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Mr. Ed Acosta • Ms. Rose Filicetti • Ms. Sandra Nichols • Ms. Sue Roth
Mr. Abel Sanchez • Mr. Bruce Van Allen • Ms. Alyssa Wall

Santa Cruz County Board of Education
Special Board Meeting
Thursday January 14, 2021
Open Session 3:00PM
VIRTUAL Meeting hosted from the Board Room

APPROVED MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

Board Present (via videoconference)

Ed Acosta Sandra Nichols, Sue Roth, Abel Sanchez (Vice President), Bruce Van Allen, Alyssa Wall, and Rose Filicetti (President)

Staff Present (via videoconference)

Faris Sabbah (Secretary), Christine Bennett, Debi Bodenheimer, Sage Leibenson, and Liann Reyes

Absent

None

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Superintendent Sabbah (Secretary) led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Agenda approved as submitted (Nichols/Roth 7/0).

Ayes: Acosta, Filicetti, Nichols, Roth, Sanchez, Van Allen, Alyssa Wall

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: None

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

5. CORRESPONDENCE

6. REPORTS, PRESENTATIONS, AND INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

6.1 Training by Legal Counsel on Brown Act Requirements

Edward Sklar, Attorney at Lozano Smith, provided the Board with a presentation regarding recent changes in law regarding the Brown Act and answered any questions the Board had.

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6.2 Training by Legal Counsel on AB1505 Charter Law and Other Laws Impacting Charter Schools

Edward Sklar, Attorney at Lozano Smith, provided the Board with a presentation regarding AB1505 Charter Laws and other laws impacting charter schools and answered any questions the Board had.

7. SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS AND COMING EVENTS

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Regular Meeting (Virtual)

January 21, 2021

4:00PM

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Regular Meeting (Virtual)

February 18, 2021

4:00PM

8. ADJOURNMENT

The Board President adjourned the meeting at 5:08PM.

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