

Friday, October 29, 2021
Opportunity Youth Academy Governing Board Meeting #012

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Santa Clara County Office of Education

Pursuant to Executive Order N-29-20 and N-25-20 this meeting will be held electronically.

4:00pm - 5:00pm

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Livestream the Board Meeting:

<https://tinyurl.com/OYA-Board-Mtg-10-29-21>

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Public Comments:

<https://tinyurl.com/OYA-Public-Comment-10-29-21>

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1. CALL TO ORDER

Subject

A. Roll Call

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Category 1. CALL TO ORDER

Access Public

Type Procedural

Subject

B. Adoption of Agenda

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Category 1. CALL TO ORDER

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2. PUBLIC COMMENTS OF PERSONS DESIRING TO ADDRESS THE BOARD

Subject

A. Public Comments

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Category 2. PUBLIC COMMENTS OF PERSONS DESIRING TO ADDRESS THE BOARD

Access Public

Type Procedural

Link:<https://tinyurl.com/OYA-Public-Comment-10-29-21>

Members of the public may submit public comments in writing on the link above on any issue within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Governing Board that is not listed on this agenda. Submitted comments may be read into the record to the extent practicable based upon factors such as the length of the agenda and available time. Comments received within the window of the board meeting whether read or not, will be shared with the board and noted in the minutes.

- Individuals commenter are limited to a single comment per agenda item.
- Public comments will be accepted prior to, and during the board meeting, subject to limitations discussed here.
- Comments may be read in the order received and will be accepted up to the point each agenda item is heard, acted upon or when the Board President has completed the call for public comment on that agenda item.
- Comments submitted during the board meeting, but after the agenda item has been called for a vote, or has already been completed will not be read publicly, but may be entered into the record.
- Comments should be limited to 400 words or fewer, and will need to be readable within the time allocated for each comment. A full comment may not be read if the length of time to read the comment exceeds the designated limit.

No action can be taken on an item not on the agenda at this time but may be referred to the administration or put on a future agenda.

3. CONSENT ACTION ITEMS

Subject	A. Motion to Approve Minutes from June 24, 2021
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Category	3. CONSENT ACTION ITEMS
Access	Public
Type	Action Item (Consent)
Recommended Action	Motion to Approve Minutes from June 24, 2021

Executive File Attachments
[OYA_Board_Minutes_June_24.pdf \(291 KB\)](#)

Subject	B. Resolution Assembly Bill 361
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Category	3. CONSENT ACTION ITEMS
Access	Public
Type	Action Item (Consent)
Recommended Action	Affirm that conditions described in AB 361 continue to apply and adopt resolution of Findings of AB 361 for the OYA Board.

Background

On March 17, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order N-29-20 that suspended the teleconferencing rules set forth in the Brown Act enabling legislative bodies to meet remotely. On September 16, 2021, the Governor signed AB 361 authorizing a legislative body subject to the Brown Act to continue to meet remotely using teleconference without compliance with the Brown Act teleconference rules if certain conditions are followed. On September 21, 2021, the County Health Officer issued a recommendation, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, that public bodies continue to meet remotely. On October 6, 2021, the County Superintendent of Schools adopted a resolution making findings related to AB 361 for all legislative bodies under the jurisdiction of the SCCOE. The County Supt of Schools and OYA Board Trustee hereby affirms the ongoing emergency conditions and the need to use the provisions of AB 361 for the OYA Board meetings. The County Superintendent of Schools shall receive and provide updates regarding the provisions of AB 361 and ensure compliance as required and modify should conditions change.

Student Impact

The County Health Officer has recommended that legislative bodies continue to meet remotely to promote social distancing as one means to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission. The Santa Clara County Office of Education has an important governmental interest in protecting the public health, safety, and welfare of those who participate in meetings of the various legislative bodies during COVID-19 and ensuring that all members of the public can participate safely in meetings of legislative bodies.

