# PALO VERDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

# REGULAR MEETING BOARD OF TRUSTEES

One College Drive in Blythe – CL 101
(and Teleconference held at 725 West Broadway in Needles-Classroom #8)
Tuesday, May 22, 2012
5:00 p.m.

**Meeting 12-09** 

# **AGENDA**

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- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Flag Salute
- 3. Roll Call

Ed Gonzales, President	
Millie Rodriguez, Vice President	
Jerry Lewis, Clerk of the Board	
Ted Arneson, Trustee	
Sam Burton, Trustee	
Lincoln Edmond, Trustee	
George Thomas, Trustee	
Frannie Gregory, Student Trustee	
Denise Whittaker, Interim Superintendent/President	
Kay Ragan, Interim Vice President of Student Services	
William Smith, Vice President of Instructional Services	

- 4. Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 24, 2012.
- 5. Approval of the Agenda for this meeting.

# II. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION IN CLOSED SESSION (AT END OF MEETING WITH REPORTABLE ACTION POSSIBLE IN OPEN SESSION)

- 1. Conference with Labor Negotiator, Denise Whittaker CCA/CTA, CSEA, and Non-Represented Employees.
- Conference with Legal Counsel Existing Litigation pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(a) Palo Verde Community College District v. Western Insurance Company.
- 3. Real Property, Palo Verde College Property Assets.
- 4. Superintendent/President Search.

# III. HEARING OF CITIZENS (AGENDA ITEMS)

(Members of the public have this opportunity to directly address the Board on agenda items, subject to a five (5) minute time limitation per individual.)

#### IV. PUBLIC NOTICE/HEARING

# Open the Public Notice/Hearing on the following item:

1. CSEA, Chapter 180, 2012 Successor Agreement Initial Proposal – Request to Negotiate District's Proposed "Change of Assignment Incentive Program" from 12 months to 10 or 10.5 months for a three year period (copies shown loose in Board folders).

Public comments.

Close Public Notice/Hearing.

# Open the Public Notice/Hearing on the following item:

2. CSEA, Chapter 180, 2012 Successor Agreement Negotiations to open the following articles for negotiations (copies shown loose in Board folders): Article 1: Association Rights; Article 2: Payroll Deductions/Maintenance of Membership; Article 3: Compensation and Health and Welfare Benefits; Article 5: Vacancies, Transfers, and Promotions; Article 7: Evaluations, Probation, and Personnel Rights; Article 10: Grievance Procedure; Article 11: Disciplinary Procedures; Article 13: Implementation & Duration of Agreement.

Public comments.

Close Public Notice/Hearing.

# Open the Public Notice/Hearing on the following item:

3. Palo Verde Community College District 2012 Successor Agreement to negotiate the following with CSEA, Chapter 180 (copies shown loose in Board folders): Article 2: Payroll Deductions/Maintenance of Membership; Article 4: Hours and Overtime; Article 5: Vacancies, Transfers, and Promotions; Article 7: Evaluations, Probation, and Personnel Rights; Article 8: Paid and Unpaid Leaves; Article 9: Layoffs; Other: Child Care.

Public comments.

Close Public Notice/Hearing.

### Open the Public Notice/Hearing on the following item:

4. Memorandum of Understanding between Palo Verde Community College District and Palo Verde College CCA/CTA effective April 25, 2012 and ending June 30, 2013 (shown as Reference C-30).

Public comments.

Close Public Notice/Hearing.

### V. REPORTS

- 1. Associated Student Government
- 2. Academic Senate
- 3. CSEA Chapter 180
- 4. CCA/CTA
- 5. Denise Whittaker, Interim Superintendent/President
  - Update on Certificates of Participation (COP's)
- 6. Kay Ragan, Interim Vice President of Student Services
- 7. William Smith, Vice President of Instructional Services
- 8. Board of Trustees Comments and Discussion

