

City Schools Liaison Committee Staff Report

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Meeting Date: April 20, 2023

TITLE

City and Schools Collaborations Discussion (continued from March 16, 2023)

ANALYSIS

At the March 16, 2023 City / Schools Liaison Committee, the Committee deferred the last agenda item related to Collaborations between the City and Palo Alto Unified School District. The memo that was attached to the March 16, 2023 agenda is attached here. That memo is from June 2021 when this Committee last discussed this topic. The March 16 memo also included the purpose statement of the City Schools Liaison Committee. This March 16 memo is included as **Attachment A**.

In addition to that memo, there are a few other attachments included with this memo for awareness only. They generally relate to the topic of collaborations but are not central to the conversation. This includes the following:

- Letter from PAUSD to the City related to Cubberley (Attachment B)
- Enrollment Trends Report presented to the PAUSD Board of Education which includes a recommendation related to creating a lottery system for City employees' children to be able enroll into PAUSD (Attachment C and link:

https://go.boarddocs.com/ca/pausd/Board.nsf/files/CQ6MVL5D16D0/\$file/20230328EnrollmentTrendsandOptionsAdHocCommitteePresentation.pdf

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: March 2023 Memo re City and Schools Collaborations

Attachment B: Letter from PAUSD School Board to City of Palo Alto re Cubberley

Attachment C: PAUSD Enrollment Trends Ad Hoc Committee Presentation to the Board

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