

BOARD Report

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Governing Board Meeting of October 11, 2023

The Contra Costa Community College District (4CD) Governing Board conducted its public meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 11, 2023.

Highlights are listed below.

Special Recognition

The Governing Board recognized Middle College High School and its Principal, Phiny Prak, for being recognized by the U.S. Department of Education as a 2023 Exemplary High Performing National Blue Ribbon School. Schools are recognized for this national award for cultivating an inclusive and nurturing environment for learning, coupled with a focus on academic excellence for every student. Middle College High School is located on the Contra Costa College (CCC) campus.

Public Hearing on Brentwood Solar and Resiliency Project

The Governing Board held a public hearing and staff report on the Brentwood Solar and Resiliency Energy Conservation Project. They unanimously approved the recommendation to enter into an agreement with Centrica Business Solutions Services, Inc., for the design, installation, and commissioning of an energy system.

Purchasing Agreements Approved

The Governing Board approved a number of agreements, including:

- a new CCC agreement with the Wright Institute to consolidate clinical mental health services between Wellness, Gateway to College, and Next Up programs;
- a Diablo Valley College (DVC) continuing agreement with Campus Labs, Inc., to provide a web-based student organization management tool to increase communications and improve training of student leaders and advisors; and
- a new 4CD agreement with The Collaborative Culture to assist with 2024-25 fiscal year financial aid set-up.

Out-of-State Field Trips

Approval by the Governing Board was given to the listed out-of-state field trips following the passage of a Resolution that rescinds the state law banning travel to states that enacted laws discriminating against the LGBTQIA+ community.

- Approximately five CCC students in the Collision Engineering Program will travel to the SEMA 2023 Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada, from October 31- November 3, 2023.
- Approximately seven CCC students in the Music program will travel to several cities in Spain and perform on the American Jazz Showcase Tour from May 15- May 27, 2024.
- Approximately 37 DVC students in Communications 163 will attend the Biggest Little City Classic Tournament in Reno, Nevada, from October 21-22, 2023.
- Approximately 12 DVC students will attend the Jurassic STEAM Symposium in Orlando, Florida, from November 8-11, 2023.

Resolutions Approved

The Governing Board approved the following resolutions:

- Undocumented Student Action Week, October 16-20, 2023;
- Filipino American History Month; and
- Rescission to Resolution in Support of Additional Out-of-State Travel Funding Restrictions.

**THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BOARD
WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2023, AT 6:00 P.M.**