REGULAR MEETING
October 3, 2018
10:00 a.m.
Board Room
200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AGENDA

WELCOME
CALL TO ORDER

STATEMENT OF PRESIDING OFFICER: For the benefit of the record, this Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education is called to order.

INVOCATION
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
ROLL CALL
INTRODUCTIONS

AGENDA
Regular Meeting of October 3, 2018 - adoption

MINUTES
Regular Meeting of September 12, 2018 – approval

PUBLIC COMMENTS
(30 minutes)

CONSENT CALENDAR

CLOSING MEETING
1. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

BOARD DISCUSSIONS

2. Brown Act Update – Greg Rolen

CLOSING SESSION 1
CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
Potential Initiation of litigation pursuant to (d) (4) of Government Code Section 54956.9 (One case)
CLOSED SESSION 2

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION
Anaheim Union High School District and Anaheim Elementary School District v. Orange County Board of Education and Orange County Department of Education, Case No. 30-2016-00891539-CU-PT-CJC
Government Code section 54956.9(a)

CHARTER SCHOOLS

3. Charter School Submissions

4. Charter Schools Update

   Discussion Format:
   Orange County Workforce Innovation High School (10 minutes)
   District Response – Anaheim Union High School District (10 minutes)
   Public Comments (30 minutes)
   Board Questions

   Discussion Format:
   EPIC Charter School (10 minutes)
   District Response – Anaheim Elementary School District (10 minutes)
   Public Comments (30 minutes)
   Board Questions

   Discussion Format:
   OPA-SV (10 minutes)
   District Response – Saddleback Valley Unified School District (10 minutes)
   Public Comments (30 minutes)
   Board Questions

TIME CERTAIN

INFORMATION ITEMS

ANNOUNCEMENTS
-Superintendent
-Associate Superintendent

Legislative Updates
-CSBA Update
-CCBE Update
-NSBA Update
-Capitol News Update
-School Services Update

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

PUBLIC COMMENTS (15 minutes)

ADJOURNMENT

Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

Next Special Board Meeting: Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be in the Board Room at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA.

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(*) Printed items included in materials mailed to Board Members
MINUTES
Regular Meeting
September 12, 2018

ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER
The Regular Meeting of the Orange County Board of Education was called to order by President Williams at 10:04 a.m., September 12, 2018 in the Board Room, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, California.

INVOCATION
Brenda Lebsack, Board Member, Orange Unified School District

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
Jeff Hittenberger, Ph.D., Chief Academic Officer

ROLL CALL
Present:
Lisa Sparks, Ph.D. (via skype)
Mari Barke
John W. Bedell, Ph.D.
Rebecca "Beckie" Gomez
Ken L. Williams, D.O.

INTRODUCTION
None

AGENDA
Motion by Barke, seconded by Gomez, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0, to approve the agenda of the September 12, 2018 Board meeting.

MINUTES
Motion by Barke, seconded by Gomez, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0, to approve the minutes from the August 7, 2018 Regular Board meeting with the following amendments:
-Call to Order- change Bedell to Williams
-For item #13, specify that the appeal was denied and in support of the Tustin Unified School District.

PUBLIC COMMENTS
• Jill Marks – Oxford Preparatory Academy
• Michelle New – AB 329
• Christina Gonzales – AB 329
• Shanda Lobatos – AB 329
• Nina Simonds – AB 329
• Lynne Riddle – AB 329
• Shannen Boccignone – AB 329
• Susan Meyer – AB 329
Speaker 9 – AB 329
Stephanie Yates – AB 329

CONSENT CALENDAR

Motion by Barke, seconded by Gomez, and carried by a roll call vote of 5-0, to approve Consent Calendar items #1, #2, and #3.

1. Approve the granting of diplomas to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

2. Adopt Resolution #20-18 in support of October 23-31, 2018, as Orange County’s Red Ribbon Week campaign, and encourage all community members to promote alcohol, tobacco, and other drug prevention education programs and activities, and send copies of this resolution to school districts in Orange County.


PUBLIC COMMENTS

Michelle McNutt – Item #4
Carol Crane – Item #4
Laura Kanter – Item #4

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS

4. Motion by Barke, seconded by Williams, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-1-1 (Barke, Williams, Sparks voted Yes; Gomez voted No; Bedell Abstained) to approve the posting of the Board’s mission statement regarding the California Healthy Youth Act (CHYA) with the following amendments:
   - Under Purpose on the fourth bullet, replace the word “guidelines” with “information”
   - Under Goals, second bullet point, delete “on opponents” and replace “be avoided” with “not be tolerated”
   - Under Goals, third bullet point, replace the whole sentence with “Discussion will be apolitical, non-ideological, and areligious.”

5. Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-2 (Barke, Sparks, and Williams voted Yes; Gomez and Bedell voted No) to take action pursuant to California Education Code Section 1042 and the Board’s prior resolution on August 7, 2018, to retain outside legal counsel, Greg Rolen, Haight Brown and Bonesteel LLP, to provide special legal services and advice to the Board pending the appointment of General Counsel to the Board in conformity with California Education Code 35014.5.
Subsidiary motion by Williams, seconded by Barke, and carried by a vote of 3-2 (Williams, Barke, and Sparks voted Yes; Gomez and Bedell voted No) to request a legal opinion, with a cap of 10 hours at $300 per hour, from Greg Rolen regarding gift of funds and the Board's authority to hire outside counsel.

6. Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a roll call vote of 4-1 (Barke, Sparks, Williams, and Bedell voted Yes; Gomez voted No), to approve the Executive Committee's recommendation of Maggie Chidester, Law Offices of Maggie Chidester, as the moderator for the California Healthy Youth Act (CHYA) forum on September 26, 2018.

7. Motion by Barke, seconded by Sparks, and carried by a roll call vote of 3-2 (Barke, Sparks, and Williams voted Yes; Gomez and Bedell voted No) to approve Orange County Board of Education estimated budget not to exceed $6000 for the purpose of holding a Special Meeting for the California Healthy Youth Act (CHYA) on September 26, 2018.

The Board took a recess from 11:40 a.m. to 11:52 a.m.

CLOSED SESSION 1

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
Potential Initiation of litigation pursuant to (d) (4) of Government Code Section 54956.9 (One case)

The Board went into closed session from 11:53 p.m. to 12:51 p.m.

Board Attorney Mr. Brenner provided updates to Board. No resolutions or decisions were made.

CLOSED SESSION 2

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-EXISTING LITIGATION
Anaheim Union High School District and Anaheim Elementary School District v. Orange County Board of Education and Orange County Department of Education, Case No. 30-2016-00891539-CU-PT-CJC
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The Board did not go into closed session for this item.

8. Charter School Submissions – None
- National University Academy – Kimberleigh Kopp, Jennifer Carrete, and James Gianelli

**PUBLIC COMMENTS (continue)**
- Michelle Hass – National University Academy
- Sandy Chou – National University Academy
- Jenny Feliciano – National University Academy
- Michelle McCoy – National University Academy
- Laurel Evans – National University Academy
- Keely Dien – National University Academy
- Megan Perkins – National University Academy
- April Sonnenberg – National University Academy
- Michelle Anderson – National University Academy
- Nancy Rohland – National University Academy
- Connie Cavanaugh – National University Academy


There was no hearing. The case had been settled.

The Board recessed the Board of Education Regular Meeting to hold the meeting of the Facilities Corporation form 2:12 p.m. to 2:23 p.m.

**INFORMATION ITEMS**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

Superintendent
- Bechtel Foundation
- Christine Olmstead honored at Girl Scouts of Orange County
- Communication and Media team – Deeper Learning Podcast on Bilingual Education

Associate Superintendent
- Next special board meeting- September 26th at 6:30 p.m.; submission deadline is September 17th
- Next regular board meeting- October 3rd at 10:00 a.m.; submission deadline is September 19th
- California County Boards of Education (CCBE) Annual Conference – Trustee Bedell, Trustee Gomez, and Trustee Barke attending
BOARD DISCUSSION

- Boardroom Music – Discussed

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

Trustee Gomez-
- Trustee Gomez- OCSBA Meeting, Ribbon-cutting at Heideman Elementary, and Tustin State of the School’s Breakfast

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion duly made, and seconded, the Board meeting of September 12, 2018, adjourned at 2:36 p.m.

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Nina Boyd
Assistant Secretary, Board of Education

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Ken L. Williams, D.O.
President, Board of Education

Next Special Board Meeting, Wednesday, September 26, 2018, 6:30 p.m. - The meeting will be held in the Board Room at 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, CA.

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ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

DATE: September 12, 2018

TO: Nina Boyd, Associate Superintendent

FROM: Laura Strachan, Assistant Superintendent Alternative Education
       Byron Fairchild, Director Alternative Education

SUBJECT: Granting of Diplomas

The students listed on the attached pages have been certified for graduation by the Custodian of Records or their designee for the Division of Alternative Education of the Orange County Department of Education. These students have met the standards of proficiency in basic skills prescribed by the governing board in accordance with Education Code 51412. It is requested that the Board approve the granting of a diploma to these students.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve granting of a diploma to the students listed from Alternative, Community, and Correctional Education Schools and Services, Alternative Education Division.

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