



PRESS RELEASE – ORANGE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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**OUSD REQUESTS COMMUNITY INPUT
REGARDING INCOMING SUPERINTENDENT**

ORANGE, Calif., March 27, 2008 – The Board of Education of the Orange Unified School District is in the process of selecting a new District Superintendent. Community input about the desired characteristics to be used in recruiting and selecting this person is desired. The Board of Education is soliciting input to respond to the prompt: *What personal and professional qualities for an incoming superintendent will be a match for the Orange Unified School District?*

Dr. Rene Townsend and Dr. Mike Caston of *Leadership Associates* were selected to advise the Board in this important process. They will be at the District Office on Friday, April 18, 2008.

Individual input from members of the community (parents, employees and others interested in the District) is desired. An Open Forum will be held at the District Office in Board Room 3 from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Friday, April 18th. Members of the community are invited to attend and participate in the Open Forum, where ideas will be heard and the process discussed.

If you are unable to attend the Open Forum, you may send a fax to 949-461-9119 or an email to leadershipassociates@cox.net. To speak by phone to either Dr. Townsend or Dr. Caston, you may call 949-461-9119.

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*The Orange Unified School District is located at
1401 North Handy Street in Orange, California.*