

CORCORAN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Regular Board Meeting
CUSD Board Room
Tuesday, January 11, 2011
6:30 p.m.

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at all school sites within the District and posted on the
District's website at www.corcoranunified.com under School Board – Agenda & Minutes.

“Corcoran Unified School District.....Increasing Student Success”

1520 Patterson Avenue

Corcoran, CA 93212

AMERICAN DISABILITIES ACT - ASSISTANCE

Any disabled person planning to attend the meeting and needing assistance or access should call the Section 504 Coordinator, Gary Raper at 992-8888, ext. 1242.

REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD – PUBLIC FORUM – Any member of the audience may address the Board on a non-agenda item; however, in accordance with Government Code Section 54954.2, the Board may not (except in very specific instances) discuss or take action on an item not appearing on the posted agenda. Please cooperate with us by following the posted rules for addressing the Board of Education. Please fill out a yellow form found in the foyer and hand it to the Superintendent's Secretary prior to the public forum. When your name is called by the Board President, please come forward to the podium, state your name and address, and then you may make your comments.

Please note: In accordance with Board Bylaw 9323, a maximum of 20 minutes total will be allotted for public forum items and a maximum of 5 minutes per speaker will be allowed.

REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD – MATTERS ON OPEN SESSION AGENDA

Any member of the audience may address the Board on an open session agenda item. In order to do so, please fill out a green form found in the foyer and hand it to the Superintendent's Secretary prior to the agenda item. You will only be allowed to speak prior to discussion of the item by the Board and are limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes. When your name is called by the Board President, please come forward to the podium, state your name and address, and then you may make your comments on the open session agenda item.

REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD – MATTERS ON CLOSED SESSION AGENDA

According to Government Code Section 54957, this is an opportunity for the public to make comments to the Board regarding any item the Board will be discussing in closed session. The Board will listen to all comments, but will not address publicly the comments or discuss any of the issues pertaining to closed session items. Please fill out a blue form found in the foyer and hand it to the Superintendent's Secretary prior to Address the Board – Matters on Closed Session. When your name is called by the Board President, please come forward to the podium, state your name and address, and then you may make proceed with your comments. When the Board concludes the closed session, they will return to open session and announce any actions taken.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

Consent agenda items are considered routine and will be enacted, approved or adopted by one motion, unless a request for removal, discussion, or explanation is received from a Trustee or any member of the public. Members of the public wishing to comment on Consent Agenda items are requested to inform the Board President at the time when he announces the Consent Agenda portion of the agenda.

Board Priorities adopted July 21, 2009:

1. Continue improvement of an effective instructional program for all students.
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4. Provide comprehensive opportunities for overall student development in character, citizenship, vocations, student activities, and athletics.
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Order of Business

A. CALL TO ORDER: CALL TO ORDER: Time _____

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

C. APPROVE January 11, 2011 AGENDA.

Motion _____ 2nd _____ Vote _____

D. PUBLIC HEARING

1. To discuss General Waiver Request for Extension of SARC Posting.
Open: _____ Close: _____

E. PUBLIC COMMENTS

1. Public Forum
2. Open Session Items
3. Closed Session Items

F. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

1. Approve the minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of December 14, 2010
2. Approve the minutes of the Organizational Board Meeting of December 14, 2010
3. Sign the minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of November 23, 2010
For questions regarding items 1-3, contact Donnetta Murray at 992-8888, ext. 1224
4. Purchase Order Numbers 110708 - 110779
5. Warrant register for
December 10, 2010 for \$431,472.21
December 17, 2010 for \$120,808.44
December 27, 2010 for \$33,552.90
January 3, 2011 for \$36,781.24
6. Payroll warrants register for December 29, 2010 for \$1,470,224.80
For questions regarding items 4-6 contact Marie Cates at 992-8888, ext. 1232

G. HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

H. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

1. Extra QEIA Positions
2. AR 4131 – Staff Development
3. District operations update, issues and concerns

I. CHIEF BUSINESS OFFICER REPORT

J. BOARD OF TRUSTEES REPORT

K. CFA REPORT

L. CSEA REPORT

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M. OTHER REPORT(S)

