



Folsom City Council Staff Report

MEETING DATE:	12/9/2025
AGENDA SECTION:	New Business
SUBJECT:	Resolution No. 11526 – A Resolution Establishing the 2026 American River Canyon School District Boundary Ad Hoc Committee
FROM:	City Manager's Office

RECOMMENDATION / CITY COUNCIL ACTION

Staff recommends that the City Council approve Resolution No. 11526 - A Resolution Establishing the 2026 American River Canyon School District Boundary Ad Hoc Committee and provide direction to staff regarding:

1. Assignment of up to two City Councilmembers to the Ad Hoc Committee;
2. Method of identifying and selecting Committee members;
3. Timeline for completing the Committee’s work; and

BACKGROUND / ISSUE

The Folsom Cordova Unified School District (FCUSD) serves all transitional-kindergarten through 12 grade students (TK-12) in the City of Folsom through its extensive educational programs and facilities. FCUSD’s services to Folsom students extend into the American River Canyon neighborhood of the City, which is not officially within the FCUSD jurisdictional boundaries. Instead, the American River Canyon neighborhood falls within the San Juan Unified School District (SJUSD) jurisdictional boundaries.

Through agreement between FCUSD and SJUSD, students residing in the American River Canyon neighborhood have been permitted to attend FCUSD schools instead of schools operated and managed by SJUSD.

POLICY / RULE

Section 2.04(G) of the City Charter authorizes the Mayor to establish ad hoc committees, subject to the approval of the City Council, for a term not to exceed one year.

ANALYSIS

Students residing in the American River Canyon neighborhood of the City have been permitted to attend FCUSD schools for many years, including transitional kindergarten, kindergarten, elementary school, and high school. Over the years parents of these students have voiced a desire to have their children continue attending FCUSD schools as a matter of right and not with permission from the SJUSD.

The City Council desires to form an ad hoc committee to review of the jurisdictional boundaries of FCUSD and SJUSD to determine whether adjustments should be made to formally incorporate the American River Canyon neighborhood into the FCUSD boundary.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The financial impact is negligible. Sufficient funds exist in the City’s General Fund to cover expenses related to ad hoc committee meetings.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

The action is exempt under Section 15061(b)(3) – the common sense rule of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because the proposed creating of an Ad Hoc Charter Review Committee has no potential to cause significant effects on the environment.

ATTACHMENT

1. Resolution 11526 - A Resolution Establishing the 2026 American River Canyon School District Boundary Ad Hoc Committee

Respectfully submitted,

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