LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION BOND CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

Stephen English, Chair
L.A. City Controller's Office
Pamela Schmidt, Vice-Chair
Early Education Coalition
Quynh Nguyen, Secretary
LAUSD Student Parent
Scott Folsom, Executive Committee

Tenth District PTSA

Stuart Magruder, Executive Committee

American Institute of Architects

Joseph P. Buchman – Legal Counsel Burke, Williams & Sorensen, LLP Thomas A. Rubin, CPA Oversight Committee Consultant Bill Brewington
Thirty-First District PTS

Thirty-First District PTSA

Paul Escala

CA Charter School Association

Garrett Francis

Assoc. General Contractors of CA

Elizabeth Lugo

LAUSD Student Parent

Abigail Marquez

L.A. City Mayor's Office

Ron Miller

L.A. Co. Federation of Labor AFL-CIO

John Naimo

L.A. Co. Auditor-Controller's Office

Scott Pansky

L.A. Area Chamber of Commerce

Barry Waite

CA Tax Reform Assn.

Susan Linschoten (Alternate)

L.A. Co. Auditor-Controller's Office

Gary C. Anderson, PhD
Bond Administrator
Daniel Hwang
Administrative Analyst

RESOLUTION 2014-14

BOARD REPORT NO. 391-13/14

AMENDMENT TO THE FACILITIES SERVICES DIVISION STRATEGIC EXECUTION PLAN TO CANCEL A CHARTER AUGMENTATION GRANT FOR THE CAMINO NUEVO CHARTER ACADEMY PROJECT

WHEREAS, District Staff proposes that the Board of Education approve an amendment to the Facilities Services Division (FSD) Strategic Execution Plan (SEP) to cancel the \$9,377,000 augmentation grant for the Camino Nuevo Charter Academy (Camino Nuevo) project as defined in Board of Education Report No. 391-13/14 attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, on June 18, 2013, the Board of Education approved an amendment to the FSD-SEP to approve an augmentation grant for the Camino Nuevo project in the amount of \$9,377,000, including \$450,000 for District costs; and authorized the Chief Facilities Executive, or his designee, to negotiate and execute all agreements necessary for the financing, construction and operation of this permanent charter school facility (BOE Report #318-12/13); and

WHEREAS, Camino Nuevo's proposed project consists of a 31-classroom facility to serve approximately 480 students in kindergarten through 8th grades; and

WHEREAS, the proposed project is located on a 2.2 acre site owned by Camino Nuevo located at 3400 West 3rd Street in Los Angeles; and

WHEREAS, the total proposed project cost is \$39,500,000, of which \$8,927,000 was to be funded by the District; and

WHEREAS, Camino Nuevo recently notified District staff that it has secured sufficient funding for the development of the project and therefore does not require an augmentation grant; and

WHEREAS, of the total \$9,377,000 District cost, approximately \$5,000 had been spent on District oversight, and no funding has been dispersed directly to Camino Nuevo; and

RESOLUTION 2014-14
AMENDMENT TO THE FACILITIES SERVICES DIVISION STRATEGIC EXECUTION PLAN TO CANCEL A CHARTER AUGMENTATION GRANT FOR THE CAMINO NUEVO CHARTER ACADEMY PROJECT
PAGE -2-

WHEREAS, this action, if approved, will enable approximately \$9,372,000 to be reallocated to the Bond Program for future charter school facility Projects; and

WHEREAS, District Staff has concluded that this proposed FSD-SEP Amendment will facilitate the implementation of the FSD-SEP, and therefore it will not adversely affect the District's ability to successfully complete the FSD-SEP.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. The School Construction Bond Citizens' Oversight Committee recommends that the Board of Education adopt an amendment to the Facilities Services Division Strategic Execution Plan to cancel the Camino Nuevo charter augmentation grant such that the Strategic Execution Plan is amended to include the cancellation of the Camino Nuevo charter augmentation grant as described in the Board Report No. 391-13/14 a copy of which is attached hereto in the form it was presented to the BOC and is incorporated herein by reference.
- 2. This resolution shall be transmitted to the Los Angeles Unified School District Board of Education and posted on the BOC's website.
- 3. That a written response, as required by the Charter and Memorandum of Understanding between the District and the BOC shall be provided to the BOC within 30 days, reporting either action taken or proposed to be taken in response to this resolution and each recommendation herein.