#### VI. INFORMATION ITEMS

- 1. 2011-2012 Apportionment Attendance Report from California Community Colleges Melinda Walnoha (*shown loose in Board folders*).
- 2. First Principal Apportionment Report Exhibit C Russi Egan (shown loose in Board folders).
- 3. Out of State Travel for M.L. Bettino to travel to Atlanta, GA to attend Sakai Conference, June 10-14, 2012. All expenses will be paid from Title III funding.
- 4. Ms. Whittaker, Interim Superintendent/President, is pleased to announce the following outstanding Palo Verde Community College faculty, staff, and students for 2012: CTA Faculty Member of the Year, Dr. Solomon Osayande; CSEA Staff Members of the Year, Esther Rice and Silvia Lainez; Sophomore Woman of the Year, Mai Lee; and Sophomore Man of the Year, Miguel Rascon.
- 5. Commencement rehearsal will take place on Friday, June 1, 2012, 11:00 12:00 p.m. in the Clancy Osborne Physical Education Center.
- 6. Commencement breakfast for Board of Trustees and dignitaries will take place June 2, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. in CS 123 of the John O. Crain Building.

## VII. PROGRAM REVIEW PRESENTATIONS

Philip Clinton, Division Chair of Math and Science, will present the following Program Reviews:

- Astronomy/Physics (as shown in Reference A-12))
- Biology (as shown in Reference A-13)
- Chemistry (as shown in Reference A-14)
- Geosciences (as shown in Reference A-15)
- Math (as shown in Reference A-16)

Sharon Jones, Division Chair of History and Social Science, will present the following Program Review:

- Psychology (as shown in Reference A-17)
- History/Political Science (as shown in Reference A-18)
- General Studies (as shown in Reference A-19)

#### VIII. CONSENT RESOLUTIONS

(All consent resolutions will be voted on in one motion with 15 minutes allocated for questions by Board members. After the question period, any Board member may request that any item(s) be moved to the Action Agenda.)

#### A. INSTRUCTION

## Resolution 12-09 A-10 - CURRICULUM APPROVED AT MAY MEETING

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves new and revised courses in various curriculum areas, as shown in Reference A-10.

# Resolution 12-09 A-11 - PART-TIME INSTRUCTORS/COUNSELORS FOR SUMMER SEMESTER 2012

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves instructors/counselors for summer semester 2012, as shown in Reference A-11.

#### **B. BUSINESS**

## Resolution 12-09 B-28 - LAIF ACCOUNT WITH STATE TREASURY

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the resolution, for the Fiscal Services to add and change authorized agents to the LAIF (Local Agency Investment Fund) account with the State Treasury Department (in connection with transfer of COPs monies). The following college employees are to be appointed as authorized agents to sign for deposits, transfers and withdrawals to this account.

Denise Whittaker Russi Egan Kay Ragan Carrie Mullion

## Resolution 12-09 B-29 - AUTHORIZED AGENTS FOR PVCCD

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following college employees be appointed as authorized agents to sign financial reports, warrant orders, check orders for salary placement, payroll and notices of employment for the Palo Verde Community College District of Riverside County (all other previous names will be deleted from the accounts), effective May 23, 2012 in compliance with Board Policy 2430 and Certification of Signatures form from Riverside County Office of Education. (The Board of Trustees will also sign this certification form after this meeting).

Account	Authorized Agents
Account	Authorized Agents

(checks issued for these accounts are from Riverside County Office of Education)

Schools of Riverside County Denise Whittaker (regular college warrant orders, orders for salary payment and notices of employment) Russi Egan Denise Hunt

Debra Mitchell

(checks issued for the rest of these accounts are from Provident Bank in Blythe)

Schools of Riverside County Denise Whittaker

(college clearing and revolving checking accounts) Kay Ragan

Russi Egan Denise Hunt Debra Mitchell

Schools of Riverside County Denise Whittaker

Auxiliary Business Services (Bookstore)

Denise Taylor

Debra Mitchell Russi Egan

Schools of Riverside County Denise Whittaker

Associated Student Government (savings) Kay Ragan

Russi Egan Debra Mitchell Staci Lee

Schools of Riverside County Denise Whittaker

Associated Student Government (checking) Kay Ragan

Russi Egan Staci Lee Debra Mitchell

Schools of Riverside County Clubs and Scholarship Account Denise Whittaker Kay Ragan Russi Egan Debra Mitchell

(checks issued for this account are from Federal Funding)

Federal Funds - Financial Aid Accounts

Denise Whittaker Kay Ragan Russi Egan Debra Mitchell

## Resolution 12-09 B-30 - AUTHORIZED AGENTS FOR SBEDC ACCOUNT

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following college employees be appointed as authorized agents to sign checks and other necessary documents for the SBEDC (Small Business Economic Development Center) for 2012 (account located at Provident Bank in Blythe): Denise Whittaker, Kay Ragan, Russi Egan and Denise Hunt.

