	Mitigatio	on Presentation	1	Kerri Jones
C.	Concussion	Insuranc	e Program Upd	late	Robert Kretzmer
D.	Executive Co	ommitte	e Report		Nick Kouklis
E.	Presentation	n of the (	Organizational (	Chart	Nick Kouklis
F.	Comments f	rom the	Board of Direct	tors Will Be Heard	Nick Kouklis

	Thursday, July 21, 2016 10:30 a.m. SISC Board Room, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor-Larry Reider Education Center	
	2000 K Street, Bakersfield, CA 93301	
Н.	Adjournment	Nick Kouklis
	Moved2 <sup>nd</sup>	
	Yes No Abstain Roll Call Vote	

G. Next Meeting:

**Nick Kouklis** 

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2000 K Street, Bakersfield, CA. 93301

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<sup>\*</sup>The number of Board Members needed to form a quorum for this meeting is seven

#### PROPERTY & LIABILITY TERMINOLOGY

- AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) A federal act designed to set standards to remove the barriers to employment, transportation, public accommodations, public services, and telecommunications that exist for those members of our society who have physical disabilities. The act encompasses aspects of everyday life and generates wide ranging implications for almost every business or service.
- CIVIL RIGHTS VIOLATIONS The term applied to tort claims involving issues of sexual harassment; wrongful termination; employment, age, gender or race discrimination; ADA; employment harassment. If Plaintiff prevails, even partially, this type of case entitles plaintiff to also collect attorney fees.
- **CLAIM TYPES** The internal coding systems for claims includes:

ABI - Auto Bodily Injury BM - Boiler/Machinery ACL - Auto Collision CF - Crime/Fidelity

ACP – Auto Comprehension LBI – Liability Bodily Injury AGK – Auto Garage Keepers LPI - Liability Personal Injury

APD - Auto Property Damage

LPD-Liability Property Damage

P - Property

SE – Special Education

- COMPARATIVE NEGLIGENCE A more modern system of allocating damages between two or more persons than the method of contributory negligence. Under comparative negligence, the damages collectible in relation to another person are diminished in proportion to one's degree of negligence. In most instances, damages cannot be collected at all if the claimant's negligence were greater than that of the other party. Currently, in a few instances, the courts have awarded both parties damages as a percent of the total damages, depending on respective degrees of fault.
- **DECLARATORY RELIEF ACTION** Remedy for the determination of a judicial controversy where a plaintiff or defendant is in doubt as to their legal rights. No consequential relief is awarded.
- ERRORS AND OMISSIONS (E&O) A form of Professional Liability insurance which provides coverage for mistakes made in a profession not involved with the human body (lawyers, architects, engineers) or for mistakes made in a service business (insurance, real estate, and others). Also a form of coverage for financial institutions protecting against loss to lending institutions which fail to effect insurance coverage.
- HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT A contractual arrangement whereby one party assumes the liability Inherent in a situation, thereby relieving the other party of responsibility. Such agreements are typically found in leases and easements and construction contract agreements. Agreement or contract in which one party agrees to hold the other without responsibility for damage or other liability arising out of the transaction involved.
- INJUNCTIVE RELIEF ACTION Legal action filed for prohibitive or equitable relief. An action filed to forbid an act or to restrain someone from continuing an act which is considered unjust or injurious.
- MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT Rule of civil procedure permitting either side in a civil suit to move for dismissal when it is believed that there is no genuine issue of material fact that would allow the other side to prevail as a matter of law. The "motion" may include all or part of a claim.
- 10. PERSONAL INJURY Injury, other than bodily injury, results from oral or written communication.
- 11. PUNITIVE DAMAGES (Exemplary) Damages awarded separately and in addition to compensatory damages, usually on account of malicious or wanton misconduct, to serve as a punishment for the wrongdoer and, possibly, as a deterrent to others. Sometimes referred to as "exemplary damages" when intended to "make an example" of the wrongdoer. By law, government entities are immune from punitive damages.
- 12. SUBROGATION In insurance, the substitution of one party (insurer) for another party (insured) to pursue any rights the insured may have against a third party liable for a loss paid by the insurer.
- 13. TORT A legal wrong arising from a breach of duty fixed by law, except under contract, causing injury to persons or property and redressible by legal action for damages. Government entities are ruled by the Tort Claims Act.



