

**Irvine Unified School District**  
*Irvine, California*

**Board of Education**  
**Minutes of Special Meeting**  
**February 16, 2006**

The second of two Community Forums regarding transition to a K-5, 6-8 Grade Level Configuration was convened by Superintendent Waldfogel at 7:00 p.m. at Irvine High School. Superintendent Waldfogel introduced the Board Members in attendance and reviewed the purpose and process for the meeting.

In attendance:

*Board Members:*

Sue Kuwabara  
Carolyn McInerney  
Sharon Wallin

*Staff:*

Bruce Baron  
Dennis Gibbs  
Pat Gibson  
Catherine Holmes  
Beverley Khalil-White  
Kathy McKeown  
Craig Ritter  
Mark Sontag  
Kristen Voeltz

***K-5, 6-8 Grade Level Configuration***

Staff provided a Powerpoint presentation outlining the process and rationale leading to the recommendation to transition to a K-5, 6-8 grade level configuration, and reviewed tentative timelines, communication plans, and guiding principles.

Following the presentation, Board Members and staff responded to questions from the audience.

***Adjournment***

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Sue Kuwabara  
Board President

Dean Waldfogel  
Superintendent of Schools