



**Friends of California Virtual Education (CalCAR)
BOARD MEETING**

Notice is hereby given to the members of the CalCAR Board and the general public that the CalCAR Board will hold a meeting open to the public on:

Date and Time:

Tuesday, January 26, 2016 at 3:30 p.m. PT

Principal Location:

California Connections Academy @ Ripon
580 N. Wilma Avenue, Suite G
Ripon, CA 95366

Telephone Conference Call location:

32946 Calle San Marcos, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675
3214 Admiralty Lane, Foster City, CA 94404
23091 Arden Street, Lake Forest, CA 92630
9937 Benevento Way, Elk Grove, CA 95757

Held Concurrently with:

Alpaugh Academies Governing Board for California Connections Academy @ North Bay (CalCAN) and Central California Connections Academy (CenCA)
Capistrano Connections Academy (CapoCA) Board, 33272 Valle Road, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675

This meeting is open to the public. Members of the public have access to (and may participate in) the meeting at any of the telephone conference locations. For information about this meeting or for members of the public who require special accommodations to attend, please contact Mary Araujo-Sierra at (209) 253-1208 at least 24 hours prior to the meeting. The Board package is available for public review at the school offices prior to the Board meeting in compliance with California open meeting laws.

BOARD AGENDA

- I. Call to Order - M. Henjum
- II. Review and Consideration of Potential Board Member: Paul Hedrick (attached) – M. Henjum
- III. Roll Call – M. Henjum
- IV. Public Comment

The Board welcomes participation by the members of the public both in-person and telephonically. To address an item on the agenda, before the scheduled start of the meeting, an individual must write their name and a short description of the agenda item on which they wish to comment on the card provided and submit this to the Chair, along with any materials they want to have distributed to Board. Individuals who wish to address the Board telephonically must contact the school principal by phone or by email at least twenty four (24) hours before the scheduled start of the Board meeting. If the individual wants to provide any written materials to the Board, these should be emailed to the School Principal at least twenty four (24) hours before the scheduled start of the meeting.

The total time for any individual to present, either in person or via telephone, on an item on the agenda shall not exceed three (3) minutes, unless the Board grants additional time. However, in compliance with Board policy and the Brown Act, the Board is not permitted to discuss or take action on non-agenda items.

Individuals desiring to make a formal presentation to the Board on an item not on the agenda but desiring it be placed on the agenda must provide notice and written submissions detailing the subject of the presentation to the School Principal at least fourteen (14) days prior to the meeting. Any such presentations shall not exceed fifteen (15) minutes in duration, unless otherwise permitted by the Chair.

To view the Board Public Comment Policy, visit the school's "About Us" page at www.connectionsacademy.com

V. Public Hearing on the Independent Study Policy for CalCAR (attached) – F. Sassin

In setting policy pursuant to subdivisions (a) and (b) of Education Code section 51747, the local governing board shall consider, in a public hearing, the scope of its existing or prospective use of independent study as an instructional strategy, its purposes in authorizing independent study, and factors bearing specifically on the maximum realistic lengths of assignments and acceptable number of missed assignments for specific populations of pupils or adult education students.

The Alpaugh Academies Board welcomes participation by the public during the Public Hearing. If you wish to address the Board please follow the Public Comment policy of the Board as set out above.

VI. Routine Business

- a. Approval of Agenda – M. Henjum

VII. Oral Reports

- a. Executive Director's Report (MSR attached) – R. Savage
 - i. School Operations Metrics (attached)
- b. Site Administrator's Report
 - i. CalCAN (MSR and Administrator's Report attached) – L. Dombek
 - ii. CenCA (MSR and Administrator's Report attached) – M. White
 - iii. CalCAR (MSR and Administrator's Report attached) – A. Hunt
 - iv. CapoCA (MSR) (Administrator's Report to follow) – H. Tamayo
- c. CalCA Financial Report (attached) – F. Sassin
 - i. 990 Update
 - ii. CalCAN Financial Report (attached)
 - iii. CenCA Financial Report (attached)
 - iv. CalCAR Financial Report (attached)
 - v. CapoCA Financial Report (attached)

VIII. Consent Agenda

- a. Approval of Minutes from the Previous Board Meeting (attached)
- b. Approval of Staffing Report for CalCA (attached)
- c. Approval of Connections Academy of California, LLC Invoice(s) (attached)
- d. Ratification of First Interim Financial Reports (attached)
- e. Approval of School Accountability Report Card (SARC) (to follow)
- f. Approval of Independent Study Policy (attached)
- g. Approval of School Enrollment Opening for the 2016-2017 School Year
- h. Approval of the 2016-2017 School Year General School Handbook (attached)
- i. Approval of the 2016-2017 School Year State Specific School Handbook (attached)

IX. Action Items

- a. Approval of Funded Enrollment Target for the 2016-2017 School Year – R. Savage

- X. Information Items
 - a. State Relations Update for CalCA – D. Hutchison
 - b. School Leadership Team Update – B. Rosta
 - c. Sponsoring District(s) Update – M. Henjum
 - d. Upcoming LiveLesson® Sessions – L. Coleman
 - e. Form 700 Update – L. Coleman

- XI. CLOSED SESSION – Brown Act § 54957(b)(1) – to consider appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, discipline of an employee; Title: Executive Director of California Connections Academy (attached) – B. Rosta

- XII. Adjournment and Confirmation of Next Meeting on Tuesday, February 23, 2016 at 3:30 p.m. PT

Agenda publicly posted: California Connections Academy @ Ripon, 580 N. Wilma Avenue, Suite G, Ripon, CA 95366

On: Friday, January 22, 2016

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