BOARD OF DIRECTORS BOARD OF DIRECTORS



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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES Monday, March 25, 2024 @ 6:00 pm

(rescheduled to 7:00 pm)

1. Call to order at 7:00 pm by President, Anne Stokman

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Roll Call

Directors Present:

President, Anne Stokman

Vice President, Timothy Benefield

Treasurer, Luis Avila

Secretary, Becky Campo (absent)

Staff Present:

CEO, Karin Freese

Ambulance Director, Paul Willette HC Manager, Suzie Benitez

Clerk of the Board/Financial Accounting Manager, Maria Reyes-Palad

Clinical Ed and QI Manager, Jim Whitworth

District Legal Council: Dave Ritchie, Cole Huber, LLP

We have a quorum.

4. Reading of the District's Vision, Mission, and Value Statements:

Vision:

"A locally cultivated, healthier community."

Mission:

"To provide, promote, and partner in quality healthcare for all."

Values:

"Compassion - Commitment - Excellence"

5. Public Comment Period

Ms. Freese announced the upcoming interview of Meg Matthew of Patterson Irrigator with provider Raj Singh regarding the new urgent care service offered at the clinic. A front-page ad will be posted in this week's newspaper issue.

- **6. Declarations of Conflict** [Board members disclose any conflicts of interest with agenda items] None.
- 7. Approval of Agenda:

M/S/C: To approve the agenda as posted.

Directors Benefield/Avila

Aves: Directors Avila, Stokman, Benefield

Nays: None Abstain: None Motion: Passed

8. Consent Calendar* [Routine committee reports, minutes, and non-controversial items]

A. * Approve Board Meeting Minutes - February 26, 2024

M/S/C. Approve the Consent Calendar.

Directors Benefield/Avila

Ayes: Directors: Avila, Stokman, Benefield

Nays: None Abstain: None Motion: Passed

- **9. Regular Calendar*** [Members of the public may address the Board as the Board considers each item. Each speaker is allowed a maximum of five minutes.]
 - A. No Items were moved from the consent calendar.

B. Opening New Bank Account

Ms. Freese and Ms. Reyes-Palad explained the need to find a new bank for an effective fund management system and internal control. Board direction was to find offerings of banks with local branches.

C. Budget Adjustment - Revenue

Ms. Freese explained the overstatement of Ambulance budgeted revenue due to commercial insurance rate adjustments. An analysis report by billing departments was utilized and made as a basis for an adjustment of \$560K reduction to ambulance net patient service revenue.

M/S/C. To approve Ambulance revenue budget adjustment as per discussed.

Directors Avila/Benefield

Ayes: Directors: Avila, Stokman, Benefield

Nays: None Abstain: None Motion: Passed

D. CEO Evaluation Policy Review & Amendment

Tabled to next meeting

For Item D & E, a copy of an amended CEO Annual Developmental Review and Performance Evaluation Policy was distributed during the meeting.

E. CEO Evaluation Committee Appointment

Tabled to next meeting

- 10. Review of Written Reports
 - A. Administration Ms. Freese (verbal)
 - B. Ambulance Mr. Willette
 - C. Health Center Ms. Benitez
 - D. Human Resources Mr. Trefault
 - E. Legislative Watch List Ms. Freese
- 11. Strategic Planning
 - A. FY 2023-24 Next 90 Days Update (attached)
 - B. Strategic Planning Board Retreat
 - 1) Warm-up Wed, May 15, from 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM
 - 2) Retreat Thu, May 16, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
 - 3) District staff will look for possible venues. The Board recommended some locations. Information to be provided at the next Board meeting.

Adjourned to Closed Session @ 8:02 pm

12. Closed Session [Board of Directors may recess to closed session to discuss certain matters as legally permitted. Any action taken shall be reported in open session.]

A. Gov't Code § 54957.6

Conference with Labor Negotiator

Employee Organization: USW TEMSA

Local 12911

Negotiators: David Ritchie, JD

Karin Freese & Paul Willette

B. Health & Safety Code 321069(c)(2)

District Health Care Trade Secret (i.e., necessary to initiate a new district service or program or add a district health care facility and, if prematurely disclosed, create a substantial probability of depriving the district of a substantial economic benefit).

- 13. Reconvene to Open Session @ 8:32 pm Report of Closed Session
- 14. Director Correspondence, Comments, Future Agenda Items None
- 15. Upcoming Regular Board and Standing Committee Meeting Dates Information

Finance – Wed, Apr 24 @ 8:15 AM Strategic Planning Board Retreat Warm-up Strategic Planning Board Retreat Finance – Wed, May 22 @ 8:15 AM Finance – Wed, Jun 19 @ 8:15 AM Board – Mon, Apr 29 @ 6:00 PM Wed, May 15th from 5:30-7:00 PM Thu, May 16th from 10:00AM to 4:00 PM Board – Mon, May 20 @ 6:00 PM Board – Mon, June 24 @ 6:00 PM

16. Adjourn @ 8:33 pm

Respectfully Submitted:

Becky Campo, Board Secretary

Date Signed