

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR  
AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS OF THE PLANNING, EFFECTIVENESS AND  
GOVERNANCE, TEACHING AND LEARNING, ADVANCEMENT AND PARTNERSHIP,  
RESOURCES AND EQUITY COMMITTEES  
OF MARCH 4, 2025

President Alcala called the Board of Trustees meeting to order at 6:01p.m. in the District Office, Board Room, 3801 Market Street, Riverside, California.

CALL TO ORDER

Trustees Present

Mr. Jose Alcala, President  
Ms. Virginia Blumenthal, Vice President  
Ms. Mary Figueroa, Secretary  
Dr. Keri Then, Board Member  
Mr. Bill Hedrick, Board Member (arrived 6:09 p.m.)  
Mr. Jose Maya, Student Trustee

Staff Present

Dr. Wolde-Ab Isaac, Chancellor  
Mr. Aaron Brown, Vice Chancellor, Business & Financial Services  
Dr. Eric Bishop, Interim Vice Chancellor, Educational Services and Strategic Planning  
Ms. Tammy Few, Vice Chancellor, Human Resources and Employee Relations  
Ms. Rebekkah Goldware, Vice Chancellor, Institutional Advancement and Economic Development  
Dr. FeRita Carter, Interim President, Moreno Valley College  
Dr. Monica Green, President, Norco College  
Dr. Claire Oliveros, President, Riverside City College  
Mr. Keith Dobyns, General Counsel

Guests Present

Dr. Renee Martin-Thornton, Director, Health Services, Riverside City College  
Mr. Kevin Wurtz, Mental Health Services Supervisor, Riverside City Manager  
Dr. Lynette Navarro-Sullivan, Mental Health Services Supervisor, Moreno Valley College  
Dr. Tracy Bennett, Director, Health Services, Moreno Valley College  
Ms. LaShe' Rodriguez, Director, Government Relations  
Dr. Biewei Tu, Director, Risk Management  
Mr. Mark DiMaggio, Chief, Police Services  
Dr. Lorraine Jones, District Compliance Officer

Trustee Then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

A written public comment was received from Alan Wohlfarth.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

CHANCELLOR'S COMMUNICATION

Chancellor Isaac commented on the following:

Chancellor's Communications

- Recognized the Celebration of Women's History Month.
- Department of Education Update

- California Community College Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) invited our district to lead a regional workshop called Vision 2030. The workshop will help align our strategic plans with the state. The workshop is scheduled for May 6 and May 7.
- CCCCCO invited our district leadership to participate with IEHP to review our mental health support for the Equitable Healthcare Access Demonstration Project.
- Met with City of Corona City Manager, Councilmember Jacque Casillas, Trustee Hedrick, Vice Chancellor Brown, and Associate Vice Chancellor Agah to discuss the property on Parkridge Ave. and Main St. in Corona.
- Attended the Community College CEO Artificial Intelligence (AI) Leadership Bootcamp in Newport Beach. The three main drivers to why we should focus on AI are to assist in efficiency, productivity, and innovation.
- Attended Senator Sabrina Cervantes' Community Swearing-In with Trustees Alcalá, Blumenthal, Figueroa, and Hedrick; and provided remarks at her event.
- Attended American Council for Education webinar on 'More Policy Shifts, More Uncertainty for Colleges'.
- An informational webinar will be held on March 6 by RCOE/RCCD Executive Team for RCCD's trustees and all trustees in our six K-12 districts. A face-to-face meeting is being planned soon where everyone will be present.
- Will be attending the CCLC 2025 CEO Symposium in Monterey, March 12-15.
- A meeting will be held with Paulette Brown-Hinds and Foundation Director, Jeffry Kaatz, to explore potential areas of partnership with the Irvine Foundation.

Vice Chancellor Few presented the CSEA, Chapter #535, Initial Sunshine Bargaining Proposal, 2025 Summer Workweek.

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Committee Chair Then convened the meeting at 6:18 p.m. Committee members in attendance: Academic Senate Representatives: Dr. Esteban Navas, Moreno Valley College, Ms. Jo Scott-Coe, Riverside City College (Zoom); Mr. Dan Reade, District/Norco College; and CSEA Representative Mr. Stephen Ashby.

#### TEACHING & LEARNING COMMITTEE

Dr. Bishop introduced the Health Services administrators to present the RCCD Student Health & Psychological Services presentation to the Board of Trustees. Discussion followed.

RCCD Student Health & Psychological Services

The Committee adjourned the meeting at 6:50 p.m.

Adjourned.

Committee Chair Hedrick convened the meeting at 6:51 p.m.  
Committee members in attendance: Academic Senate  
Representatives: Dr. Esteban Navas, Moreno Valley College,  
Ms. Jo Scott-Coe, Riverside City College (Zoom); Mr. Dan  
Reade, District/Norco College; and CSEA Representative  
Mr. Stephen Ashby.

ADVANCEMENT & PARTNERSHIP  
COMMITTEE

Ms. Goldware introduced Ms. Rodriguez to present 2025  
RCCD Legislative Program Sacramento and Washington  
Advocacy Update to the Board of Trustees. Discussion  
followed.

2025 RCCD Legislative Program  
Sacramento and Washington  
Advocacy Update

Ms. Goldware presented the Measure C/CC Citizens' Bond  
Oversight Committee Applications to the Board of Trustees  
for review.

Measure C/CC Citizens' Bond  
Oversight Committee Applications

The Committee adjourned the meeting at 7:19 p.m.

Adjourned.

Board President Alcalá convened the meeting at 7:20 p.m.  
Committee members in attendance: Academic Senate  
Representatives: Dr. Esteban Navas, Moreno Valley College,  
Ms. Jo Scott-Coe, Riverside City College (Zoom); Mr. Dan  
Reade, District/Norco College; and CSEA Representative  
Mr. Stephen Ashby.

RESOURCES COMMITTEE

Mr. Brown introduced Ms. Tu and Chief DiMaggio to present  
the Emergency Preparedness and Safety Update to the Board  
of Trustees. Discussion followed.

Emergency Preparedness and  
Safety Update

The Committee adjourned the meeting at 7:42 p.m.

Adjourned.

Committee Chair Figueroa convened the meeting at 7:42 p.m.  
Committee members in attendance: Academic Senate  
Representatives: Dr. Esteban Navas, Moreno Valley College,  
Ms. Jo Scott-Coe, Riverside City College (Zoom); Mr. Dan  
Reade, District/Norco College; and CSEA Representative  
Mr. Stephen Ashby.

EQUITY COMMITTEE

Ms. Few introduced Dr. Jones to present the Annual Equal  
Employment Opportunity Certification Form - Y1 to the  
Board of Trustees for review. Discussion followed.

Annual Equal Employment  
Opportunity Certification Form -  
Y1

The Committee adjourned the meeting at 8:07 p.m.

Adjourned.

OTHER BUSINESS

Item pulled from agenda by Board President Alcalá.

Resolution No. 70-24/25  
Authorizing the General

Contractors Prequalification  
Package for the Norco College  
Center for Human Performance &  
Kinesiology Project

The Board adjourned the meeting at 8:09 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Official Minutes Approved on: April 15, 2025

Certified By: Rachelle Gripe