TITLE IX SEXUAL HARASSMENT COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

NOTICE OF TITLE IX SEXUAL HARASSMENT POLICY

The district issues the following notification to employees, job applicants, and employee organizations: (34 CFR 106.8)

The district does not discriminate on the basis of sex in any education program or activity that it operates. The prohibition against discrimination on the basis of sex is required by federal law (20 USC 1681-1688; 34 CFR Part 106) and extends to employment. The district also prohibits retaliation against any employee for filing a complaint or exercising any right granted under Title IX.

Title IX requires a school district to take immediate and appropriate action to address any potential Title IX violations that are brought to its attention. Any inquiries about the application of Title IX, this notice, and who is protected by Title IX, may be referred to the district's Title IX Coordinator, to the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights of the U.S. Department of Education or both.

The district has designated and authorized the following employee as the district's Title IX Coordinator to address concerns or inquiries regarding discrimination on the basis of sex, including sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, and stalking:

Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources 605 Sylvan Ave. Modesto, CA 95350 209-574-5000

Any individual may report sex discrimination, including sexual harassment, (whether or not the person reporting is the person alleged to be the victim of conduct that could constitute sex discrimination or sexual harassment) to the Title IX Coordinator at any time, including during non-business hours, by mail, phone, or email, using the contact information listed above for the Title IX Coordinator, or by any other means that results in the Title IX Coordinator receiving the person's verbal or written report. During district business hours, reports may also be made in person.

Upon receiving an allegation of sexual harassment, the Title IX Coordinator will promptly notify the parties, in writing, of the applicable district complaint procedure, consistent with Board policies and law.

To view an electronic copy of the district's policies and administrative regulations on sexual harassment, including the grievance process that complies with 34 CFR 106.45, please see BP/AR 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment and AR 4119.12/4219.12/4319.12 - Title IX

Sexual Harassment Complaint Procedures on the district's web site at https://www.sylvan.k12.ca.us/departments/human-resources/title-ix.

To inspect or obtain a copy of the district's sexual harassment policies and administrative regulations, please contact:

Sylvan Union School District Human Resources Department 605 Sylvan Ave. Modesto, CA 95350 (209) 574-5000

Materials used to train the Title IX Coordinator, investigator(s), decisionmaker(s), and any person who facilitates an informal resolution process are also publicly available on the district's web site or at the district office upon request.

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