



MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BOARD SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

YOLANDA SALCIDO, GOVERNING BOARD PRESIDENT
TERRI VALLADOLID, GOVERNING BOARD VICE PRESIDENT
NICK AGUILAR, GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
JORGE DOMINGUEZ, PH.D., GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
JEAN ROESCH, ED.D., GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
MANUEL R. LOPEZ, JR., STUDENT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
RAJ K. CHOPRA, PH.D., SECRETARY TO GOVERNING BOARD
AND SUPERINTENDENT/PRESIDENT

Written notice is hereby given in accordance with Government Code Section 54956 that a special meeting of the Governing Board of the Southwestern Community College District will be held as noted below:

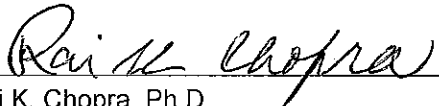
DATE: Thursday, September 23, 2010
TIME: 5:30 p.m.
LOCATION: Southwestern College
Room 214
900 Otay Lakes Road
Chula Vista, CA 91910

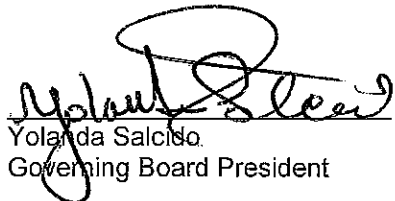
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	ITEM
<i>Call to Order</i>	1. CALL TO ORDER (Salcido) 5:40 p.m., Room 214, Conference Room A Attendance at this special meeting (Board members arriving after meeting commences will be noted as "present" at point in this suggested order of business at which they arrive). Present: Salcido, Valladolid, Dominguez, Aguilar, Roesch, Lopez (Student Board Member)
<i>Pledge of Allegiance</i>	2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE (Salcido)
<i>Oral Communication</i>	3. ORAL COMMUNICATION Persons wishing to address the Governing Board under this item should fill out a yellow request card (available at the reception table) and indicate on the card if they wish to be called under Oral Communication, or when a specific agenda item is considered. An oral presentation to the Board does <i>not</i> constitute an open discussion on the presentation topic, unless that topic is on the posted agenda. Pursuant to the Brown Act (Government Code Section 54954.2(a)): "No action or discussion shall be undertaken on any item not appearing on the posted agenda, except that members of a legislative body or its staff may <i>briefly</i> respond to statements made or questions posed by persons exercising their public testimony rights under Section 54954.3." <i>No persons appeared.</i>

	ITEM
Workshop	4. ACCREDITATION WORKSHOP (ENCLOSURE) (Chopra) Dr. Barbara Beno, President, Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, will conduct a Board Workshop on accreditation to include an overview of building capacity for educational excellence and accreditation standards. <i>Dr. Beno conducted a workshop on accreditation. She provided an overview of Accreditation Standards for Continuous Quality Improvement and SLOs, and also presented "Accreditation: Building Capacity for Educational Excellence." The Board had discussion with Dr. Beno regarding information presented.</i>
Adjournment	5. ADJOURNMENT 7:29 p.m. (Salcido)


Raj K. Chopra, Ph.D.
Governing Board Secretary


Yolanda Salcido
Governing Board President