

Agenda Item:	III A: Action Item
Date:	July 13, 2023
To:	Magnolia Educational & Research Foundation dba Magnolia Public Schools (“MPS”) Board of Directors (the “Board”)
From:	Alfredo Rubalcava, CEO & Superintendent
Staff Lead(s):	Suat Acar, Chief Operations Officer
RE:	Approval of MPS Teaching Assignments per EdCode (“EC”) 44258.3

1. Action Proposed:

I move that the Board approve the listed academic teaching assignments for the listed teacher(s) per EC 44258.3.

2. Background

California EC 44358.3 allows for local education agencies to grant teachers with a preliminary or clear credential to teach subject matters outside of their credential subject area by submitting a petition with supporting documentation demonstrating competency. During the August 2021 Board of Directors meeting, the EC 44358.3 procedures and process was presented and approved.

Eligible MPS teachers interested to teach subject matters outside of their credential subject have submitted their petitions to the school principals. The school principals reviewed/signed the petition and forwarded it to the established MPS Ed Code panel for determination of the teachers’ subject matter knowledge. Upon review of all available information, the panel made their decision on the petition(s) and notified the principal of their decision. The chosen teacher for the assignment is listed in the attachment below and submitted for the review and approval of the MPS Board of Directors prior to the beginning of the assignment.

3. Analysis:

The purpose of the policy is to approve teaching assignments on an annual, renewable basis so that courses will be taught by approved educators. This will:

1. Reduce the number of misassignments in CALPADS,
2. Allow for the schools to utilize their existing teaching staff to fill open positions rather than relying on substitutes, and
3. Allow for the continued professional growth of our staff who would like to broaden their teaching experience.

4. **Scope:**

The scope of the practice applies to all MPS school sites.

5. **Budget Implications:** There are no budget implications.

6. **Exhibits:**

- Approved Assignments EC 44258.3



**Approved Assignments
EC 44258.3**

School District Name and Number: Magnolia Public Schools

The following assignments have been approved by the Subject Matter Panel:

The assignment is for one year and must be approved PRIOR to the start of the assignment. If this is an extension of the original subject matter approval, the district and the teacher have consented to the extension.

School	Teacher	SEID	Subject	Start date of assignment (2023-2024)	Date approved by Subject Matter Panel
Magnolia Science Academy 1	Kim Geiger	3539309322	ELA	August 1, 2023	July 6, 2023