

BEFORE THE PITTSBURG UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD

In the Matter of:

Adoption of a Pledge to Address Persistent)
Opportunity Gaps Experienced by Young) RESOLUTION NO. 22-20
Men and Women of Color)

WHEREAS, the City and School District envision a community where all youth and young adults rise above social and economic barriers to realize their full potential; and

WHEREAS, the City and School District understand that improving systems to increase educational attainment and employment opportunities for Pittsburg young men and women of color is beneficial to the economic vitality and overall health of the residents of Pittsburg; and

WHEREAS, the City and School District seek to address persistent opportunity gaps experienced by young men and women of color, with an overall goal of ultimately ensuring all youth feel supported as they pursue a promising future and a prosperous, healthy life; and

WHEREAS, the City and School District are committed to working together to develop implementation action strategies that are coordinated and intentionally aligned; and

WHEREAS, programs such as Improve Your Tomorrow and My Brothers Keeper are important first steps in achieving the goals contained with the City of Pittsburg’s Youth and Young Adult Services Master Plan and the Pittsburg Unified School District’s Local Control and Accountability Plan; and

WHEREAS, the community passed Measure M on June 7, 2016 with the intent to help fund programs for the City’s youth; and

WHEREAS, the School District receives funds from the State through the Local Control Funding Formula and other grants

WHEREAS, staff is recommending that the PUSD Board adopt a Pledge to Address Persistent Opportunity Gaps Experienced by Young Men and Women of Color in alliance with the City of Pittsburg.

NOW, THEREFORE, the School Board DOES RESOLVE as follows:

The City and Pittsburg Unified School District have a long standing, cooperative relationship working to improve opportunities for Pittsburg’s youth.

The Board of Education commits to continue working with the City of Pittsburg to improve opportunities for Pittsburg’s youth, through the Superintendent or her designee and the City Manager or his designee and through the joint 2x 2 Committee.

The Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Education of Pittsburg Unified School District at a regular meeting on the 14th day of December, 2022 by the following vote:

AYES: 5

NOES: 0


ABSTAINED: 0

ABSENT: 0



Taylor Sims, Board President

ATTEST:


Janet Schulze Ed.D.
Clerk of Board, Superintendent