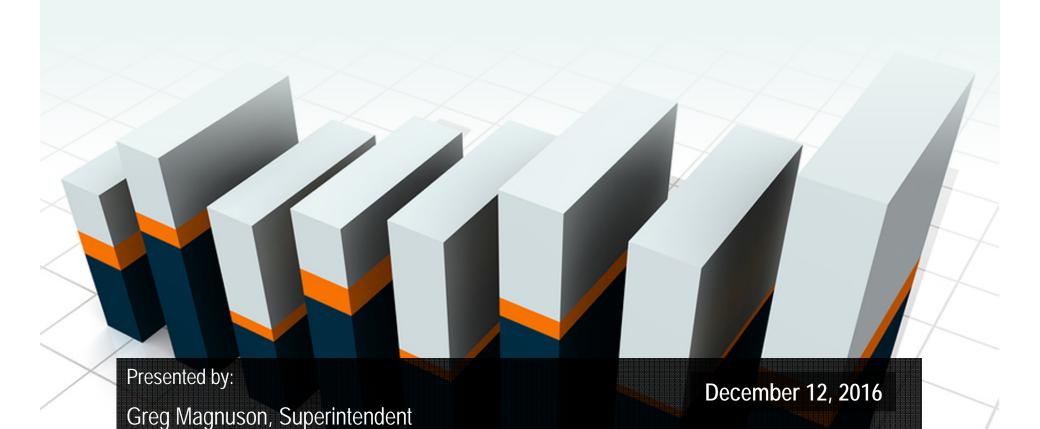
## **Buena Park School District**



2016-17 First Interim Report



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### **Tonight's Presentation**



- Background
- **■** First Interim
- MYP Considerations
- Next Steps

### Background



- District Boards required to review & approve, at minimum, three financial reports each year
- The First Interim Report represents financials as of October 31<sup>st</sup> with updated budget projections for remainder of the fiscal year
- Board approval of First Interim Report required no later than December 15<sup>th</sup>
- Three possible certifications
  - Positive: Local Education Agency (LEA), i.e., district, able to meet its financial obligations for the current & 2 subsequent fiscal years
  - Qualified: LEA <u>may not</u> be able to meet its financial obligations for the current and two subsequent fiscal years
  - Negative: LEA <u>not</u> able to meet its financial obligations for the current and two subsequent fiscal years.

## First Interim: Key Revenue Changes



- Total revenues increased by \$114.3K (vs. Adopted Budget)
  - Increase attributable entirely to restricted revenues
  - Restricted revenues increased: +\$164.0K
  - Unrestricted revenues decreased: <\$49.7K>

### First Interim: Key Revenue Changes (Cont'd)



- Restricted revenues increased due to:
  - Budgeting of Federal program carryovers (from 2015-16)
    - Specifically for Title I, II, & III programs
  - Increases partially offset by restricted MAA revenues which should only be recorded when revenues are actually received given uncertainty in the timing of receipt of these funds.

### First Interim: Key Revenue Changes (Cont'd)



- Unrestricted revenues declined due to:
  - Reduction in one-time discretionary funding to \$1,008.2K
    - At Adopted Budget, discretionary funding proposed by State at \$237/ADA
    - State reduced funding to \$214/ADA, a reduction of <\$107.2K>
  - Above decrease partially offset by increase in revenues related to interest income and St. Jude grant funds.
  - LCFF
    - Note: Despite a reduction in LCFF funding rate from 54.84% at Adopted Budget to 54.18%, LCFF revenues basically flat due to an increase in the unduplicated percentage of free, reduced & foster students as well as an increase in the minimum LCFF funding levels.

### First Interim: Key Expenditure Changes



- Total expenditures increased by \$1,468.3K (vs. Adopted Budget)
  - Restricted expenditure accounted for the bulk of the increase at \$1,210.0K
    - Increase primarily due to budgeting of carryover dollars and Special Ed expenditure increases
  - Unrestricted expenditures increased by \$258.3K
    - Increase preliminarily due to re-budgeting of 2015-16 one-time discretionary expenses originally slated to be spent in 2015-16
    - Original plans called for \$566.0K in one-time dollars to be spent in 2015-16 but of this amount \$164.0K was unspent
    - We have re-budgeted this amount for spending in 2016-17.

### First Interim: Special Ed Contributions



- Special Ed contributions increased by \$100.0K due to:
  - Special Ed students requiring a more intensive level of services than can be provided by the District in-house
  - Cost increases by these outside providers.

