

Diana Rodriguez - Suruki

Trustee – Sacramento City Unified School District



Diana Rodriguez-Suruki is currently serving her second term as an elected Trustee of the Sacramento City Unified School District where she has worked to secure over \$370 million dollars in new educational funding for Sacramento County schools. As School Board President, she led the effort to keep schools open during the budget crisis and kept the district's \$480 million budget balanced, while passing a policy requiring administrators to disclose the details of agreements made with private contractors.

This new policy helped uncover wasteful spending for services not related to education and redirected the funds into the classroom. During her tenure on the Board, significant academic progress has been made in under performing schools.