**Escuela Popular Instituto Campesino de Cesar Chavez**

**EPIC SPECIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING AGENDA**

**Location:** University of La Verne  
1201 24th Street  
Bakersfield, CA 93301

May 16, 2016 11:30 AM

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1. **MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**
2. **ESTABLISH A QUORUM**

   **Roll Call:**  
   - David Villarino (President)  
   - Anthony Chavez  
   - Mark Martinez  
   - Rick Najera  
   - Inez DeLuna  
   - Jenny Freeman, Secretary-Treasurer (nonvoting)  
   - Nora Dominguez

   **Staff Present:** Rick Alvarez, Executive Director; Delilah Martinez, Deputy Director; and Frank Ceja, CBO

3. **SALUTE TO THE FLAG / FARMWORKER POEM**
4. **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**
5. **OPEN PUBLIC FORUM**
   
   It is appropriate for the public to address the EPIC Board regarding items of public interest within the jurisdiction of the board before or during the Board's consideration of the items. Time allowed may be limited to three minutes per item. If a large number wish to speak on a specific item, the board may limit total input to 30 minutes on any item. Individuals or groups may address the board on items not listed on the agenda; however, no action can or will be taken on the unlisted items.

   Further, Education Code §35145.5 also establishes the right of the public to place items on the agenda directly relating to business of the EPIC Board of Directors. Agenda requests must be made in writing ten days prior to board meetings.
In accordance with the law, the public and Board are hereby given notice that a tape recording of today’s meeting is being made. This recording is to assist in the completion of the minutes. It is NOT a transcript of the meeting and may be disposed of in 30 days. The official transcript of this meeting will continue to be the adopted minutes.

6. CLOSE PUBLIC FORUM
7. CLOSED SESSION
   The board may call for a closed session to discuss confidential personnel matters, potential litigation, or other matters allowed under the Brown Act.
   - Litigation
   - Certificated Personnel

8. OPEN SESSION
   A report out from closed session

9. APPROVAL OF THE CONSENT AGENDA:
   All consent agenda items for the EPIC BOARD OF DIRECTORS are considered to be routine and will be enacted by one motion unless a board member requests separate action on a specific item. Approval recommended on all items listed:
   a) Approval of minutes from March 12, 2016 and March 24, 2016
   b) Certificated Personnel Report

10. REPORTS: THE BOARD MAY, IF TIME PERMITS, TAKE BOARD REPORTS AND SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT AT ANY TIME DURING THE MEETING AND NOT AT A SPECIFIC TIME.
    There is very limited board discussion, between the board, except to ask questions or refer matters to staff, and no action will be taken unless listed elsewhere on the agenda or on a subsequent agenda:

11. INFORMATION ITEMS (nonvoting):
    EPIC:
    a) Teacher Credential Update
    b) Extension of Instructional day by three hours at Bakersfield Learning Center
    c) 2014-2015 CASAS Student Assessment Report (Academic Outcomes)
    d) Approval of Revised Second Interim Report
    e) Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP)
    f) EPIC Board meeting dates update

12. Action Items
    A) Old Business: None
    B) New Business:
       1) Approval of Revised Interim Report
       2) Approval of Academic Outcomes 2014-15

13. ADJOURNMENT:
Next Meeting Date: Regularly Scheduled EPIC Board Meeting; Thursday June 2, 2016. Time and location to be determined

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