# Resolution 12-09 B-31 - SELF EVALUATION ANNUAL REPORT FOR CHILD DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Agency Annual Report for the California Department of Education of the Child Development Center and due by June 1, 2012, as shown in Reference B-31.

# Resolution 12-09 B-32 - QUARTERLY FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT (CCFS-311Q)

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees accepts the Quarterly Financial Status Report (CCFS-311Q), for quarter ending March 31, 2012, as prepared by Fiscal Services as submitted to the Chancellor's office, and shown in Reference B-32.

## Resolution 12-09 B-33 - CONSULTANT AGREEMENT (PRATT)

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Agreement for Consultant Services for Linda Pratt, of Blythe CA, to provide training to Financial Aid staff and in handling special reporting during the transition period of hiring a full-time permanent Financial Aid Manager, to be paid out of Financial Aid Funds at an hourly rate not to exceed \$53.63.

## Resolution 12-09 B-34 – CONSULTANT AGREEMENT (DAVIS)

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the agreement for Consultant Services for Nancy Davis, of Banning, CA, to perform training to Financial Aid staff and in handling special reporting during the transition period of hiring a full-time permanent Financial Aid Manager, to be paid out of Financial Aid Funds at an hourly rate of \$90, plus expenses.

# Resolution 12-09 B-35 – AMENDMENT TO CONSULTANT AGREEMENT (LEWIS)

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the amendment to the Consultant Agreement for Colleen Lewis dated July 1, 2011, and approved by the Board of Trustees June 14, 2011, Resolution 11-06 B-46. There was an error in the Resolution. The Resolution stated "for approximately 175 hours per semester at \$27.00 per hour, \$9,450/fiscal year". According to the Consultant Agreement, as shown in Reference 12-09 B-35, Ms. Lewis should have been approved for 500 hours per semester at \$27.00 per hour for approximately \$13,500 for the fiscal year 2011-2012.

#### Resolution 12-09 B-36 – AMENDMENT TO CONSULTANT AGREEMENT (PLUMMER)

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the amendment to the Consultant Agreement for Roy Plummer dated July 1, 2011, and approved by the Board of Trustees June 14, 2011, Resolution 11-06 B-46. There was an error in the Resolution. The Resolution stated "for approximately 175 hours per semester at \$27.00 per hour, \$9,450/fiscal year". According to the Consultant Agreement, as shown in Reference 12-09 B-36, Mr. Plummer should have been approved for 500 hours per semester at \$27.00 per hour for approximately \$13,500 for the fiscal year 2011-2012.

#### C. PERSONNEL

# (Academic)

# Resolution 12-09 C-24 - RATIFICATION OF UTILITY SCALE SOLAR ENERGY INSTALLATION TRAINING SERVICES (RHOADES)

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees ratifies extra duty assignment for Michael Rhoades, to provide Utility Scale Solar Installation training services for a maximum of 50 students at a rate of \$900 per student, to be paid from Green Jobs Sub-Grant Agreement K183464, effective October 1, 2011 through April 20, 2012.

# Resolution 12-09 C-25 – ACCEPTANCE OF PALO VERDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT VOLUNTARY REDUCED ASSIGNMENT

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Interim Superintendent/President accepts the Palo Verde Community College District Voluntary Reduced Assignment for the following Academic personnel:

<u>Name</u>	<u>l itle</u>	Reduced Assignment	Effective Date
Snider, Gregory	Physical Education	from 207 days to 186 days	July 1, 2012
	Coordinator		
Turner, June	Librarian	from 207 days to 186 days	July 1, 2012

# (Management/Confidential)

# Resolution 12-09 C-26 – RESIGNATION OF FINANCIAL AID OFFICER

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Interim Superintendent/President has accepted a resignation notice dated May 4, 2012 from Linda Pratt, Financial Aid Officer, effective May 25, 2012.

