

**IMPERIAL VALLEY REGIONAL OCCUPATIONAL PROGRAM
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**
Adopted Minutes

Meeting of November 17, 2022
Imperial Valley Regional Occupational Program Main Office

CALL TO ORDER: Ms. Armenta called the virtual meeting to order at 6:31 a.m. The following persons were present:

Ms. Alicia Armenta, Board President, Imperial County Office of Education
Mr. Lorenzo Calderon, Jr., Board Member, Calexico Unified School District
Mr. Carlos Hernandez, Board Member, Central Union High School District
Mr. Matt Hester, Board Member, Holtville Unified School District
Mr. Raul Navarro, Board Member, Calipatria Unified School District
Ms. Gloria Santillan, Board Member, Brawley Union High School District
Mr. Gabriel Aguirre, Project Coordinator, Imperial Valley ROP
Mr. Luis De La Torre, Director of Business & Human Services, Imperial Valley ROP
Mr. Todd Evangelist, Director, Imperial County Office of Education
Ms. Adriana Hernandez, Program Manager, Imperial Valley ROP
Mr. Edwin P. Obergfell, Superintendent, Imperial Valley ROP
Ms. Maria Pantoja, Project Coordinator, Imperial Valley ROP
Ms. Wendy Ramirez, Office Manager, Imperial Valley ROP
Ms. Stephanie Sandoval, Data Manager, Imperial Valley ROP

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Ms. Santillan led the pledge of allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS: None.

INTRODUCTIONS/ ANNOUNCEMENTS: Mr. Obergfell welcomed Mr. Evangelist to the meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA: A motion was made by Mr. Calderon and seconded by Mr. Hester to approve the items on Consent Agenda as presented. ***Motion carried unanimously.***

- Minutes of October 20, 2022, Regular Meeting; as presented in Exhibit 6(a).
- October '22 Warrant Order #'s: 23195304-23195366; 23196248-23196327; 23196331; 23197140-23197205; 23198120-23198160.

PERSONNEL: ***APPOINTMENT OF PERSONNEL.*** A motion was made by Mr. Hester and seconded by Ms. Santillan to approve the appointment of personnel for Mr. David Blanco, Ms. Danielle Mauldin, Ms. Clarissa Miranda, and Mr. Marco Pinuelas. ***Motion carried unanimously.***

RESIGNATION. A motion was made by Mr. Calderon and seconded by Mr. Hernandez to approve the resignation of Ms. Danne Diaz. ***Motion carried unanimously.***

IVROP SUPERINTENDENT CONTRACT. The board reviewed the IVROP Superintendent contract and agreed to renew the contract for an additional three years July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2026. Mr. Obergfell will forward the contract to the attorney for her review. The contract will be provided to the board after the attorney has reviewed the contract.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:

MONTHLY BUDGET UPDATE. Mr. De La Torre referred to the Monthly Budget Update and provided an update.

IVROP COMMUNITY FOUNDATION. Mr. Obergfell shared the IVROPCF Board has not decided on the new coordinator position. The coordinator position is still open. The Dancing with the Stars will be held on Friday, May 12, 2023, at the Quechan. The Board are reviewing the Stars and Instructors.

CTE UPDATE. Ms. Hernandez provided a CTE update. A total of 102 CTSO Officers participated in the CTELT. A total of 75 FFA students participated in the AG Summit. Career Specialists facilitated a Career Assessment workshops for 60 migrant students at the MEP Path to Higher Education event on November 4th. The Mobile Career Exploration Lab continues to provide services and is in high demand. It will be providing services to Calexico SPARKS Nov. 19, 21, and 22. We are in the process of hiring staff for Ed. Services. She provided a school update for Central Union High School.

PRESENTATION: None.

CORRESPONDENCE: None.

LEGISLATION: None.

OTHER: **ARTICLES.** Mr. Obergfell referred to the articles in the Imperial Valley Press dated October 20, 23, 24, 26, 2022.

EVENTS. None.

**BOARD AND
SUPERINTENDENT
COMMENTS:**

Ms. Armenta thanked Mr. Evangelist for joining the meeting. She wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Mr. Calderon shared Calexico is pushing CTE in the middle schools.

Mr. Hernandez said he appreciates everyone's hard work. He informed the board he didn't run for reelection. He thanked everyone for guiding him through the process.

Mr. Hester wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. He told Mr. Hernandez it has been great serving with him.

Mr. Navarro wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. He told Mr. Hernandez it has been great serving with him.

Ms. Santillan wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. She reminded the board to be more proactive in our children's education.

Mr. Obergfell congratulated Mr. Navarro and Mr. Calderon on the election. He told Mr. Hernandez he appreciates the time he served as an IVROP Board Member. He thanked the board for their support and wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

NEXT MEETING: The next IVROP Board Meeting was scheduled for Thursday, December 15, 2022, at 6:30 a.m., at Imperial Valley Regional Occupational Program (IVROP) Main Office.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting adjourned at 7:14 a.m.