

All City Council's Student Director Report  
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On the 23<sup>rd</sup> of September, the All City Council Governing board had its Governing Board Meeting to get ready for the October 17<sup>th</sup> High school meeting at Oakland Tech. We plan to regroup student leaders on our campaign and the strategy of the year which is to empower students to improve adult and student communication and relationships. We also want to work with the student leaders on how to choose the correct tactics for their own school and what works best for what they are trying to accomplish. We also plan to discuss the Local Control Funding Formula with our student delegates and how that will impact them. The next steps would be that every school represented on the ACC will hold a school-wide adult and student forum on safety, school culture and climate by December of this year.

On Oct 2<sup>nd</sup>, we held the MSE youth meeting with youth organizers from Bay Peace, Californians For Justice, Da Town Researchers, ACC governing board, Teens on Target, LIBRE, and Youth Together. We learned about the different types of oppression. We learned about how institutional oppression affects all OUSD students. We also discussed the disproportionate number of suspension rates for students of color, specifically for African American males. We got a chance to look at the California Healthy Kids Survey data on safety and student and adult communication as well as the findings from our youth action research from last year. This helped us develop language to defend the work for this year. We went on to discuss and develop our strategy, recommendations and proposals, to get us closer to win our Making A-G Real Campaign, specifically under the branch of safety. Students discussed needing respect from their teachers and all the other adults on campus. One concern was that students felt that adults were too quick to assume.