



**BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1J, MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON**

**APRIL 14, 2015 MEETING OVERVIEW**

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A Special Meeting of the Board of Education came to order at 7:30pm at the call of Co-Chair Ruth Adkins in the Board Auditorium of the Blanchard Education Service Center, 501 N. Dixon St, Portland, Oregon.

**Attendance:**

Co-Chairs Adkins and Knowles; Directors Belisle, Buel, Koehler and Regan; Student Representative Jayaswal; Superintendent Smith; present. Director Morton absent.

**Public Comment:**

Maria deSilva: Latino parents at Rigler feel they are not being heard and have filed complaints with the District.

Amy Geoffroy: In support of Reach 20/20 and full inclusion for Special Education students.

**Comments from the Portland Association of Teachers**

Concerned about the 2015/16 proposed budget and the need for additional high school teachers.

**Presentations:**

All Hands Raised  
Superintendent's Budget Message

**The Board approved the following items:**

- Business Agenda

**Board Discussions:**

Director Koehler moved and Director Regan seconded the motion to hire an independent auditor to review central office administrator salaries. Receiving a 3-3 vote, the motion failed.

**Adjourn**

Co-Chair Adkins adjourned the meeting at 9:44pm.

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