

Governing Board Regular Meeting of March 8, 2023

The Contra Costa Community College District (4CD) Governing Board conducted a regular meeting on Wednesday, March 8, 2023, beginning at 5:00 p.m., followed by closed session, and continuation of public session at 6:00 p.m.

Purchasing Agreements Approved

The Governing Board approved a number of agreements, including:

- a new Contra Costa College agreement with Immigrant Legal Defense to provide immigration legal services to community college-affiliated individuals;
- a Diablo Valley College (DVC) renewal agreement with Food Bank of Contra Costa and Solano to provide non-perishable and perishable food to college pantries that serve students in need and their families;
- a new 4CD agreement with Strategic Energy Innovations to advance energy and sustainability education and workforce development through experiential learning; and
- a new Los Medanos College (LMC) agreement with Monterey County Fire Training Officers Association to provide fire marshal courses required for faculty to teach fire technology and/or academy courses.

District Classified Professional of the Year

DVC's Arthur King was selected by the 4CD Classified Senate as the 2023 Classified Employee of the Year. As part of this honor, he will receive \$750.00 and a plaque. Additionally, his application packet will be considered by the Board of Governors for selection as the statewide Classified Employee of the Year.

Resolutions Approved

The resolutions listed below were approved by the Governing Board.

- National Women's History Month, March 2023; and
- Declaring March 2023 as American Red Cross (ARC) Month. Stan Massie. ARC Northern California Coastal Region Volunteer and Board Member addressed the collaboration and partnership that exists between 4CD and ARC over the past several years.

California Community Colleges Trustees Election

The Governing Board voted for the nine trustees listed below to be seated on the California Community College Trustees statewide board.

Loren Steck, Monterey Peninsula CCD Suzanne Lee Chan, Ohlone CCD Marisa Perez, Cerritos CCD Deana Olivares-Lambert, Chaffey CCD Jonathan Abboud, Santa Barbara CCD Carmen Ramirez, Merced CCD Andra Hoffman, Los Angeles CCD Milton Richards, Yosemite CCD Gregory Hanna, Siskiyou CCD

The meeting was adjourned in the memory of Nancy Bankert-Wherry, retired LMC administrative assistant and Douglas Flynn, retired DVC chemistry professor.

THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING/STUDY SESSION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 2023, AT 4:00 P.M., BEGINNING WITH A RECEPTION HONORING NEWLY TENURED FACULTY FOR 2023 AND THE CLASSIFIED PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR