



Board of Trustees

LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
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AGENDA

LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
Pierce College
Student Community Center – Great Hall Building 1900
6201 Winnetka Avenue
Woodland Hills, CA 91371
Wednesday, May 11, 2011
10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Committee Members

Mona Field, Chair
Kelly Candaele
Sylvia Scott-Hayes
Nancy Pearlman, Alternate
Camille Goulet, Resource
Perrin Reid, Staff Liaison
Jamillah Moore, College President Liaison

Agenda

(Items may be taken out of order)

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PUBLIC SPEAKERS*
- III. REPORTS/RECOMMENDATIONS
 - A. SB 911 (DeLeón)
(Amended 4/26/11) (Hearing date 5/4/11, Senate, Governance and Finance)
The bill would require an agency that receives bond funds: to include a transparency component; to include specified information for expenditures of bond proceeds in excess of \$5,000; to post this information on the agency's website; and to provide the citizen's oversight committee with any necessary technical and administrative assistance without the use of bond funds.
 - B. AB 515 (Brownley)
(Amended 4/27/11) (Hearing date 5/4/11, Appropriations)
The bill would authorize governing boards to establish and maintain extension programs offering courses for credit. The program must be self-supporting, without the use of any state general funds. Community colleges could not reduce state funded courses in basic skills or supplant state funded courses by offering extension courses instead. The bill would require district boards to annually certify compliance. The bill would allow community colleges to charge students for the actual cost of the courses.
 - C. AB 684 (Block)
(Amended 4/25/11) (Hearing date 5/3/11, Elections and Redistricting)
The bill would authorize the governing board of a community college to change election systems, in accordance with the California Voting Rights Act, and establish elections by trustee areas. The act would not apply to any community college district that enacts a specific statutory framework for its own trustee elections.
 - D. Brief introduction to the issues pertaining to trustee elections, redistricting, and the California Voter Rights Act

- E. AB 1130 (Skinner)
 (Amended 3/25/11) (Hearing date 5/16/11, Revenue and Taxation) (Two-thirds vote required, Tax Levy)
 Beginning on or after January 1, 2011 (taxable year), the bill would impose a tax on taxable income at various rates depending upon the amount of that income. It would increase the tax rate on taxable income over \$500,000 to 10.3 percent. It would place a one percent tax increase on the richest one percent of Californians and generate an estimated \$2.3 billion in additional revenue.
- F. SB 27 (Simitian and Correa)
 (Amended 3/3/11) (Appropriations Suspense File)
 - a) States findings and declarations regarding the manipulation of retirement benefits, including pension spiking, and the duties of the retirement systems to employ sound and equitable principles of oversight and the treatment of compensation.
 - b) Clarifies and defines in CalPERS and CalSTRS which forms of compensation may be included in an employee's final compensation for the purpose of determining a retirement allowance, and requires that no compensation determined to have been paid expressly to enhance a member's retirement allowance may be included.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

V. SUMMARY – NEXT MEETING..... Mona Field

VI. ADJOURNMENT

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