

**Yuma Elementary School District No. One**      **\*Revised 11/20/2020**  
**Governing Board**  
**Public Hearing**

The Governing Board for Yuma Elementary School District No. One held a Public Hearing (Via Youtube Live on the District Facebook page due to COVID-19) October 13, 2020, at 5:00 p.m. in the District Office Board Room, 450 West Sixth Street, Yuma, Arizona

**Members present:**      **~~Mrs. Barbara Foote, President (remotely);~~ Mrs. Irene Montoya, Member; Mrs. Karen Griffin, Member; Mrs. Theresa Fox; Member.**

**Others present:**      **Mr. James Sheldahl, Superintendent; Other members of the District Administrative Staff**

**Call to Order:**

Mrs. Griffin facilitated the Public Hearing due to Mrs. Foote being under the weather ~~but on remotely~~. The Public Hearing was called to order at 5:00 p.m. Mrs. Griffin stated that the purpose of this Public Hearing was to give the public the opportunity to be updated on the Bond, then introduced Mrs. Valenzuela, Chief Financial Officer.

**Bond Update – FY 2019-2020:**

Presented by Elizabeth Valenzuela, CFO, starting with some background, in 2014 voters approved a 37-million-dollar bond to be used in the following categories; facility maintenance - \$13,514,118, safety & security improvements - \$2,000,000, supplying technology upgrades \$4,815,000, energy efficiency upgrades - \$1,000,000 and new construction – \$15,670,882.

Bond Expenditures for FY 2019-2020; the District finalized construction on new construction at Dorothy Hall for \$2.9 million dollars, new construction at Alice Byrne for \$1.5 million dollars, new construction at Palmcroft maker-space for \$587 thousand and new addition/ construction at Ron Watson at \$1.7 million. The remainder will be paid out in the current fiscal year to close out the bond.

Mr. Frank Evenson, Director of Facilities, Maintenance & Construction showed a video highlighting the completion of the above-named projects. Mrs. Griffin thanked Mrs. Valenzuela and Mr. Evenson for the update.

**Adjourn:** The Public Hearing adjourned at 5:14 p.m. Mrs. Griffin reminded the board and the public that the regular meeting for the month of October would commence at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Alice Quintero, Secretary to the Board

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Barbara Foote, President

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Irene Montoya, Member

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Karen Griffin, Member

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Theresa Fox, Member