### First Interim



■ The total General Fund deficit has increased to <\$2,528,078> (pg. 11, 19, & 27)

	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total
Adopted Budget	<\$994,125>	<\$180,003>	<\$1,174,128>
First Interim	<\$1,531,450>	<\$996,628>	<\$2,528,078>
Change	<\$537,325>	<\$816,625>	<\$1,353,950>



#### Unrestricted: Revenues

	2015-16 Actuals	2016-17 First Interim	\$ Difference	% Difference
LCFF Sources	42,399,433	43,840,461	1,441,028	3.4%
Federal	222,408	0	(222,408)	-100.0%
Other State	3,420,961	1,836,574	(1,584,387)	-46.3%
Other Local	902,817	939,054	36,237	4.0%
Total Revenues	46,945,618	46,616,089	(329,529)	-0.7%

How was the \$1.4 million in additional LCFF funds utilized?



### Unrestricted: Expenditures, Contributions, & Excess/(Shortfall)

	2015-16 Actuals	2016-17 First Interim	\$ Difference	% Difference
Certificated Salaries	19,901,710	20,318,046	(416,336)	-2.1%
Classified Salaries	6,096,046	6,231,466	(135,420)	-2.2%
Employee Benefits	8,328,479	9,337,775	(1,009,296)	-12.1%
Books & Supplies	1,102,930	2,069,730	(966,800)	-87.7%
Services	3,002,043	2,999,386	2,657	0.1%
Capital Outlay	15,408	105,000	(89,592)	-581.5%
Other Outgo	0	276,000	(276,000)	#DIV/0!
Indirect Costs	(228,631)	(232,009)	3,378	+1.5%
Total Expenditures	38,217,984	41,105,394	(2,887,410)	-7.6%
Contributions	(6,249,769)	(7,042,145)	(792,376)	-12.7%
Excess/(Shortfall)	2,477,865	(1,531,450)	(4,009,315)	-161.8%



- How was the \$1.4 million in additional LCFF funds utilized?
  - Certificated & Classified salaries including step & column increases
  - Employee Benefits
    - Increase in CalSTRS statutory rates (from 10.73% in 2015-16 to 12.58%)
    - Increase in CalPERS statutory rates (from 11.847% in 2015-16 to 13.888%)
    - Increase in Health & Welfare Benefit costs (+6%)
      - Although LCFF funds <u>not</u> utilized for this purpose, \$300K of the year over year increase in Employee Benefit costs attributable to GASB68 compliance requirements
      - GASB 68 requires districts to record on our financial reports, the State of California's annual obligation related to CalSTRS.

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Employee Benefits	8,328,479	9,337,775	(1,009,296)	-12.1%



- How was the \$1.4 million in additional LCFF funds utilized? (Cont'd)
  - Increase in Contributions to:
    - Special Education; +\$407K
      - 0% COLA
      - Higher acuity level of students requiring services
      - Cost increases by outside providers
    - Routine Restricted Maintenance Account (RRMA); +\$341K
      - Assumes contribution to the RRMA account of 3% to ensure we qualify for any State matching facility dollars (2016-17 First Interim contribution = \$1.7 million)
      - Total expenditures (unrestricted & restricted combined) have grown from \$53.2 million in 2015-16 to projected \$58.0 million in 2016-17. 3% of the higher expenditure number results in an increase in the RRMA contribution.

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■ Summary: How was the \$1.4 million in additional LCFF funds utilized?

We have spent \$1.4 million plus more in the below categories.

	Year over Year Change
Certificated Salaries	\$416,336
Classified Salaries	\$135,420
Employee Benefits	\$709,296 (\$1,009,296 - \$300,000)
Contributions (Special Education & RRMA)	\$792,376
Total	\$2,053,428

# Reserve Levels & OCDE Recommendations (Recommendations Unchanged from Last Year)



- Experience of most recent recession demonstrates minimum reserves levels are inadequate to protect educational programs in a severe economic downturn
- Typical 3% reserve represents less than 2 weeks of payroll for many districts
- The Government Finance Officers Association recommends reserves equal to 2 months of general fund operating expenditures (roughly 17%)
- Rating agencies (like Fitch and Moody's) typically asses adequacy of district's reserves by comparing to statewide averages, roughly 15% for California unified school districts
- OCDE states/recommends:
  - 1. Maintain adequate reserves.
  - 2. Maintain fiscal flexibility by limiting commitments to future increased expenditures.

#### **MYP Considerations**

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Will adjust as needed at 2<sup>nd</sup> Interim.



#### LCFF Funding Rate

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Department of Finance (DOF)	54.18%	72.99%	40.36%
School Services of California (SSC)	54.18%	19.30%	34.25%
BPSD	54.18%	72.99%	40.36%
\$ Difference (SSC vs. DOF/BPSD)		<\$1,507.2K>	<\$1,071.5K>

- As at Adopted Budget, the more aggressive/optimistic DOF funding rate utilized
- District staff to monitor and update funding rate once Governor's Proposal is issued in January 2017.

