The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the West Kern Community College District was called to order at 3:32 p.m. by President Dawn Cole. Trustees Michael Long, Dr. Kathy Orrin and Billy White were present. Superintendent/President Dr. Debra Daniels and Executive Secretary Sarah Criss were in attendance.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS
No comments were heard.

CLOSED SESSION
At 3:33 p.m. it was moved by Trustee White, seconded by Trustee Orrin and unanimously carried, that the Board convene in Closed Session to discuss the District’s position regarding the following matters:

A. Public Employee Appointment/Employment, Government Code Section 54957
B. Public Employee Performance Evaluations, Government Code Section 54957
C. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release/Complaint, Government Code Section 54957
D. Conference with Labor Negotiators (Government Code section 54957.6)
   Agency Designated Representative: Superintendent/President
   Employee Organizations: TC Faculty Association, CSEA Chapter #543 & Management/Supervisory/Classified Confidential Employees
E. Conference with Legal Counsel – Potential Litigation, Pursuant to Paragraph (4) of Subdivision (d) of Government Code Section 54956.9
F. Student Discipline and Other Confidential Student Matters, Education Code Sections 35146, 48900 et. Seq. and 48912(b)

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION; ANNOUNCE CLOSED SESSION ACTIONS
At 3:43 p.m., it was moved by Secretary Long, seconded by Trustee Orrin and unanimously carried, to reconvene in Public Session. President Cole reported that no action was taken.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
President Cole led the pledge of allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON OPEN SESSION ITEMS
There were no public comments.

APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE TO FILL VACANCY
President Cole reported that a successful search for a candidate to fill the vacancy from Emmanuel Campos was held. The interviews of four candidates from the community who each advocated for students were held at a special meeting on November 11, 2021. President Cole also stated that this selection would fill the vacancy until the election to be held in 2022.

Trustee White nominated Carlos Chavira to fill the vacant position. On a motion by Secretary Long, seconded by Trustee Orrin and unanimously carried, Mr. Chavira was appointed to trustee.

NEXT MEETING

The next monthly meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 8, 2021.

ADJOURNMENT

At 4:08 p.m., on a motion by Trustee White, seconded by Trustee Orrin and unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted:

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Michael Long, Secretary