

Southern California Regional Occupational Center

Board Highlights

June 4, 2015



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The SoCal ROC Board of Education held its regularly scheduled meeting on June 4, 2015. At the meeting, the Board heard the following:

APPOINTMENT BOARD MEMBER-AT-LARGE

The Board Members reviewed the resume and application for one candidate for the Board Member-at-Large, Seat Number Two position, Ms. Ida VanderPoorte. After the review, Board Members determined that an interview would not be necessary given that Ms. VanderPoorte currently serves as a Board Member-at-Large. The Board approved Ms. VanderPoorte for the position. Superintendent Dr. Laurie St. Gean administered the Oath of Office to Member VanderPoorte.



(l-r): Ida VanderPoorte and Laurie St. Gean, Ed.D.

BUSINESS SERVICES

Adopt SoCal ROC "All Funds Budget" for 2015-2016

Superintendent St. Gean provided a comprehensive overview of the 2015-2016 All Funds Budget for SoCal ROC which includes Funds 1, 14, 35, and 40 as well as cash flow and multi-year projections. Revenues for the 2015-2015 school year consists of Carl D. Perkins, adults fees, and the projected monies from the participating JPA districts. SoCal ROC expenditures are budgeted at 4.5 million. Dr. St. Gean commented on the different sources of revenue and reviewed the budget reductions by the State over the last seven years. Superintendent St. Gean stated that cash flow is monitored on a daily basis. For the 2016-2017, no state dollars are projected given that the state has ended funding for the ROC/P system effective June 30, 2015. Superintendent St. Gean stated that the reserve for the next year meets the state requirement of 3% and the Board requirement of 5%.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REMARKS

Superintendent St. Gean commented that it has been a challenging year but a very successful one for SoCal ROC. Superintendent St. Gean also shared the following:

- SoCal ROC will host its annual Staff Appreciation Luncheon for employees on June 10th.
- A great deal of work will be accomplished with summer projects including the following: interviewing and hiring of new instructors; deep cleaning of all facilities; facility upgrades to certain instructional spaces; registration of new students; and the ordering of supplies and equipment.
- A letter was received from the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) that extended an invitation to Superintendent St. Gean to serve as a member of the Youth Development Council. In addition, Superintendent St. Gean added that she submitted an application to the South Bay Workforce Investment Board for courses offered at SoCal ROC and if approved, the classes will be listed on the I-TRAIN website. This means that adults who qualify may enroll at the Center with their tuition paid through the SBWIB.
- Senator Ben Allen and all area legislators continue to seek State funding for SoCal ROC.