#### (Classified)

# Resolution 12-09 C-27 - EMPLOYMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES TECHNICIAN

BE IT RESOLVED, that Stephanie Slagan be employed as full time Administrative Services Technician, a 12 month, 8 hours per day, 40 hours per week, CSEA classified position, with salary placement on the Classified Salary Schedule of Row 8, Step 5, effective May 26, 2012.

# Resolution 12-09 C-28 - TEMPORARY EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

BE IT RESOLVED, that Brandi Chavez be employed as a temporary full-time Executive Secretary to the Vice President of Administrative Services, 39.5 hours per week with no benefits, with placement on the classified salary schedule, Row 8, Step 1, beginning May 23, 2012, during the transition period to review the needs of the department due to employee turnover and revising the job description.

IX.

# (Volunteer Personnel) Resolution 12-09 C-29 – VOLUNTEER FOR TUTORING

BE IT RESOLVED, that Clarence Ragan be approved as a volunteer for Basic Skills math tutoring Services, effective June 1, 2012, until a time to be determined in the future.

(Blanket Motion)

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It was moved by Consent Resolution	s be: (appro	, and secor	nded by d until	_) (denied).	_, that
Student Advisory Arneson Burton	<u>=</u>	Edmond Gonzales Lewis	<u> </u>	Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Abse	nt	
ACTION ITEMS	<b>A.</b> I	NSTRUCTION			
Resolution 12-09 A BE IT RESOLVED, the Program Reviet Reference A-12.	that Palo Verde (	Community Coll	lege District Bo	oard of Trustees	approves
It was moved by 12-09 A-12 be:	(approved)	and seconded (tabled until	l by)	, that Re(denied)	esolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton	<u>=</u>	Edmond Gonzales Lewis		Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Abser	nt	
Resolution 12-09 A-13 – PROGRAM REVIEW APPROVAL (BIOLOGY) BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Program Review as presented this evening for Biology, as shown in Reference A-13.					
It was moved by 12-09 A-13 be:	(approved)	and seconded (tabled until	l by)	, that Re(denied)	esolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton	<u></u>	Edmond Gonzales Lewis	<u></u>	Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Abse	nt	

# Resolution 12-09 A-14 – PROGRAM REVIEW APPROVAL (CHEMISTRY) BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Program Review as presented this evening for Chemistry, as shown in Reference A-14 It was moved by \_\_\_\_\_\_, and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_, that Resolution 12-09 A-14 be: (approved) (tabled until \_\_\_\_\_) (denied) Edmond Gonzales Lewis Student Advisory Rodriguez Thomas Arneson Burton Motion carried/lost; Aye\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_ Abstain Absent Resolution 12-09 A-15 – PROGRAM REVIEW APPROVAL (GEOSCIENCES) BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Program Review as presented this evening for Geosciences, as shown in Reference A-15. It was moved by \_\_\_\_\_\_, and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_, that Resolution 12-09 A-15 be: (approved) (tabled until \_\_\_\_\_) (denied) Edmond Gonzales Rodriguez Student Advisory Arneson Thomas Burton Lewis Motion carried/lost; Aye\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_ Abstain\_\_\_\_ Absent\_\_\_\_ Resolution 12-09 A-16 - PROGRAM REVIEW APPROVAL (MATH) BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Program Review as presented this evening for Math, as shown in Reference A-16. It was moved by \_\_\_\_\_\_, and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_, that Resolution 12-09 A-16 be: (approved) (tabled until \_\_\_\_\_) (denied) \_\_\_\_\_ Edmond \_\_\_\_ Gonzales \_\_\_\_ Lewis Student Advisory Rodriguez Thomas Arneson Burton Motion carried/lost; Aye\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_ Abstain Absent Resolution 12-09 A-17 - PROGRAM REVIEW APPROVAL (PSYCHOLOGY) BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Program Review as presented this evening for Psychology, as shown in Reference A-17. It was moved by \_\_\_\_\_, and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_, that Resolution (approved) (tabled until ) 12-09 A-17 be: Student Advisory Edmond Rodriguez Gonzales Lewis Arneson Thomas Burton Motion carried/lost; Aye\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_ Abstain\_\_\_\_ Absent\_\_\_\_

# Resolution 12-09 A-18 - PROGRAM REVIEW APPROVAL (HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE)

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees approves the Program Review as presented this evening for History and Political Science, as shown in Reference A-18.

