## 2023 - 2024 Meeting Minutes Upland Teachers Association 99 North San Antonio Avenue, Ste. 200, Upland, CA 91784 Office (909) 985-4615 Fax (909) 985-2625 Email: upland\_teachers@upland.k12.ca.us Website: www.uplandteachers.org

## **Board of Directors Meeting**

April 8, 2024

## Call to Order

A meeting of the Board of Directors was called to order at 4:00 pm by Debbie Glenn. Moved by Janet Jankoski-Pelkey and seconded by Emily Gomez to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion Carried.

Officers Present: President: Debbie Glenn Vice President: Anne Smith Treasurer: Danny Lawrence Secretary: Carla Hegler	Directors and Representatives Present:		
	Site	Director(s)	Representatives
	Baldy View	Emily Gomez	
	Cabrillo	Doug McCully	
	Citrus	Andrea Maddox-Butler	
	District Office	Judy Trimble	
	Foothill Knolls	Dawn Viera	
	Hillside HS	Sean Piscioneri	
	Magnolia	Sarah Fash	
	Pepper Tree		
	Pioneer Jr.HS	Sarah Barry	
	Sierra Vista		
	Sycamore	Janet Jankoski-Pelkey	
	Upland Elem.	Connie Delaney	
	UHS	Terry Kimberling	
	Upland Jr.HS		
	Valencia	Lori Jacobson	
	Other	Diane Schlitt-Thompson - Past President Anne Kartun - Office Manager	

Agenda Items

Minutes	The minutes from the February Board of Directors meeting was approved.	
Treasurer's Report	Beginning balance March, 2023 \$310,998.67 Ending balance March, 2023 \$312,892.94	
Communications	No communications to report	
President's Report	<ul> <li>During an adoption year, textbooks and materials will typically be delivered the summer following the adoption         <ul> <li>2024-2025 - Ethnic Studies / World Languages</li> <li>2025-2026 - Elementary Social Studies</li> <li>2026-2027 - Math</li> <li>2027-2028 - English / Language Arts</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Professional Awards / Recognition</li> <li>Please notify the UTA office when certificated employees at your site receive an award or recognition so that we can recognize them throughout our membership</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>UHS Grievance</li> <li>First informal meeting was held to interpret contract language</li> <li>Still working on a compromise</li> <li>Will meet once more, if a compromise is not reached by April 20th, the grievance will move to a Level I formal grievance</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Simply Voting <ul> <li>Can be used with district emails</li> <li>Pay per election - \$318.40 per election, there is a possibility of a CTA discount</li> <li>Typically two-three elections per year</li> <li>The topic will be brought to Rep Council meeting this month</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>District Elections</li> <li>Email will be sent out this month to all UTA members regarding interest in running for President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Board of Directors members at each site</li> <li>Representative Council elections will be held at each site after Board elections</li> <li>Current Directors who are not interested in continuing please notify the UTA office and seek a replacement to fill the position</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>California Day of the Teacher - May 8th</li> <li>Need members to join a committee to create something simple to recognize the Day of the Teacher</li> <li>Money available in the budget</li> <li>Office Manager, Anne Kartun is available for assistance</li> </ul>	

	<ul> <li>UTA Budget Committee</li> <li>Anyone interested in joining the UTA Budget Committee, please contact the UTA Office</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Negotiations Survey</li> <li>The survey feedback has been reviewed</li> <li>An email will be sent out reviewing items some of the items in the survey</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>CTA Summer Institute</li> <li>July 24-28, 2024 Los Angeles Bonaventure</li> <li>Email will be sent explaining sessions</li> <li>UTA will cover the cost of the conference, lodging, mileage, and meals</li> <li>University credits are available for some sessions</li> <li>Summer Institute Information Link</li> </ul>	
Committees	<ul> <li>DACC (District &amp; Association Collaborative Committee)</li> <li>Postponed to this week</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>NEGOTIATIONS</li> <li>The Negotiating Committee has selected Emily Gomez to be the new Lead Negotiator</li> <li>First meetings with the District are schedule for April 17th and April 25th</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>SPECIAL EDUC</li> <li>Nothing at this time</li> </ul>	
Open Forum	<ul> <li>Mandatory Reporting</li> <li>Do not need permission from administrator to report</li> <li>Report when there is suspicion</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Aeries Discipline Reporting</li> <li>Discipline issues are not being found in Aeries</li> <li>There are Aeries entries that only administrators have access to</li> <li>Need clarity on what teachers should have access to</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Extended Leave</li> <li>Taking an extended leave of absence (health or maternity) can affect advancement on the pay scale.</li> <li>Must work 75% of the year for advancement</li> <li>Debbie will look into this issue with HR</li> </ul>	
Adjournment	Meeting was adjourned at 5:19pm	