

**MIRACOSTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

One Barnard Drive, Oceanside, CA

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING / WORKSHOP

JUNE 15, 2023
(Approved July 21, 2023)

I. CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Trustees of the MiraCosta Community College District met in a regular meeting/workshop on Thursday, June 15, 2023, in Room T-200 on the Oceanside Campus. President Merchat called the meeting to order at 4 p.m.

II. FLAG SALUTE / ROLL CALL

Board members present:

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| Rick Cassar | Frank Merchat |
| William Fischer | Anna Pedroza |
| George McNeil | Jacqueline Simon |

Trustees not present:

Raye Clendening

Administrators present:

Superintendent/President Sunny Cooke (virtually)
Assistant Superintendent/Vice President Tim Flood
Assistant Superintendent/Vice President Denée Pescarmona

III. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS ON AND NOT ON THE AGENDA

None.

IV. CHANGES IN AGENDA ORDER

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we're moving in a positive direction. The college will continue to monitor these leading indicators for subsequent cohorts to be sure that the upward trend continues.

Tarman noted that progress was being made in all categories each year prior to the pandemic. Guided Pathways efforts are continuing with a focus on students obtaining education plans in their first semester, and we are seeing positive results from these efforts.

Tarman reviewed AB705 data as compared to the statewide data, specifically transfer-level English and math, which now have no barriers for enrollment. Data shows many more students are taking these courses, and they are also performing in these courses (e.g., course success rates have remained relatively flat, even though many more students now have access to the transfer-level course). This is outstanding because far more students are now completing transfer-level courses with a passing grade, thus completing that important degree and transfer requirement. Our numbers are 11 percent high

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