

#### **Board of Trustees Legislative Committee Meeting**

Meeting Agenda - February 10, 2022, at 11:00 a.m. SBCCD Boardroom Extension

550 E. Hospitality Ln., Ste. 200, San Bernardino, CA 92408

#### I. WELCOME & CALL TO ORDER

(Frank Reyes)

## II. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA AND NON-AGENDA ITEMS (Frank Reyes)

The San Bernardino Community College Board of Trustees offers an opportunity for the public to address the Board on any agenda item prior to or during the Board's consideration of that item. Comments must be limited to five (5) minutes per speaker and twenty (20) minutes per topic if there is more than one speaker. At the conclusion of public comment, the Board may ask staff to review a matter or may ask that a matter be put on a future agenda. As a matter of law, members of the Board may not discuss or take action on matters raised during public comment unless the matters are properly noticed for discussion or action in Open Session. Anyone who requires a disability-related modification or accommodation in order to participate in the public meeting should contact the Chancellor's Office at (909) 388-6903 as far in advance of the Board meeting as possible.

#### III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

(Frank Reyes)

A. 2021-12-10 BLC Meeting Minutes

#### IV. ADVOCACY UPDATE

- A. Proposed State Budget and Top Legislative Topics (MGI Advocacy, Mark MacDonald)
- B. Update On Upcoming Advocacy Meetings (Angel Rodriguez)
- C. New Maps: SBCCD's Legislative Districts (Angel Rodriguez)

#### V. ACTION AGENDA

(Frank Reyes)

A. Reaffirmation of the SBCCD Board Legislative Committee Charge

#### VI. FUTURE TOPICS

(Frank Reyes)

A. Trustee Suggestions

#### VII. NEXT MEETING DATE & ADJOURNMENT

(Frank Reyes)

- A. The next meeting of the Board Legislative Committee: March 10, 2022, at 11:00 a.m. (in person) SBCCD Boardroom Extension
- B. Adjournment

#### **SBCCD Mission:**

The San Bernardino Community College District (SBCCD) transforms lives through the education and training of students for the benefit and enrichment of our diverse communities.

#### **BLC Charge:**

- Increasing the efficiency of the Board of Trustees by performing time-sensitive legislative research on its behalf.
- Improving clarity by providing a platform for detailed questions not conducive to the flow of monthly business meetings.
- Promoting transparency of SBCCD's legislative advocacy priorities through discussions in an open forum.
- ❖ Fostering an environment of understanding by communicating findings and formulating recommendations to the full Board of Trustees.

BLC Charge was reaffirmed February 11, 2021 by the Board of Trustees. The SBCCD BLC exists as a standing, advisory committee comprised of less than a quorum of Board members and is subject to the California Public Meetings Brown Act.



#### **Board of Trustees Legislative Committee**

Meeting Minutes – December 10, 2021

#### **Members Present:**

Trustee Anne Viricel
Trustee Frank Reyes
Trustee John Longville (participated by phone and did not vote)

#### **Guests Present:**

#### **Staff Present:**

Diana Rodriguez, Chancellor
Jose Torres, Executive Vice Chancellor
Scott Thayer, Interim President San Bernardino Valley College
Angel Rodriguez, Sr. District Director Marketing, Public Affairs, & Government Relations
Stacey Nikac, Administrative Officer, Office of the Chancellor

#### I. CALL TO ORDER & SELF INTRODUCTION

Trustee Frank Reyes called the meeting to order at 11:05 a.m.

#### II. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA AND NON-AGENDA ITEMS

None

#### III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

#### A. 2021-09-09 Board Legislative Committee Minutes

Trustee Anne Viricel moved to approve the 2021-09-09 Board Legislative Committee minutes. Trustee Frank Reyes seconded the motion.

AYES: Reves, Viricel

NOES: None

ABSENT: Longville ABSTENTIONS: None

#### IV. ADVOCACY UPDATE

#### A. Review 2021 Advocacy Efforts – Diana Rodriguez

Chancellor Rodriguez is hopeful Board will support an ongoing ask of \$5M to be used for KVCR so we can invest in workforce development to provide opportunities to students to help them be successful.

A. Rodriguez reported on the 2021 advocacy update.

#### V. ACTION AGENDA

#### A. Review 2022 Legislative Budget & Priorities – Angel Rodriguez

Chancellor Rodriguez reported the 2022 Legislative Budget & Priorities will be shared with the BFC to keep them informed and gather feedback.

BLC recommended to accept 2022 Legislative Budget & Priorities and move it forward for the full Board for approval in January.

AYES: Reyes, Viricel

NOES: None ABSENT: None

ABSTENTIONS: Longville

#### IV. FUTURE TOPICS

- Chancellor Rodriguez will share her list of future topics with the committee.
- Shared the possibility of hosting a reception on January 31 with SBCCD and elected officials in Sacramento.
- Chair Viricel requested for the committee to have a training on the priorities

#### VIII. NEXT MEETING DATE & ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 12:08 p.m.
The next meeting of the Board Legislative Committee (in person)
January 13, 2022, at 11:00 a.m.
SBCCD Boardroom Extension

Stacey Nikac, Recorder, Office of the Chancellor



# San Bernardino Community College District

February 10, 2022

Presenter: Mark MacDonald, MGI Advocacy

## **Budget Timeline**



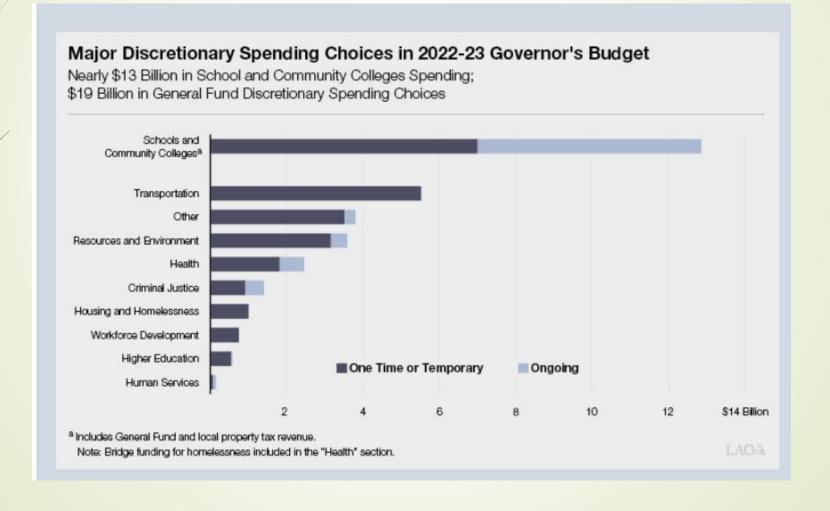
- January Budget Proposal Introduced January 10<sup>th</sup>
- Senate & Assembly Committee Hearings This Week April
- May Revise Budget Released in Mid-May
- ♦ Final Budget Agreement in Late June/Early July

## January Budget Proposal - Overall Budget Picture



- ♦ \$45.7 Billion Surplus (Included Proposition 98 Funding):
  - ♦ \$20.6 Billion in General Fund Discretionary Funding
  - ♦ \$16.1 Billion in Additional Funding for Proposition 98
  - \$9 Billion Reserve Deposits & Debt Payments

## **Budget Discretionary Spending**





## Student Centered Funding Formula



- Creates Permanent Funding Floor for CCC Funding
  - "Permanent" Hold Harmless put in place in 2025-26
  - Provide Districts with no less than receive in 2024-25
  - Districts below total TCR not receive COLA in out years & slowly move out of hold harmless
  - Propose first-generation students in supplemental portion





Governor's January Budget Proposal		
<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
Cost of Living Adjustment	\$409.4 million (5.33%)	
Growth	\$24.9 million (0.5%)	
Retention & Enrollment Strategies	\$150 million	
PT Faculty Health Insurance	\$200 million (ongoing)	
Deferred Maintenance & Energy Projects	\$387.6 million	
Student Success & Completion Grant	\$100 million (ongoing)	
Common Course Numbering (AB 1111)	\$105 million	
Transfer Reform (AB 928)	\$65 million	
Program Mapper	\$25 million	





	Governor's January Budget Proposal		
	<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
	Equal Employment Opportunity	\$10 million	
/	Financial Aid Offices	\$10 million	
	NextUp Foster Youth (20-30 Districts)	\$10 million	
	Technology Infrastructure & Data Protection	\$75 million (one-time) + \$25 million (ongoing)	
	Healthcare Vocational Education Pathways for ESL Students	\$130 million	
	AB 540 Emergency Assistance	\$20 million	
	3Ps Stem Education	\$20 million	
	Teacher Credentialing Pilot Project	\$5 million	





	Governor's January Budget Proposal	January Budget Proposal	
	<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
/	African American Male Education Network & Development (A2MEND) Student Charters	\$1.1 million	
	Umoja	\$179,000	
	Learning Aligned Programs	\$300 million	
	Chancellor's Office Positions	\$1.4 million in budget year + \$1.4 million next budget year	





## Exceeded in 2020-21 & 2021-22 fiscal years

Approximately \$2.6 billion over

## No proposed specific plan to allocate SAL funding (must go to K-14 & taxpayers)

 Governor indicated that he would develop a plan for the May Revise

## Not Included in the Budget



Basic Allocation Increase

- Funding to Reduce Employer Costs for CalSTRS & CalPERS
- Additional Funding for Student Affordable Housing & Student Basic Needs
- Funding for Additional Full-Time Faculty

## **Budget & Legislative Update**



## Questions/Discussion

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**DATE:** February 10, 2022

**TO:** SBCCD Board Legislative Committee (Trustee Frank Reyes, Trustee John

Longville, and Trustee Anne Viricel)

**CC:** Chancellor Diana Rodriguez and SBCCD Board of Trustees

**FROM:** Angel Rodriguez,

Senior Director of Marketing, Public Affairs & Government Relations

**RE:** Overview of Governor's Budget Proposal for FY 2022-23

Governor Gavin Newsom submitted his proposed State Budget for Fiscal Year 2022-23 to the Legislature on January 10, 2022. The Governor's proposed Budget projects a \$45.7 billion surplus.

Since March 2020, California's 116 community colleges have suffered the most regarding significant enrollment declines due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Against this backdrop, the 2022-23 State Budget proposal would provide about \$1.6 billion in new monies for the community college segment.

The 2022-23 State Budget proposes several investments to the CCC system that are relevant to SBCCD's legislative priorities. Key goals and expectations in the Governor's budget proposal include increased collaboration across segments and sectors to enhance timely transfer; improved time-to-degree and certificate completion; closure of equity gaps; and better alignment of the system with K-12 and workforce needs.

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#### **Overview of State Budget & Legislative Process**

- The Governor is required to submit a proposed budget proposal by January 10 of each year for the upcoming fiscal year, serving as the initial framework for budget negotiations.
- The Governor's Budget Proposal marks the beginning of the annual budget process.
- Legislative budget subcommittees will now move toward the second phase of the process by considering the issues proposed by the Governor and other key state needs throughout the spring.
- In May 2022, the Governor will issue a revised version of his Budget Proposal based on the updated revenue totals (known as the May Revise or May Revision).
- Per a state constitutional requirement, the Legislature has until midnight on June 15, 2022, to pass a balanced budget and send it to the Governor for his consideration.
- As with any legislation, the Governor may choose to sign or veto the entire bill reflecting the Budget; the Governor also has authority to veto individual spending items (known as the line-item veto, or "blue pencil").
- The Governor has until midnight on June 30, 2022, to act on the budget legislation.

#### Governor's 2022-23 Budget Proposal Includes New Goals and Expectations

Key goals and expectations in the Governor's budget proposal include increased collaboration across segments and sectors to enhance timely transfer; improved time-to-degree and certificate completion; closure of equity gaps; and better alignment of the system with K-12 and workforce needs.

#### **Higher Expectations for Student Educational Outcomes**

The proposed budget seeks to:

- Increase the percentage of students earning degrees, certificates and specific skill sets for in-demand jobs by 20% by 2026;
- Decrease the median units to completion by 15%, and establish systemwide stretch goals regarding the number of students completing or transferring within the minimum amount of time necessary;
- Increase the number of transfers to the UC or CSU in proportion to enrollment growth in those systems; and
- Annually publish, for all colleges, the 2-year associate degree graduation rate and the share of first-time students with sophomore standing when entering their second year, disaggregated for underrepresented and Pell students.

#### **Advancing Equity**

The proposed budget intends to:

- Improve systemwide graduate on rates, transfer rates, and time to completion among underrepresented and Pell students to meet the average of all students by 2026; and
- Close equity gaps in access to dual enrollment programs.

#### **Expects Increased Intersegmental Collaboration.**

The budget proposal expects:

- Full participation in the Cradle-to-Career Data System;
- Efforts to adopt a common intersegmental learning management system;
- Collaboration with the UC and CSU on a higher education student success dashboard within the Cradle-to-Career framework to identify and address equity gaps; and
- Efforts to establish an integrated admissions platform common to the UC, CSU and community colleges.

#### **Seeks improved Workforce Preparedness**

The budget proposal seeks to support workforce preparedness and high-demand career pipelines, including goals to:

- Increase the percentage of K-12 students who graduate with 12 or more college units through dual enrollment by 15%;
- Establish a baseline for credit-for-prior-learning offerings and increase the offerings annually, and launch 10 new direct-assessment competency-based education programs;
- Increase the percentage of completing students who earn a living wage by 15%;
- Focus on establishing or expanding programs that address workforce needs in healthcare, climate response, education and early education; and
- Establish pathways in those fields from high school through university, including development of Associate Degree for Transfer and transfer pathways along with dual enrollment opportunities that ensure transfer of community college credits toward degree programs.

#### Governor's 2022-23 Budget Proposal for California Community Colleges

- Since March 2020, California's 116 community colleges have suffered the most regarding significant enrollment declines due to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Against this backdrop, the 2022 State Budget proposal would provide about \$1.6 billion in new monies for the community college segment.
- The 2022-23 State Budget proposes several investments to the CCC system that are relevant to SBCCD's legislative priorities.

#### **Equity:**

- Expresses Concern about Learning Disruptions. The budget proposal includes language expressing concern about the disruptions to student learning caused by the pandemic, and the disproportionate impact on underserved student populations. It indicates that districts should strive to meet the needs of their diverse student populations through various instructional modalities, given that some students may be best served by an online course format while others may be better served by in-person courses. The Administration expects districts to aim to offer at least 50% of lecture and laboratory course sections in-person in 2022-23, provided that approach is consistent with the district's student demand and with public health guidelines in place at the time.
- Addresses Needs of Part-Time Faculty. Building on investments in part-time faculty office hours in the 2021 Budget Act, the proposal includes \$200 million ongoing to augment the Part-Time Faculty Health Insurance Program as a means of incentivizing districts to expand healthcare coverage for their part-time faculty.
- Invests in Diversifying the Workforce. Building on a \$20 million one-time investment in the 2021 Budget Act, the Governor's Budget includes \$10 million ongoing to support the sustainable implementation of Equal Employment Opportunity program best practices to diversify community college faculty, staff, and administrators.

#### Increased public investment in student success:

• Apportionments Receive 5.33% COLA and 0.50% Growth. The proposal includes an increase of \$24.9 million ongoing to fund 0.5% enrollment growth and \$409.4 million ongoing to support a 5.33% COLA for apportionments, the same COLA proposed for K-12. Decisions about any COLA were historically made by the Legislature during the annual budget process, but the budget plan in 2019-20 implemented a new policy for the K-12 system's Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF). Under this policy, LCFF receives an automatic COLA unless the minimum guarantee is insufficient to cover the associated costs. In that case, the COLA would be reduced to fit within the guarantee. The statute is silent on community college programs, but the proposed COLA for community colleges for

2022-23 matches that provided for K-12, as was the case in the Enacted Budget for the current year.

- Builds on Efforts to Retain and Enroll Students. The budget proposal includes \$150 million in one-time funds for student retention and enrollment efforts, building on the \$120 million included in the 2021 Budget Act (\$20 million of which was provided in an Early Action package in 2020-21). The funds are aimed at supporting community college efforts and high-touch strategies to increase student enrollment and retention rates. As with the prior round of funding, the focus is on engaging with former students who may have withdrawn due to the impacts of the pandemic, and connecting with current and prospective students who may be hesitant to enroll in college due to the impacts of COVID-19.
- Expands Student Support Programs. The Governor's Budget proposes an increase of \$1.1 million ongoing to support the expansion of African American Male Education Network and Development (A2MEND) student charters to additional college districts. It also includes \$10 million ongoing to expand the availability of foster youth support services through the NextUp program, seeking to expand the program from 20 to 30 districts. It provides \$179,000 one-time for a study of the Umoja program, to better understand the practices that promote student success for African American students.
- Efforts to Address Deferred Maintenance. Continue building on the \$511 million in one-time funds provided in the 2021 Budget Act, the Governor's Budget includes \$387.6 million one-time Proposition 98 funds to address deferred maintenance and energy efficiency projects across the system.
- **Buys Down Pension Liabilities.** The Governor's Budget proposes to buy down \$3.5 billion in pension liabilities, providing cost relief for districts. The buydown would reduce pension liabilities, lowering district costs over time. Employer contributions would remain steady at 23% for CalPERS and 17% for CalSTRS.
- Invests in Common Course Numbering. The 2021 Budget Act included \$10 million one-time to plan for and begin developing a common course numbering system statewide, as a means of facilitating the alignment of curriculum, easing student course selection, promoting timely program completion, and supporting students who attend multiple colleges and those preparing to transfer. To further support that goal, the Governor's Budget includes \$105 million one-time to support the system-wide implementation of common course numbering.
- Supports Transfer Reform. Following the passage of AB 928 (passed in 2021), the proposal includes \$65 million one-time to implement the bill's transfer reform provisions. Those provisions require the system to participate in an intersegmental committee charged with oversight of the Associate Degree for Transfer and to develop and implement procedures to place students who declare a goal of transfer on the ADT pathway if one exists for their chosen major unless they opt-out.

- Invests in Technology to Navigate Pathways. The proposal includes \$25 million one-time to facilitate the procurement and implementation of software that clearly maps out intersegmental curricular pathways, in order to help students select a pathway, facilitate streamlined transfer between segments, and reduce excess unit accumulation. It also includes \$100 million (\$75 million one-time and \$25 million ongoing) to address modernization of technology infrastructure, including sensitive data protection.
- Increases Support for Teacher Preparation Partnerships. The Governor's Budget includes \$5 million one-time to support the CCC Teacher Credentialing Partnership Program, created via legislation several years ago (SB 57, passed in 2018). The program provides grants to community colleges in areas of the state with low rates of K-12 credentialed public school teachers to form partnerships with four-year institutions that have approved teacher preparation programs. The grants support the offering of teacher credential coursework remotely at the participating community college as a means of increasing access to teacher credentialing programs in underserved areas of the state.
- Supports Grants for High-Skilled Career Pathways. The proposal includes \$20 million one-time for a grant program to support public-private partnerships that prepare students in high school and community college for specific high-skill fields, including science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields; health care occupations; and education and early education.
- Invests in Healthcare-Focused Adult Ed Pathways. The budget proposal includes \$130 million one-time to support healthcare-focused vocational pathways for English language learners through the Adult Education Program. The funding would be spread across three years (\$30 million in 2022-23, \$50 million in 2023-24, and \$50 million in 2024-25), and be intended to support learners across all levels of English proficiency.
- Invests in K-12 Educational Pathways to Workforce and Higher Education. The Governor proposes \$1.5 billion one-time Proposition 98 for K-12 over four years to support the development of high school pathway programs focused on technology (including computer science, green technology, and engineering), health care, education (including early education), and climate-related fields. These programs would focus on developing local partnerships that bring together school systems, higher education institutions, employers, and other partners.

#### **College Affordability & Student Basic Needs**

- Expands Support for Completion Grants. Related to the 2021 Budget Act's expansion of the Cal Grant entitlement program, the Governor's Budget includes \$100 million ongoing for students eligible for the Student Success Completion Grant due to expanded Cal Grant eligibility for community college students.
- Provides Emergency Financial Assistance for AB 540 Students. The proposal includes \$20 million one-time to support emergency student financial assistance grants to eligible AB 540 students.

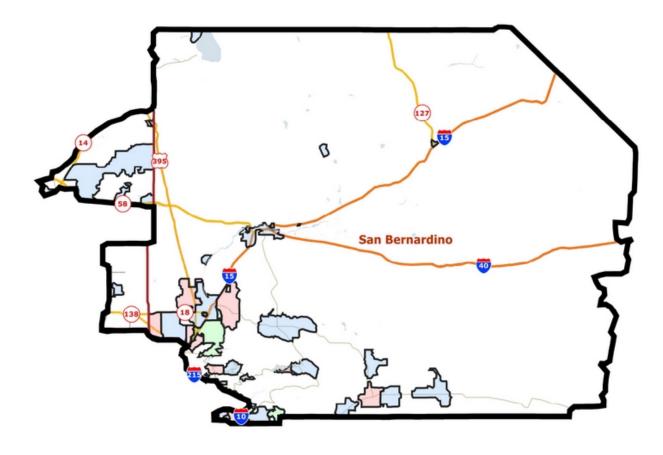
- Expands Support for Financial Aid Administration. The budget proposal includes \$10 million ongoing to augment resources for community college financial aid offices.
- Makes Other Investments in College Affordability. The Governor's Budget includes several other investments in college affordability, including an increase of \$515 million ongoing to support a modified version of the Middle-Class Scholarship Program, \$300 million one-time for the Learning-Aligned Employment Program administered by the California Student Aid Commission, and \$10 million for outreach to assist student loan borrowers.

#### Sources:

- California Community Colleges (Joint Analysis: <u>January 11, 2022</u>)
  - Association of Chief Business Officials
  - Association of California Community Colleges Administrators
  - o Community Colleges League of California
- California Student Aid Commission (Meeting Materials: January 21, 2022)

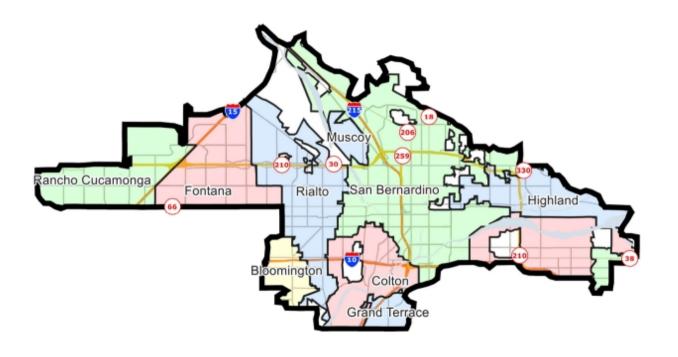
# New Maps: SBCCD's Legislative Districts

SBCCD Board Legislative Committee February 10, 2022



## **New Congressional District 23**

- Equivalent Congressional District 8
- Incumbent: Congressman Jay Obernolte
- SBCCD Site: CHC
- Cities: Portions of Loma Linda, Yucaipa, Portions of Redlands, Big Bear Lake, Joshua Tree, and High Desert.
- Possible Candidates (2022):
   Jay Obernolte (R) and Derek Marshall (D)
- Shared Community Interests: Protection and preservation of lands, tourism, and economic development.



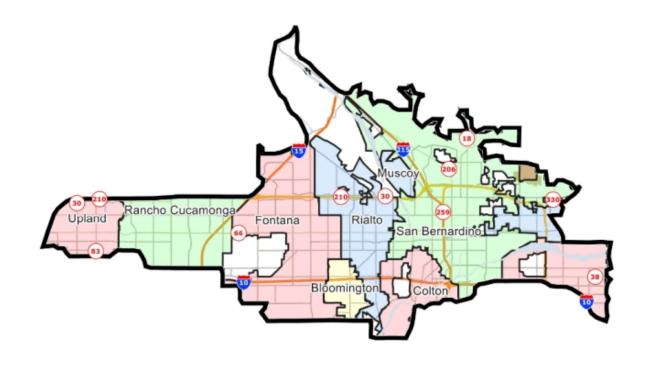
## **New Congressional District 33**

- Equivalent Congressional District 31
- Incumbent: Congressman Pete Aguilar
- **SBCCD Site:** SBVC, DSO
- Cities: Rancho Cucamonga, Rialto, San Bernardino, Highland, Colton, and Mentone
- Possible Candidates (2022): Pete Aguilar (D), Rex Gutierrez (R), Greg Prescott (R), and John Porter (R)
- Shared Community Interests:
   Healthcare, education, and economic development.