It was moved by 12-09 A-18 be:	, (approved)	and seconded by	/	, that F denied)	Resolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton		Edmond Gonzales Lewis		Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Absent	· <u> </u>	
Resolution 12-09 A BE IT RESOLVED, t the Program Review A-19.	hat Palo Verde C	Community Colleg	e District Boa	ard of Trustees	approves
It was moved by 12-09 A-19 be:	(approved)	and seconded by (tabled until	/	, that F denied)	Resolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton		Edmond _ Gonzales _ Lewis _		Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Absent	<u>.                                    </u>	
	В.	BUSINESS			
Resolution 12-09 B			ER & HADLE	Y, LLP FOR A	AUDITING
BE IT RESOLVED, the contract with Me of the Palo Verde Coyear for 3 years, p Foundation tax retu financial reports. Thin Reference 12-09	ssner & Hadley, ommunity Colleg lus \$3,500 per rns, and a fee n ne total maximum	Community Colleg LLP, to audit the g e District as of Ma year for the aud not to exceed \$2,0	general purpo ny 15, 2012 a it and filing 000 per yean	ose financial s t the rate of \$2 of Palo Verd to complete	tatements 22,500 per e College GASB 35
It was moved by 12-09 B-37 be:	(approved)	and seconded by (tabled until	/	, that F denied)	Resolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton		Edmond _ Gonzales _ Lewis _		Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Absent	<u>:                                      </u>	

# Resolution 12-09 B-38 - DISTRICT SURPLUS SALE DISPOSAL

BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District Board of Trustees recommends miscellaneous materials, supplies, and equipment be declared surplus; and further recommends the Fiscal Services Manager/designee be authorized to conduct a surplus property sale, on a date to be determined, to dispose of these items, as shown in Reference B-38.

It was moved by 12-09 B-38 be:	(approved)	, and seconded (tabled until _	by)	, that (denied)	Resolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton		Edmond Gonzales Lewis		Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Abs	sent	
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It was moved by 12-09 B-39 be:	(approved)	, and seconded (tabled until _	by)	, that (denied)	Resolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton	<u> </u>	Edmond Gonzales Lewis		Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain	Abs	sent	
	C.	PERSONNEL			
(Academic) Resolution 12-09 ( BE IT RESOLVED, the Memorandum of session on April 22, Reference 12-09 C-	AND CC that Palo Verde f Understanding 2012, and ratifie	A/CTA Community Coll between PVCC	ege Distric D and CCA	t Board of Truste /CTA as approv	ees accepts ed in closed
It was moved by 12-09 C-30 be:		, and seconded (tabled until _	by)	, that (denied)	Resolution
Student Advisory Arneson Burton	<u> </u>	Edmond Gonzales Lewis	<u> </u>	Rodriguez Thomas	
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# D. MISCELLANEOUS

# Resolution 12-09 D-22 - APPROVAL OF PALO VERDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT SPECIAL REPORT UPDATE TO THE **ACCREDITATION COMMISSION**

District strive for excellence in all areas relative to the educational community;

WHEREAS, classified professionals employed by the Palo Verde Community College

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Palo Verde Community College District hereby recognizes and wishes to honor the contributions of the classified professionals to quality education in the state of California and in the Palo Verde Community College District, and declares the week of May 20-26, 2012, as Classified School Employees Week in the Palo Verde Community College District.

It was moved by	, and seconded by		, that F	, that Resolution	
12-09 D-24 be:	(approved)	(tabled until _	)	(denied)	
Student Advisory Arneson Burton		Edmond Gonzales Lewis		Rodriguez Thomas	
Motion carried/lost;	Aye No_	Abstain_	Ab	sent	

# X. HEARING OF CITIZENS (NON-AGENDA ITEMS)

(Members of the public have this opportunity to directly address the Board on items of interest to the public, subject to a five (5) minute time limitation per individual.)

# XI. ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION (POSSIBLE REPORTABLE ACTION IN OPEN SESSION)

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- Conference with Legal Counsel Existing Litigation pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(a) Palo Verde Community College District v. Western Insurance Company.
- 3. Real Property, Palo Verde College Property Assets.
- 4. Superintendent/President Search.

## XII. OPEN SESSION

## XIII. ADJOURNMENT

The next Regular Meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 26, 2012, in Blythe.