ADOPTED on April 24, 2014 by the following vote:

AYES: 10	ABSTENTIONS: 0
NAYS: 0	ABSENCES: 4
Pamela Schmidt	Quynh Nguyen
Pamela Schmidt	Quynh Nguyen
Vice-Chair	Secretary

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT



Board of Education Report

Report Number: 391-13/14

Date: May 13, 2014

Subject: Amendment to the Facilities Services Division Strategic Execution

Plan to Cancel a Charter Augmentation Grant for the Camino Nuevo

Charter Academy Project

Responsible Staff:

Name Mark Hovatter, Chief Facilities Executive

Office/Division Facilities Services Division

Telephone No. (213) 241-4811

BOARD REPORT

Action Proposed: Staff proposes that the Board of Education approve an amendment to the

Facilities Services Division (FSD) Strategic Execution Plan (SEP) to cancel the \$9,377,000 augmentation grant for the Camino Nuevo Charter

Academy (Camino Nuevo) project.

Background: On June 18, 2013, the Board of Education approved an amendment to the

FSD SEP to approve an augmentation grant for the Camino Nuevo project in the amount of \$9,377,000, including \$450,000 for District costs; and authorized the Chief Facilities Executive, or his designee, to negotiate and execute all agreements necessary for the financing, construction and operation of this permanent charter school facility (BOE Report #318-

12/13).

Camino Nuevo's proposed project consists of a 31-classroom facility to serve approximately 480 students in kindergarten through 8th grades. The proposed project is located on a 2.2 acre site owned by Camino Nuevo located at 3400 West 3rd Street in Los Angeles. The total proposed project cost is \$39,500,000, of which \$8,927,000 was to be funded by the District. The proposed project is located in Educational Service Center East and

Board District 2 (Mónica García).

Camino Nuevo recently notified District staff that it has secured sufficient funding for the development of the project and therefore does not require an augmentation grant. Approximately \$5,000 had been spent on District oversight, and no funding has been dispersed directly to Camino Nuevo.

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT



Board of Education Report

Expected Outcomes: This action, if approved, will cancel the augmentation grant for the

development of Camino Nuevo's new K-8 project, and amend the FSD-

SEP to reflect the cancellation.

Board Options and

Consequences:

Approval of the proposed action will cancel the charter augmentation grant for Camino Nuevo's new K-8 project. This action will enable approximately \$9,372,000 to be reallocated to the Bond Program for

future charter school facility Projects.

Policy Implications: This action is consistent with the District's Charter School Facilities

> Expansion Policy, adopted on April 10, 2007, which designates program requirements for projects that provide long-term facility solutions as an alternative to the annual Proposition 39 allocation of District facilities.

Camino Nuevo's request for an augmentation grant was in the amount of **Budget Impact:**

> \$8,927,000. The District's oversight cost associated with the project is an additional \$450,000. Of the total \$9,377,000 District cost, approximately \$5,000 had been spent on District oversight, and no funding has been dispersed directly to Camino Nuevo. Approximately \$9,372,000 will be reallocated to the Bond Program for future charter school facilities

projects.

Issues and Analysis: N/A.

Bond Oversight

Committee

Recommendations:

This item was considered by the School Construction Bond Citizens' Oversight Committee (BOC) at its April 24, 2014 meeting. Staff has concluded that this proposed SEP Amendment will facilitate the

implementation of the FSD-SEP, and therefore it will not adversely affect

the District's ability to successfully complete the FSD-SEP.

None. **Attachments:**

☐ Informative

□ Desegregation **Impact Statement**

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Board of Education Report



Respectfully submitted,	APPROVED BY:
DR. JOHN E. DEASY Superintendent	MICHELLE KING Senior Deputy Superintendent School Operations
	REVIEWED BY:
APPROVED BY:	DAVID HOLMQUIST General Counsel
	☐ Approved as to form.
MARK HOVATTER Chief Facilities Executive Facilities Services Division	
	TONY ATIENZA Director of Budget Services and Financial Planning
PRESENTED BY:	☐ Approved as to budget impact statement.
KRISZTINA TOKES Director of Asset Management Facilities Services Division	