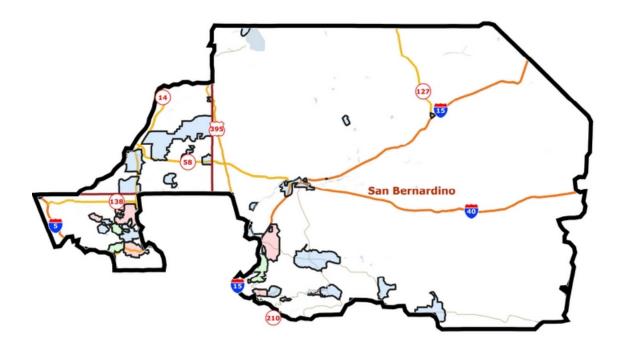
### **New Senate District 19**

- Equivalent Senate District 23
- Incumbent: Senator Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh
- SBCCD Site: CHC
- Includes: Portions of Grand Terrace, Loma Linda, Redlands, Yucaipa, High Desert, Palm Springs, and San Bernardino Mountains
- Next Election: Holdover seat. Next up for election (with new district lines) in 2024.
- Shared Community Interests: National parks, recreational activities, and tourism.

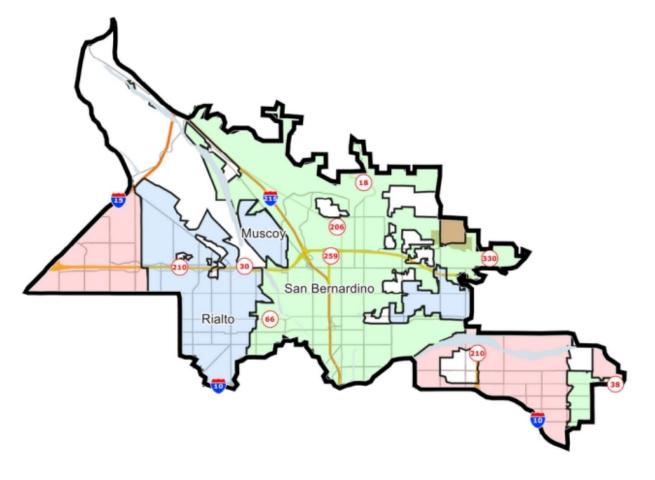


### **New Senate District 29**

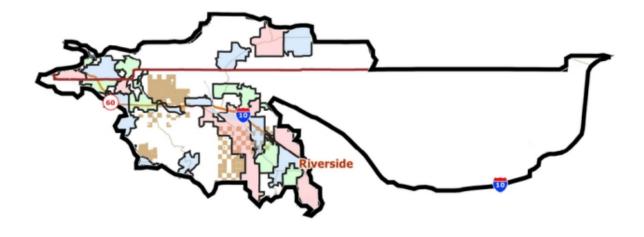
- Equivalent Senate District 20
- Incumbent: Senator Connie Leyva
- SBCCD Site: SBVC, DSO
- Cities: Northern Redlands, San Bernardino, Colton, and Rialto
- Next Election: Holdover seat. Next up for election (with new district lines) in 2024.
- Shared Community Interests: Food accessibility, wildfire concerns, and shared school districts.