### MYP Considerations (Cont'd)

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- Enrollment Per preliminary CBEDS projections, 2016-17 enrollment loss is less than originally budgeted
  - At Adopted Budget assumed loss of 100 students year over year
  - Preliminary CBEDS indicates loss of 46 students
    - First Interim Report updated accordingly
  - No financial impact in 2016-17 as districts afforded one year protection against enrollment loss; district receive funding at higher of last or current year's ADA level
    - However, there will be a favorable financial impact in later years as the lower enrollment loss will be reflected in 2017-18 and subsequent years
    - Subsequent years continue to assume loss of 120 students plus another 85 students in 2017-18 and 2018-19 respectively.

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Adopted Budget	4,768	4,648	4,563
First Interim	4,822	4,702	4,617
Change	+54	+54	+54

### MYP Considerations (Cont'd)

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Unduplicated Students as a Percent of Total Enrollment – Statistic is based off a rolling 3 year average. Per the most recent (October 2016) unduplicated student percentage, statistics have been revised upwards as follows:

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Adopted Budget	79.79%	79.55%	79.12%
First Interim	80.17%	80.23%	80.23%
Change	+0.38%	+0.68%	+1.11%

### MYP Considerations (Cont'd)



#### Budget Reductions assumptions incorporated as part of the MYP:

Budget Reductions	at Adopted Budget	at First Interim
Certificated staffing	Staffing reduced commensurate with enrollment decline, 2017-18 forward	Unchanged from Adopted Budget
IMFRP contributions (Total IMFRP reserves at \$1.1 million)	Future IMFRP reserve contributions suspended. Total IMFRP reserves held at \$1.1 million	Unchanged from Adopted Budget
2016-17 One-time Discretionary Funds (\$1.1 million at Adopted Budget; \$1.0 million at First Interim)	Reserves released in its entirety 2017-18 & 2018-19 to meet District's 3% reserve requirement	Reserves released in its entirety in 2018-19
OPEB Reserves (\$591K)	Reserves released in its entirety in 2018-19	\$85K of the reserve released in 2018-19

### 2016-17 BPSD First Interim

Multi-year Projection (General Fund Combined)



	<u>2016-17</u>	<u>2017-18</u>	<u>2018-19</u>
Beginning Fund Balance	8,770,610	6,242,532	4,675,246
Excess/(Shortfall) after budget cuts	<2,528,078>	<1,567,286>	<1,123,886>
Ending Fund Balance	6,242,532	4,675,246	3,551,360
Ending Fund Balance			
Revolving Cash/Stores	92,436	92,436	92,436
Restricted Reserves	857,137	0	0
OPEB	592,092	592,092	512,092
IMFRP	1,122,490	1,122,490	1,122,490
Kid Connection	109,925	109,925	109,925
2015-16 One-time Discretionary	705,000	0	0
2016-17 One-time Discretionary	1,008,183	1,008,183	0
Designation for Economic Uncertainties	<u>1,755,269</u>	<u>1,750,120</u>	<u>1,714,417</u>
Total Ending Fund Balance	6,242,532	4,675,246	3,551,360
Design. For Economic Uncertainties %	3.03%	3.03%	3.01%

#### **Other Funds**



- Child Development Fund (Fund 12)
  - The Governing Board previously authorized acceptance of a preschool grant, totaling \$378.1K
  - These funds are budgeted as mandated by the State in Fund 12
- The Building Fund (Fund 21)
  - This fund has been updated to reflect the second issuance of our General Obligation bond in April 2017
  - Proceeds of \$12.2 million is anticipated
  - Of this amount \$4.2 million will be utilized to repay our outstanding 2016 Bond Anticipation Note (BAN) and the remaining \$8.0 million utilized to fund construction projects including the Gilbert & Whitaker Elementary modernization projects.

### Fiscal Solvency Statement



- OCDE requests Board approval of a Fiscal Solvency Statement
- In recognition of the challenges facing school districts from:
  - Volatility of State general fund revenues
  - Deficit spending in the unrestricted general fund
  - Declining enrollment
  - Increasing operational expenses, such as employer rate increase for CalSTRS and CalPERS
- The Board recognizes the need to implement budget reductions to eliminate or curtail unrestricted budget deficits projected in 2017-18 and 2018-19 of \$710K and \$1.1 million respectively.

#### **Staff Recommendation**



- Approve the following:
  - 2016-17 First Interim Report with a <u>positive</u> certification
  - Fiscal Solvency Statement.

## **Next Steps**



Date	Activity
On-going	Continue to communicate to public/staff the District's financial condition
January 10	Governor releases Governor's Proposal
Jan-June	2017-18 BPSD Budget Development
March 13	Second Interim Financials (financials as of Jan. 31st) due
Early May	Governor releases May Revise
May-June	Incorporate May Revise assumptions into 2017-18 BPSD Budget Development