N. COMMENTS, CORRESPONDENCE, SCHOOL UPDATES, STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS UPDATES

1. Information Items – Student Trips approved by Superintendent Rich Merlo
 - a. A trip for a group of High School ROTC members and guests, along with Advisors Colonel Palmer and Chief Hamilton to the Central California Junior ROTC Military Ball to be held on Saturday, January 22, 2011 in Fresno. Requested bus transportation and expenses to be paid by Cadet Funds, Air Force or Cadet Fundraiser Funds.
 - b. A trip for the third grade Fremont classes of Mrs. Fierro, Mrs. Ramirez, Mr. Connelly, Mrs. Schmidt, Ms. Calderon, Mrs. L. Lerma, Mrs. R. Lerma, Mr. Wright, Ms. Williams, Ms. Crane, Mrs. Westbay and Mrs. Smith and chaperones to Kings County Farm Day to be held in Hanford on Thursday, March 10, 2011. Kings County Farm Bureau will pay transportation costs.

O. PUPIL PERSONNEL

1. Discuss and possibly approve an early graduation request from High School student Miriam Lindsey, 11th grade, to graduate in June 2011.

P. ADMINISTRATION

1. Hold the second reading and possibly approve adoption of Board Policy 4131 – Staff Development.
2. Discuss and possibly approve the General Waiver Request for Extension of SARC Posting.
3. Discuss and possibly approve Responsible Use Agreement and Permission Form for the Use of Computers, Internet, Gmail, Google Application, iPads, iPods, Mobile Devices and Internet Applications and the iPad User Agreement.
4. Discuss and possibly approve a Student Teaching Agreement with Fresno Pacific University.

Q. PERSONNEL

1. Discuss and possibly approve Personnel Assignment Order 2010-11#05.
2. Discuss and possibly approve one Fremont third grade temporary teaching position (January through June 2011) to be paid by QEIA funds.
3. Discuss and possibly approve one Mark Twain fourth grade temporary teaching position and one Mark Twain fifth grade temporary teaching position (both positions from January through June 2011) to be paid by General Fund.
4. Discuss and possibly approve one High School Math temporary teaching position (January through June 2011) to be paid by QEIA funds.
5. Discuss and possibly approve the following staff trips:
 - a. A trip for John Muir EL Coach Teresa Carlos-Contreras to *Thinking Map Training* to be held Wednesday through Friday, February 2-4, 2011, and Tuesday and Wednesday, March 8 and 9, 2011 in Costa Mesa, to be paid by Categorical ELAP funds.
 - b. A trip for Jack Schreuder, Director of Maintenance, Operations and Transportation, to *C.A.S.H. Conference on School Facilities* to be held Monday through Thursday, February 21-23, 2011 in Sacramento, to be paid by General Fund.

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- c. A trip for Superintendent Rich Merlo to *Instructional Rounds Training* to be held Wednesday, January 19, 2011 in Sacramento, to be paid by Staff Development funds.
- d. A trip for Superintendent Rich Merlo to *ACSA Superintendents Symposium* to be held Wednesday through Friday, January 26-28, 2011 in Monterey, to be paid by General Fund.

R. MEETINGS

1. Human Resource Sub-Committee Meeting on Thursday, January 13, 2011 at 3:30 p.m. in Board Room
2. Budget Committee Meeting to be held on Thursday, January 13, 2011 at 4 p.m. in Technology Learning Center
3. Facilities Sub-Committee Meeting on Tuesday, January 20, 2011 at 3:30 p.m. in Board Room
4. Regular Board Meeting on Tuesday, January 25, 2011 at 6:30 p.m. in Board Room

S. FUTURE AGENDA ITEM(S)

CLOSED SESSION

T. PERSONNEL MATTERS

With respect to every item of business to be discussed in closed session pursuant to Government Code Section 54957:

1. *PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE*
(No additional information required)

U. STUDENT MATTERS

With respect to every item of business to be discussed in closed session pursuant to Section 49070 (c) of the Education Code:

1. **EXPULSION**
EH 2010-11/24
EH 2010-11/25
2. **READMITS**
EH 2009-10/13
EH 2009-10/14
EH 2009-10/21
EH 2009-10/22
EH 2009-10/30

V. ADJOURNMENT

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