



San Bernardino Community College District
Board Legislative Committee Meeting
March 14, 2024
12:30 pm-1:45 pm Pacific Time

MEETING AGENDA

*Meeting Location: San Bernardino Valley College, B-100
701 S Mt Vernon Ave, San Bernardino, CA 92410*

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- I. WELCOME & CALL TO ORDER**
- II. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA AND NON-AGENDA ITEMS**
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
 - A. 2024-02-08 BLC Meeting Minutes
- IV. CURRENT BUSINESS**
 - (Angel Rodriguez)*
 - A. Unofficial Primary Election Results
(Angel Rodriguez)
 - B. Legislative Updates
(Ynez Canela)

- C. Upcoming Events
(Ynez Canela)

V. OTHER BUSINESS/ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

(Frank Reyes)

- A. Trustee Suggestions

VI. NEXT MEETING DATE & ADJOURNMENT

(Frank Reyes)

- A. The next meeting of the Board Legislative Committee:
April 11, 2024, at 12:30 p.m. (in person)
Crafton Hills College
11711 Sand Canyon Rd, Yucaipa, CA 92399
- B. Adjournment



Board of Trustees Legislative Committee

Meeting Minutes – February 8, 2024

San Bernardino Community College District, Boardroom Extension
550 E. Hospitality Ln., Ste 200, San Bernardino, CA 92345

Members Present:

Trustee Frank Reyes
Trustee Anne Viricel
Trustee John Longville

Members Absent:

Staff Present:

Diana Rodriguez, Chancellor
Jose Torres, Executive Vice Chancellor
Kristina Hannon, Vice Chancellor
Linda Fontanilla, SBVC President (interim)
Angel Rodriguez, Associate Vice Chancellor Government Relations & Strategic Communications
Ynez Canela, Associate Director Legislative & Community Relations
Heather Ford, Senior Executive Administrative Assistant, Office of the Chancellor

I. CALL TO ORDER & SELF INTRODUCTION

Trustee Frank Reyes called the meeting to order at 12:32 p.m.

The San Bernardino Community College District Board Legislative Committee meeting is conducted pursuant to California Government Code Section 54953. Trustee Viricel is participating by zoom conference. In accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act, the teleconference location has been identified in the notice and agenda for this meeting.

Roll call, after which I would ask the trustees to recognize me in order to confirm certain matters for the record.

[ROLL CALL] Trustee Longville, Trustee Viricel, Trustee Reyes

Trustee Reyes requested that trustees on the teleconference respond to the following questions:

1. Can the trustees on the call hear me well? Trustee Viricel, yes
2. Were you able to hear our proceedings on this end up until now? Trustee Viricel, yes
3. Do you have a copy of the agenda for this meeting? Trustee Viricel, yes

All Board members present have indicated that they were able to hear all trustees clearly.

Trustee Reyes advised the Board members that any votes taken during the teleconference portion of this

meeting must be taken by roll call.

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II. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA AND NON-AGENDA ITEMS

None

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. 2024-01-11 Board Legislative Committee Minutes

Trustee Viricel moved to approve the 2024-01-11 Board Legislative Committee minutes. Trustee Longville seconded the motion.

ROLL CALL Vote: AYES: Viricel, Reyes
 NOES: None
 ABSENT: Longville
 ABSTENTIONS: None

