

**PERRIS UNION HIGH SCHOOL
RESOLUTION NO. 14:20-21**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD AND
PIGGYBACKING FOR PROCUREMENT OF FURNITURE
AND EQUIPMENT FOR LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, the Governing Board (the “Board”) of the Perris Union High School District (the “District”) has determined that a true and very real need exists for the utilization of Piggyback Contracts and other Cooperative Purchasing Agreements as it relates to the procurement of furniture and equipment for Liberty High School; and

WHEREAS, lead times to receive furniture and equipment have drastically increased due to COVID-19 and related manufacturing and supply chain delays, and the District has critical deadlines to issue contracts and purchase orders, and place orders in order to receive and install furniture and equipment prior to the opening of Liberty High School; and

WHEREAS, the governing board of a school district may under Section 20118 of the California Public Contract Code, without advertising for bids, if the board has determined it to be in the best interest of the district, authorize by contract, lease, requisition or purchase order, any public corporation or agency to lease data-processing equipment, purchase materials, supplies, equipment, automotive vehicles, tractors, services and other personal property for the district in the manner in which the public corporation is authorized by law to lease or purchase; and

WHEREAS, the governing board of a school district, under Sections 10298 and 10299 of the California Public Contract Code may, without competitive bidding, contract with suppliers that have been awarded contracts, master agreements, multiple award schedules, cooperative agreements or other types of agreements, including agreements with entities outside the state or other agreements that leverage the state’s buying power, for acquisitions of information technology, goods and services; and

WHEREAS, the District has previously issued RFP #021121 for office furniture, and RFP #032921 for classroom and ancillary furniture, together encompassing a vast majority of the furniture and equipment needed for Liberty High School; and

WHEREAS, Request for Proposal (RFP) #021121 is scheduled for review, consideration and approval by the Board on March 17, 2021, and RFP #032921 is scheduled for ratification by the Board on April 21, 2021; and

WHEREAS, to meet all other critical furniture and equipment timelines for Liberty High School, the Board of the District has determined that it is in the best interest of the District to authorize procurement utilizing Piggyback Contracts and other Cooperative Purchasing Agreements that have been evaluated and approved for use acquiring furniture and equipment for Liberty High School; and

WHEREAS, the Board agrees that the validity of Piggyback Contracts and other Cooperative Purchasing Agreements would best be determined by the Deputy Superintendent of Business Services, or designee; and

WHEREAS, the Board would ratify the use of the Liberty High School furniture and equipment Piggyback Contracts and other Cooperative Purchasing Agreements at subsequent regularly scheduled meetings of the Board, as required.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE PERRIS UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, ORDER AND DETERMINE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are hereby incorporated by this reference.

Section 2. The Board hereby finds and determines the utilization of Piggyback Contracts and other Cooperative Purchasing Agreements, pursuant to Public Contract Code Sections 10298, 10299 and 20118 to be in the best interest of the District since these contracts and agreements have already been through a competitive process.

Section 3. The Board hereby delegates to the Deputy Superintendent of Business Services, or designee the authority to evaluate and determine the validity of any and all Piggyback Contracts or other Cooperative Purchasing Agreements available to the District.

Section 4. The Superintendent or Superintendent's designee is hereby authorized and directed to do any and all things, and to execute and deliver any and all documents which they may, in consultation with legal counsel, deem necessary or advisable in order to consummate this transaction and otherwise carry out, give effect to and comply with the terms and intent of this Resolution.

Section 5. This Resolution shall be effective as of the date of its adoption.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED by the Board of Trustees of the Perris Union High School District, this 17th day of March, 2021 by the following vote:

AYES:	Dr. Jose Luis Araux	_____
	Anthony T. Stafford, Sr.	_____
NOS:	Dr. Randall Freeman	_____
ABSTAIN:	David G. Nelissen	_____
ABSENT	Elizabeth Vallejo	_____

Dr. Jose Luis Araux, President of the Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

Dr. Randall Freeman, Clerk of the Board of Trustees

I, Dr. Randall Freeman, Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the Perris Union High School District, hereby certify that this Resolution was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Board held on March 17, 2021 and that it remains in full force and effect.

Dr. Randall Freeman, Clerk of the Board of Trustees