# PROPERTY AND LIABILITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MAY 19, 2016 10:30 A.M.

# **MINUTES**

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of SISC II Property and Liability Program was called to order by Director Kouklis at 10:32 a.m. on Thursday, May 19, 2016 in the SISC Board Room on the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor of the Reider Center, 2000 K Street, Bakersfield, California 93301. The following individuals were in attendance:

MEMBERS PRESENT: ALTERNATES PRESENT:

Nick Kouklis
Robin Shive
Karen Cox
Paul Miller
Dr. John Mendiburu
Dr. Kevin Silberberg

Eva Chavez (arrived 10:35)

**Robert Hughes** 

**Bill Ridgeway** 

Dr. Mary Barlow

Kim Sloan

Megan Hanson

Bonnie Bowles

Kristy Comstock

Rich Edwards

Fred Bayles

Bob Kretzmer

Ty Taylor

Ryan Bourget

Roxann D. Webb

**OTHERS PRESENT:** 

John Caudle

### **Consent Agenda**

Motion was made by Director Mendiburu seconded, by Director Miller and by roll call vote of 8-Yes, 0-No, and 0-Abstentions (8-0-0), to approve the Consent Agenda as follows:

### **Minutes**

Approval of Minutes for April 2016 Board of Directors Meeting

## **Student Insurance and Tackle Football Claims**

Approval of payment of Student Insurance Claims in the Amount of \$163,683.70 and Tackle Football Claims in the Amount of \$2,087.97 for the month of April 2016.

## **Public Comment**

None

## **Closed Session – Property & Liability Claims**

The Board went into closed session at 10:33 a.m.

### **Reconvene to Open Session**

The Board reconvened into open session at 11:20 a.m.

Director Kouklis reported on the following cases:

With respect to the claim filed by N'Deye Brown against Antelope Valley Union High School District after discussion, motion was made by Director Silberberg, seconded by Director Miller and by roll call vote of 9-0-0 the board approved the payment of an undisclosed amount for the settlement of this claim with N'Deye Brown.

With respect to the claim filed by Oswaldo Soto against Kern High School District after discussion, motion was made by Director Cox, seconded by Director Miller and by roll call vote of 9-0-0 the board approved the payment of \$830,000 for the settlement of this claim with Oswaldo Soto.

With respect to the claim filed by Tanielle Wollin against Amador County Unified School District after discussion, motion was made by Director Shive, seconded by Director Silberberg and by roll call vote of 9-0-0 the board approved the payment of \$55,000 for the settlement of this claim with Tanielle Wollin.

With respect to the claim filed by Zenadu Castellano against Lake Elsinore Unified School District after discussion, motion was made by Director Chavez, seconded by Director Cox and by roll call vote of 9-0-0 the board approved the payment of an undisclosed amount for the settlement of this claim with Zenadu Castellano.

With respect to the claim filed by Merced County Office of Education, there was no action taken

With respect to the claim filed by San Luis Coastal Unified School District after discussion, motion was made by Director Cox, seconded by Director Chavez and by roll call vote of 9-0-0 the board approved the payment of \$72,000 for replacement of storage building and contents damaged by fire.

With respect to the claim filed by Santa Barbara Unified School District after discussion, motion was made by Director Shive, seconded by Director Miller and by roll call vote of 9-0-0 the board approved the payment of upto \$50,000 for replacement of fire damaged building and inventory.

With respect to the claim filed by Bret Carter against the Kern High School District, there was no action taken

### **Action Items**

#### Report of Property and Liability Claims - April 2016

Bob Kretzmer presented the Report of Property and Liability Claims. There were 42 new claims, 48 claims were closed and 0 claims reopened, resulting in 369 pending claims. Bob reviewed the check register for April 2016, reporting on eight checks that were in excess of \$25,000.00. After discussion, motion was made by Director Mendiburu, seconded by Director Miller and by roll call vote of 9-0-0, approving payment of Property and Liability Claims in the amount of \$1,365,716.27 for the month of April 2016.

#### **Financial Report**

Kim Sloan reviewed with the Board the Financial Report for the period ending April 30, 2016. Kim reported the LAIF rate for the month of April 2016 went up to .53% compared to last month of .51%. Investment reports for the quarter ending 3/31/16 were presented. After discussion, motion was made by Director Cox, seconded by Director Shive and by roll call vote of 9-0-0, approving the Financial Report as submitted.

#### Approval of Funding for Safe Schools Ambassadors Training for 2016/2017

Robert Kretzmer presented to the board the funding for the Safe Schools Ambassadors training for 2016-2017. After discussion, motion was made by Director Chavez, seconded by Director Shive and by roll call vote of 9-0-0, approving the funding for Safe Schools Ambassadors training for 2016/2017.

## **Information and Discussion Items**

#### **Discussion of School Dude Marketing Agreement**

Robert Kretzmer presented the School Dude Marketing agreement to the board.

#### **Discussion of Get Safety Trained On-line Training Status**

Robert Kretzmer informed the board that this program is no longer being offered effective September 30<sup>th</sup>. Robert assured the board that more information will be given in regards to alternatives in a future board meeting.

#### Stop !T Update

Robert Kretzmer informed the board that this contract is currently still being reviewed by the legal department.

Comments from the E None	Soard of Directors
•	business to come before the Board, motion was made by Director Cox seconded by oll call vote of 9-0-0, adjourning the meeting at 11:44 a.m.

## **Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held **Thursday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at** 10:30 a.m. at the Larry E. Reider Education Center, 2000 K Street, Bakersfield CA 93301.

Bill Ridgeway, Secretary		