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To inspire each student to extraordinary achievement every day

May 2, 2025

To Staff and the Twin Rivers School Community,

Our pace is intense, but the energy remains high as we move into the busy start to May. With all that we're accomplishing, I want to pause for a moment to highlight the significant progress we've made together, effectively captured in our recent State of the District presentation at the We Are TR Foundation event held in April. This report offers a clear look at our progress and our journey forward, a direct result of the hard work and dedication of our entire Twin Rivers community in serving nearly 25,000 students representing 53 different languages.

Key highlights include:

- The completion of an impressive **106** major projects (2024-2025) totaling **\$212 million** in improvements to our schools and facilities
- Invested \$68 million and completed 33 projects in the 2023-2024 school year
- Currently, 119 projects in progress or planning stages totaling more than
 \$151 million

You can explore the details of the State of the District report by clicking on these links: 2024-2025 State of the District Report | State of the District Video | Facilities Update | Athletics | Elevating Every Learner

The We Are TR Foundation plays a vital role in directly supporting the future success of our students. Through their generous fundraising efforts, the Foundation provides scholarships to graduating TR seniors. These scholarships—totaling \$35,000 this year—will help our deserving students achieve their goals.

Congratulations to this year's recipients who were celebrated at the We Are TR Foundation event!

\$5,000 Scholarships:

- Wania Shah (Rio Linda High School)
- Melany Navarrete (Grant Union High School)
- Leo Garcia Gonzalez (Creative Connections Arts Academy)

\$2,500 Scholarships:

- Aarmon Smith (Grant Union High School)
- Amy Lopez (Grant Union High School)
- Schonette Sanders (Grant Union High School)
- Luis Martinez-Cornejo (Foothill High School)
- Muskan Khogyani (Foothill High School)
- Carter Williams (Rio Linda High School)
- Joshua Ross (Rio Linda High School)
- Mohammad Zaki Yousofi (Rio Linda High School)

Our sincere gratitude to the We Are TR Foundation for making a difference.

#TRUSDProud Alert!

Two graduates of our district are living their dreams! Congratulations to Cam Skattebo (Rio Linda High/Arizona State) and Omarr Norman-Lott (Grant Union High/University of Tennessee) on being selected in the 2025 NFL Draft. Cam was drafted by the New York Giants; Omarr, the Kansas City Chiefs. To see these young men, who once walked our hallways and played their hearts out on our football fields, reach this rare level of professional sports is a powerful reminder of their dedication, talent, and belief in themselves. We are incredibly proud of these TR alumni.

Warm regards,

Steve Martinez, Ed.D.

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