

**SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Agenda Item 8.1

Meeting Date: August 2, 2018

Subject: Approve the Renaming of Kit Carson International Academy Theater to
The Joshua Wingert Theater

- Information Item Only
- Approval on Consent Agenda
- Conference (for discussion only)
- Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: _____)
- Conference/Action
- Action
- Public Hearing

Division: Facilities Support Services

Recommendation: Approve the Renaming of Kit Carson International Academy
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Memorial Service for Joshua Wingert: This service was attended by 400-500 friends, family and community members to celebrate the life of Joshua Wingert. Many of the signatures were collected at this event that affirmed that idea to name the building in honor of Josh. Over the next month, signatures were gathered from over 2000 community members in support the name Joshua Wingert Theater. The support came from students, parents, Kit Carson International Academy staff, East Sac Little league and soccer, East Sac Boy scouts, as well as community members who knew Joshua. Not a single person voiced opposition to the suggestion.

Open House: Mr. Chapa detailed the theater suggestion to over 100 parents who attended the Open House. Many parents signed a petition in support.

School Site Council Meeting: The citizen advisory committee met and unanimously agreed to recommend to the Board that our black box theater be named "The Joshua Wingert Theater."

Recommendation to the Board of Education is to rename the Kit Carson International Academy Theater to The Joshua Wingert Theater. BP 7310 requires that a student be deceased for at least one year. Joshua passed away in February, 2018. However, the Board may waive this policy require(Sa)TjEMC H(de)3(-4(4(o)-2)4(p)9(y)4(((Sa)(t)4)-4(imo)12.1(10(r t)6)J-1(t)6-4(u)g)-2 w(y)4(e