

**BERKELEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
RESOLUTION 19-043**

**RESOLUTION TO TRANSFER ALL AUTHORITY AND POWERS OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT TO D. BRENT STEPHENS DURING TRANSITION**

WHEREAS, Dr. Donald Evans, Ed.D., has announced his retirement as the Berkeley Unified School District's ("District") Superintendent, effective July 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2019, the District's Governing Board ("Board") appointed Dr. D. Brent Stephens, Ed.D., to serve as the District's Superintendent beginning July 1, 2019; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to District Board Policy (Bylaw, "BB") 9000, the Board is responsible for employing the Superintendent and providing support to the Superintendent to carry out the Board's directions; and

WHEREAS, beginning on July 1, 2019 and through July 31, 2019, both Dr. Evans and Dr. Stephens will serve as Superintendent in order to facilitate a smooth and efficient leadership transition; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to establish and ensure a clear chain of command and organizational structure during the transition period;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board hereby transfers all legal authority and powers of the Office of the Superintendent for the District from Dr. Evans to Dr. Stephens effective July 1, 2019, and effective July 1, 2019 Dr. Stephens shall be granted all powers and authority provided under Education Code section 35035 et. seq. to serve as the Chief Executive Officer for the District, and all other power and authority pursuant to District Board Policies, Administrative Regulations and Dr. Stephens agreement with the Board.

ADOPTED, SIGNED and APPROVED this 26th day of June 2019.

President of the Governing Board of
Berkeley Unified School District

I, _____, Clerk of the Board of Education of the Berkeley Unified School District, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was regularly introduced, passed and adopted by the Board of Education at its regularly scheduled meeting held on _____.

_____, Clerk
Berkeley Unified School District

AYES: _____
NOES: _____
ABSTAIN: _____
ABSENT: _____