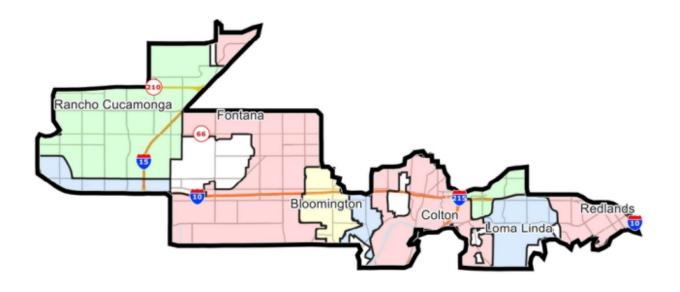
- Equivalent Assembly District 33
- Incumbent: Assemblymember Thurston Smith
- SBCCD Site: N/A
- Cities: Portions of Highland, Big Bear Lake, and much of the High Desert, Barstow, and Apple Valley.
- Possible Candidates (2022): Thurston Smith (R), Tom Lackey (R), and Rajpal Kahlon (D)
- Shared Community Interests: Desert and mountainous terrain, oil production, aerospace industry, Edwards Air Force Base, Twentynine Palms, Marine Corps Base, and the Mojave National Preserve.



- Equivalent Assembly District 40
- Incumbent: Assemblymember James Ramos
- **SBCCD Site:** SBVC, DSO
- Cities: Portions of Redlands, Rialto, San Bernardino, Highland, and the northern end of Fontana
- Candidate (2022): James Ramos
- households, major universities, local community colleges, shared transportation issues, and common economic development interests.



- Equivalent Assembly District 42
- Incumbent: Assemblymember Chad Mayes
- SBCCD Site: CHC
- Cities: Yucaipa, and portions of Redlands,
   Highland, Calimesa, La Quinta, Palm Springs,
   Palm Desert, Banning, and Beaumont
- Possible Candidates (2022):
   Christy Holstege (D), and Greg Wallis (R)
- Shared Community Interests: Significant portion of the Coachella Valley, Joshua Tree National Park, a tourism-based economy, rapid population growth, and infrastructure and transportation issues.



- Equivalent Assembly District 47
- Incumbent: Assemblymember Eloise Reyes
- **SBCCD Site**: DSO
- Cities: Portions of San Bernardino, Colton, Loma Linda, Fontana, and Rancho Cucamonga
- Possible Candidates (2022):
   Eloise Reyes (D), Rodgir Cohen (I)
- Shared Community Interests: Multi-ethnic communities that share concerns related to affordable housing, wildfires, and rural living.



## **Key Dates**

- March 31, 2022: California Secretary of State releases certified list of candidates
- June 7, 2022: Statewide Primary Election
- November 8, 2022: General Election

#### SAN BERNARDINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

**TO:** Board Legislative Committee

**FROM:** Diana Rodriguez, Chancellor

**REVIEWED BY:** Diana Rodriguez, Chancellor

PREPARED BY: Heather Ford, Executive Assistant

**DATE:** February 10, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Consideration to Reaffirm the Board Legislative Committee Charge

#### RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board Legislative Committee reaffirm its charge.

#### **OVERVIEW**

Following the governing board's annual organizational meeting, each board ad hoc committee must reaffirm the committee charge. The Board Legislative Committee met on September 10, 2020, voted and approved the committee charge. On February 11, 2021, the Committee voted to approve the reaffirmation of the committee charge. Approval of the Board Legislative Committee's recommendation will guide the SBCCD Board of Trustees and Chancellor's Office in engaging with government officials and diverse stakeholders to promote public policy solutions that support student achievement and economic mobility in the Inland Empire.

#### **ANALYSIS**

The Board Legislative Committee plays a supporting role to the full Board of Trustees in advocating for its higher education and career-training mission at the regional, state and federal levels. Committee members review public policies that affect SBCCD's mission and formulate recommendations to the full Board of Trustees to take positions of support, opposition or abstention. The Board of Trustees may inform and educate the public about their position on public policy proposals through resolutions, engagement with policymakers, and external communications coordinated by the Chancellor's Office.

#### **BOARD IMPERATIVE**

- I. Institutional Effectiveness
- II. Learning Centered Institution for Student Access, Retention, and Success
- III. Resource Management for Efficiency, Effectiveness, and Excellence
- IV. Enhanced and Informed Governance and Leadership

#### **FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

None.



#### San Bernardino Community College District Board Legislative Committee Charge 2022

#### **Committee Charge:**

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