INFORMATION SHEET 9/8/2020 TRUSTEES' MEETING

ATTACHMENT: 7.4

TO: Jim Bridges, Superintendent

FOR: Board of Trustees

FROM: Dena Whittington, CBO

ISSUE: RESOLUTION #2020-09-02
SUFFICIENCY OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Attached is resolution #2020-09-02 for Board adoption. This is our annual Sufficiency of Instructional Materials statement.

As a requirement of the Williams Lawsuit Settlement, Jefferson School District must provide each pupil with sufficient textbooks and instructional materials aligned to the content standards consistent with the cycles and content of the curriculum frameworks adopted by the State.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution #2020-09-02 confirming sufficiency of instructional materials in our district.

Jefferson School District

Resolution No. 2020-09-02

PROCLAMATION REGARDING THE SUFFICIENCY OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

2020-21

WHEREAS, The Governing Board of the Jefferson School District, in order to comply with the requirements of *Education Code* 60119 held a public hearing on September 8, 2020, at 6:30PM which is on or before the eighth week of school (between the first day that students attend school and the end of the eighth week from that day) and which did not take place during or immediately following school hours, and;

WHEREAS, the Board provided at least 10 days notice of the public hearing by posting it in at least three public places within the district stating the time, place and purpose of the hearing, and;

WHEREAS, the Board encouraged participation by parents/guardians, teachers, members of the community, and bargaining unit leaders in the public hearing, and;

WHEREAS, information provided at the public hearing detailed the extent to which textbooks and instruction materials were provided to all students, including English learners, in the Jefferson School District, and;

WHEREAS, the definition of "sufficient textbooks or instructional materials" means that each student, including each English learner, has a standards-aligned textbook and/or instructional materials to use in class and to take home, which may include materials in a digital format but shall not include photocopied sheets from only a portion of a textbook or instructional materials copied to address a shortage, and;

WHEREAS, between the 2008-09 through the 2020-21 fiscal years, the definition of "sufficient textbooks or instructional materials" also means that all students who are enrolled in the same course within the Jefferson School District, have standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials from the same adoption cycle, and;

WHEREAS, sufficient textbooks or instructional materials were provided to each student, including each English learner, that are aligned to the academic content standards and consistent with the cycles and content of the curriculum frameworks in the following subjects:

Mathematics

Science

History-Social Science

English/language arts, including the English language development component of an adopted program;

WHEREAS, sufficient textbooks or instructional materials were provided to each student enrolled in foreign language or health classes, and;

THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED, that for the 2020-21 school year, the Jefferson School District has provided each student with sufficient textbooks or instructional materials aligned to the academic content standards and consistent with the cycles and content of the curriculum frameworks

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 8th day of September, 2020, by the following vote of the Board of Trustees, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

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Clerk of the Governing Board