File Attachments

health-officer-recommendation-re-public-governmental-meetings-09-21-21.pdf (66 KB)

Resolution_Findings of AB361 Resolution OYA 10.29.2021.docx (98 KB)

9.20.21-executive-order.pdf (1,303 KB)

Resolution_AB 361.pdf (100 KB)

4. ACTION ITEMS

Subject	A. Opportunity Youth Academy Governance Council
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Category	4. ACTION ITEMS
Access	Public
Type	Action Item
Recommended Action	Select and approve candidates

Opportunity Youth Academy will utilize input from a Charter School-based Governance Council, which makes recommendations directly to the Opportunity Youth Academy Board. The Governance Council is an advisory body to the Opportunity Youth Academy Board. The Opportunity Youth Academy Governance Council will have nine voting members, including a student representative and will be operated in accordance with its Bylaws. The Governance Council will include Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services Division, who will be a standing member and serve as the chairperson. The Governance Council will meet on a quarterly basis.

Requests for additional community and student members were distributed.

Candidates:

Dr. Demerris Brooks, SCCOE Director-HR/Workforce Development & Organizational Culture
 Joell Hanson, SCCOE Coordinator-CTE iSTEAM Professional Learning & Instructional Support Division
 Courtney Portal, Community Representative
 Austin Block, National Center for Youth Law
 Deryk Clark, Bill Wilson Center
 Ashley Moore, OYA Student Representative

5. INFORMATION ITEMS

Subject	A. Assembly Bill 130 & 104 - Independent Student Requirement/Grades/Graduation Requirements
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Category	5. INFORMATION ITEMS
Access	Public
Type	Informational

Governor Gavin Newsom signed Assembly Bill (AB) 130 into law on July 9, 2021. This bill makes changes to independent study (IS). Some of the changes apply to all local educational agencies (LEAs), and some apply only to school districts

and county offices of education (COEs). Although this communication is not inclusive of all of the changes to IS, it highlights several of the more pressing new elements for the 2021–22 school year that LEAs need to be aware of before IS instruction begins. These include IS offering requirements, a provision for waivers of the offering requirements, as well as required parent notification, pupil-parent-educator conferences, and additions to board policies and written agreements.

Assembly Bill 104 would require a school district, charter school, or county office of education to exempt all pupils who, in the 2020–21 school year, were in their 3rd or 4th year of high school and who are not on track to graduate in 4 years from all coursework and other requirements adopted by the governing body of a school district, charter school, or county office of education that are in addition to the statewide coursework requirements, and to separately provide, for all pupils who, in the 2020–21 school year, were in their 3rd or 4th year of high school and who are not on track to graduate in the 2020–21 or 2021–22 school year, the opportunity to complete the statewide coursework required for graduation, which may include, among other opportunities for completion of the coursework, a 5th year of instruction.

Assembly B 104 would authorize the parent, guardian, or education rights holder of a pupil, or, for a pupil who is 18 years of age or older, the pupil, who was enrolled in high school and enrolled in a course during the 2020–21 school year to apply to the pupil's school district, county board of education, or charter school to change the letter grade for that course to a Pass or No Pass grade on the pupil's transcript. The bill would require the school district, county office of education, or charter school to make the requested change, as specified. The bill would require the California State University, and encourage private postsecondary institutions and the University of California, to accept, and to notify the State Department of Education whether the institution will accept, those changed transcripts for admission purposes. The bill would require the department to develop the application for the grade change request and to provide related assistance to school districts, county offices of education, and charter schools.

Subject B. Silicon Valley Career Technical Education Partnership

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Category 5. INFORMATION ITEMS

Access Public

Type Informational

An update on the current partnership with Silicon Valley Career Technical Education.

Presentator:

Linda Ahmad, OYA College and Career Liaison

Dr. Katherine Everett, Assistant Principal

File Attachments

[Stakeholders SVCTE Presentation.pptx \(1,720 KB\)](#)

Subject C. Enrollment, Attendance, Staffing

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Category 5. INFORMATION ITEMS

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Type Informational

Subject D. Future 2021-2022 OYA Board Meetings

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Future 2021-2022 OYA Board Meetings:

December 16, 2021

January 13, 2022

April 21, 2022

May 26, 2022

June 2, 2022

June 16, 2022

6. ADJOURNMENT
