

RIVERSIDE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA

April 8, 2015 – 4:00 p.m.

Riverside County Office of Education – 4th Floor Board Room
3939 Thirteenth Street
Riverside, CA 92502

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THE AGENDA ON THE DAY OF THE NOTICED MEETING**

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ORDER OF THE AGENDA

THE ORDER OF BUSINESS MAY BE CHANGED WITHOUT NOTICE

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENTS

AGENDA ITEMS

CONSENT ITEMS

ACTION ITEMS

INFORMATION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

CALL TO ORDER – 4:00 p.m.

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PUBLIC COMMENTS

This item is placed on the agenda so that members of the audience have an opportunity to speak to any item on the agenda or regarding subjects or concerns that do not appear on the agenda. Any person wishing to speak is required to complete the “Request to Address the Board” form found at the back of the room and to bring it forward to the Board Secretary. Each person wishing to address the Board will be limited to five minutes without the ability to transfer the time to another speaker. Board Bylaw 9323 limits the total time for public input on each items, subject, or concern to 20 minutes. Government Code Section 54954.2 and Education Code Section 35145.5 prohibit the Board of Education from discussing or acting upon matters not on the agenda.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION – MILO P. JOHNSON AWARD OF DISTINCTION

In 1999, the Riverside County Board of Education created the annual Milo P. Johnson Award of Distinction, to honor an individual who demonstrates and possesses traits and characteristics such as continuously seeking opportunities to innovate, improve, and expand their services; understanding their role in contributing to student success, and providing service that is prompt, courteous, honest and accurate in anticipating and responding to the needs of those we serve. The award is designed to honor one RCOE employee who continually exhibits extraordinary service and support in all that they do. At its April 8 meeting, the RCBE will announce the 2015 recipient of their prestigious award.

AGENDA ITEMS:

CONSENT ITEMS

Consent Agenda Items 1-3 are considered routine and may be enacted by a single motion.

CONSENT ITEM 1

Subject: Minutes of the Riverside County Board of Education (RCBE) Regular Meeting of March 11, 2015.

Consent Item 1 Attachment: [RCBE Meeting Minutes of March 11, 2015](#)

CONSENT ITEM 2 (DOC)

Subject: Temporary County Certificates

Consent Item 2 Attachment: [Certification List #CL 04-15](#)

CONSENT ITEM 3

Subject: Donations

- [\\$1,465.00 for INTEL International Science and Engineering Fair \(ISEF\)](#). (From 22 combined donors)
- [\\$7,000.00 from A Foundation for Kids and Loft 84](#) to host a prom night on May 9, 2015 for Arlington Regional Learning Center Students.

Consent Item 3 Attachment: None

Staff Recommendation: Approve consent agenda items 1, 2 and 3 as presented.

ACTION ITEMS

ACTION ITEM 1 (DOC)

Subject: Notice of Violation – River Springs Charter School

Background Information: In October and November of 2013, the Riverside County Office of Education (RCOE) received written and oral complaints regarding several areas of operations of River Springs Charter School (River Springs). The Complaints were made by former River Springs employees as well as parents of current River Springs students. RCOE staff followed up with the complainants to obtain additional information and determine the credibility of the complainants, and staff ultimately determined that a formal investigation was warranted. Best, Best & Krieger, LLP, conducted the investigation as an outside party. In response to the investigation report, the Riverside County Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) conducted a special education audit and confirmed findings of noncompliance at River Springs Charter School. As a result of those findings, the superintendent's staff has drafted a Notice of Violation for the Board's review and consideration.

Action Item 1 Attachment: [RCOE Letter to River Springs](#); [B,B & K Investigation Report](#); [RC SELPA Audit Letter](#); [RC SELPA Report](#); [RC SELPA Letter of Assurances](#); [RC SELPA Audit Follow-up Letter](#); [RSCS Ed Benefit Review](#); [Corrective Plan Calendar](#); [PowerPoint – Staff Recommendations \(added April 7, 2015\)](#)

ACTION ITEM 2 (DOC)

Subject: Budget Revisions, March 1 through March 31, 2015

Background Information: Per the provisions of California Education Code Section 1280, revision in excess of \$25,000 to the annual county school services fund budget of the Riverside County Superintendent of Schools reflecting the period of March 1 through March 31, 2015 will be submitted to the Riverside County Board of Education for discussion and approval.

Action Item 2 Attachment: None

ACTION ITEM 3 (DOC)

Subject: Appoint an *Ex Officio* to the Riverside County Education Academy Board of Directors

Background Information: The Riverside County Board of Education approved Riverside County Education Academy’s petition to form a nonprofit public benefit charter school on October 12, 2011. The governing board that authorizes a charter for the formation of a charter school is entitled to a single *ex officio* representative to serve on the board of directors of the nonprofit public benefit corporation. Dr. Bill Hendrick, *ex officio* appointee, resigned in December 2014, leaving a vacancy on the Riverside County Education Academy Board of Directors which the Board will be asked to fill.

Action Item 3 Attachment: None

INFORMATION ITEMS

INFORMATION ITEM 1 (DOC)

Subject: Alternative Education LCAP Update

Background Information: The Board will receive an update of Alternative Education’s LCAP.

Item 1 Attachment: [Alt Ed LCAP Update](#); [Alt Ed Stakeholder Engagement](#)

INFORMATION ITEM 2 (DOC)

Subject: Budget Development Update

Background Information: The Board will receive an update on the Riverside County Superintendent of Schools 2015-2016 budget being developed to provide direct services to district schools and staff.

Item 2 Attachment: [Budget Development Update](#)

INFORMATION ITEM 3 (DOC)

Subject: Legislative Update

Background Information: The Board will receive its monthly update of legislative activity.

Item 3 Attachment: [Legislative Update](#)

INFORMATION ITEM 4 (DOC)

Subject: Quarterly Facility Update

Background Information: The Board will receive its Quarterly Facility Update.

Item 4 Attachment: [Quarterly Facility Update](#)

INFORMATION ITEM 5 (DOC)

Subject: Quarterly Surplus Report

Background Information: The Board will receive its Quarterly Surplus Report.

Item 5 Attachment: [Disposal Report](#); [Check Register](#)

INFORMATION ITEM 6

Subject: Board President and Member Comments and Future Agenda Items

RECESS

CLOSED SESSION

INTER DISTRICT TRANSFER APPEAL HEARINGS

Subject: #1415-25, Perris Union High School District to Val Verde Unified School District

Subject: #1415-26, Perris Union High School District to Murrieta Valley Unified School District

Subject: #1415-27, Perris Union High School District to Murrieta Valley Unified School District

Subject: #1415-28, Perris Union High School District to Murrieta Valley Unified School District

Subject: #1415-29, Perris Union High School District to Murrieta Valley Unified School District

ADJOURNMENT