Rancho Santiago Community College District (RSCCD)

BOARD LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

2323 North Broadway via Zoom Santa Ana, California

Monday, March 21, 2022

MINUTES

1.0 PROCEDURAL MATTERS

1.1 Call to Order

The Zoom meeting was called to order at 4:07 p.m. by Mr. John Hanna. Other member present: David Crockett who participated via video/teleconference (Zoom) pursuant to Governor Newsom's Executive Order N-29-20. Mr. Phillip Yarbrough participated at the time noted.

Staff present: Ms. Letitia Clark, Ms. Debra Gerard, Ms. Iris Ingram, Mr. Sil Han Jin, Mr. Marvin Martinez, Mr. Don Maus, Dr. Annebelle Nery, Mr. Enrique Perez, Dr. Pamela Ralston, and Alistair Winter; and Ms. Maria Vicencio as record keeper.

Guest present: Mr. Casey Elliott (Townsend Public Affairs, Sacramento) and Ben Goldeen.

1.2 Pledge of Allegiance to the United States Flag

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Ms. Iris Ingram.

1.3 Public Comment

There were no public comments.

1.4 Approval of Minutes

It was moved by Mr. Crockett and seconded by Mr. Hanna to approve the minutes of May 27, 2021. The motion carried with the following vote: Mr. Hanna and Mr. Crockett.

2.0 GENERAL

Mr. Phillip Yarbrough joined the meeting at his time.

2.1 State and Federal Updates

Mr. Ben Golden and Casey Elliott presented on state and federal legislation updated. Committee members received clarification on data related to the information presented by Mr. Golden and Mr. Elliott.

2.2 Complete Legislative Bill Matrix

Mr. Ben Golden and Casey Elliott presented on the legislative matrix. Committee members received clarification on data related to the information presented by Mr. Golden and Mr. Elliott.

2.3 Review of Legislation

The committee reviewed the following priority legislation and made the following recommendations:

SUPPORT:

- Assembly Bill 1746 (Medina) Student Financial Aid: Cal Grant Reform Act
- Assembly Bill 1764 (Medina) Student Housing Survey
- Senate Bill 1080 (Min) College and Career Fairs

OPPOSE:

• Assembly Bill 1505 (Rodriguez) - Community colleges: Full-time Faculty Obligation

WATCH:

• Assembly Bill 2738 (Reyes) - Public postsecondary education: community colleges: matriculation: assessment

The committee asked that the abovementioned bills be brought to the full board for consideration of the abovementioned recommendations.

2.4 Proposal of Future Agenda Items

Mr. Hanna proposed that SB 886 (Wiener) California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: public universities: university housing development projects and AB 2738 (Reyes) Public postsecondary education: community colleges: matriculation: assessment be placed in the next Board Legislative Committee agenda.

3.0 ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Hanna declared the meeting adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

Minutes approved: April 14, 2022