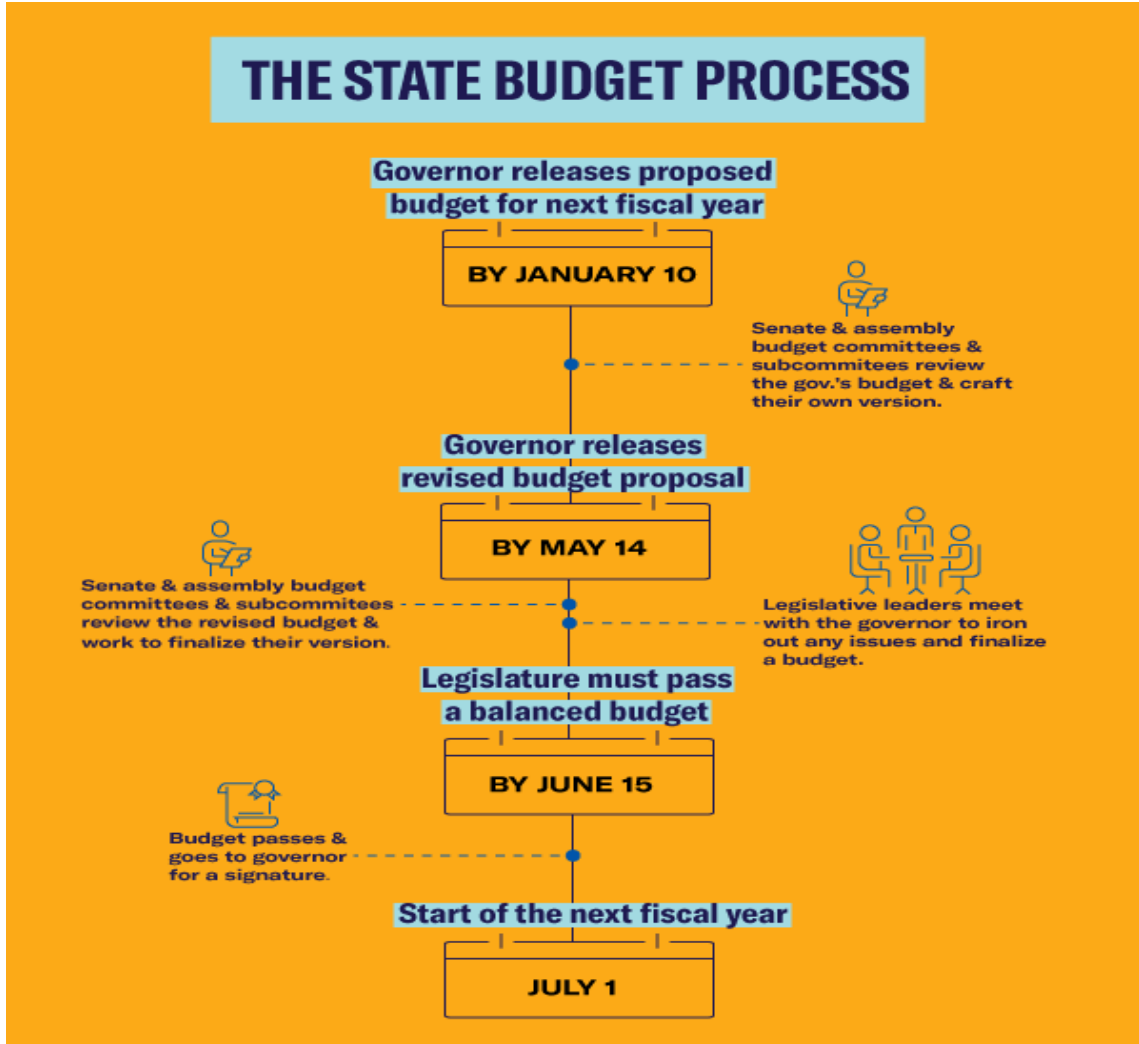
Motion Passed

IV. CURRENT BUSINESS

A. Legislative Updates

Mark MacDonald, MGI Advocates presented:

Budget timeline

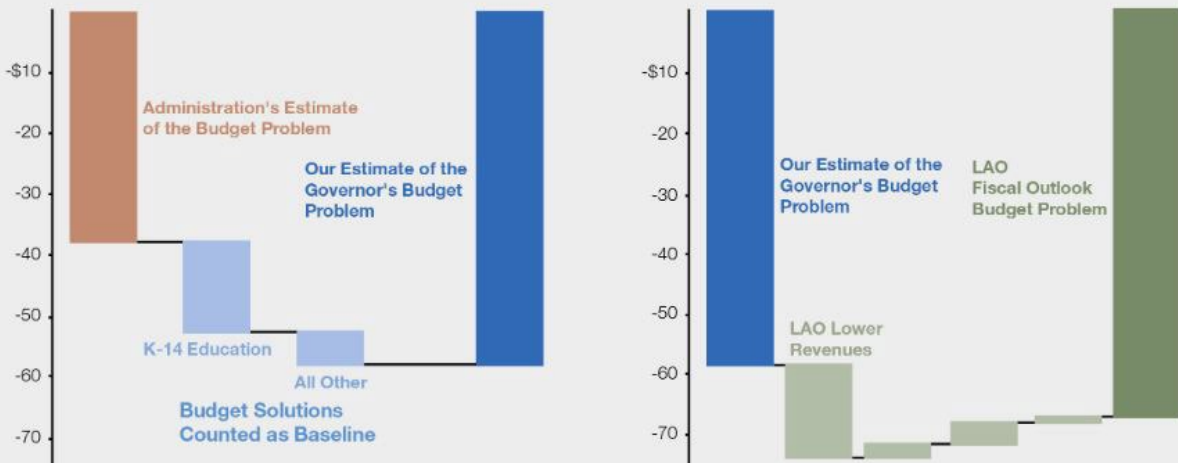


Budget Gaps

Figure 1

We Estimate the Governor Solved a \$58 Billion Budget Problem...
(In Billions)

...Roughly \$10 Billion Lower Than Our Fiscal Outlook Estimate





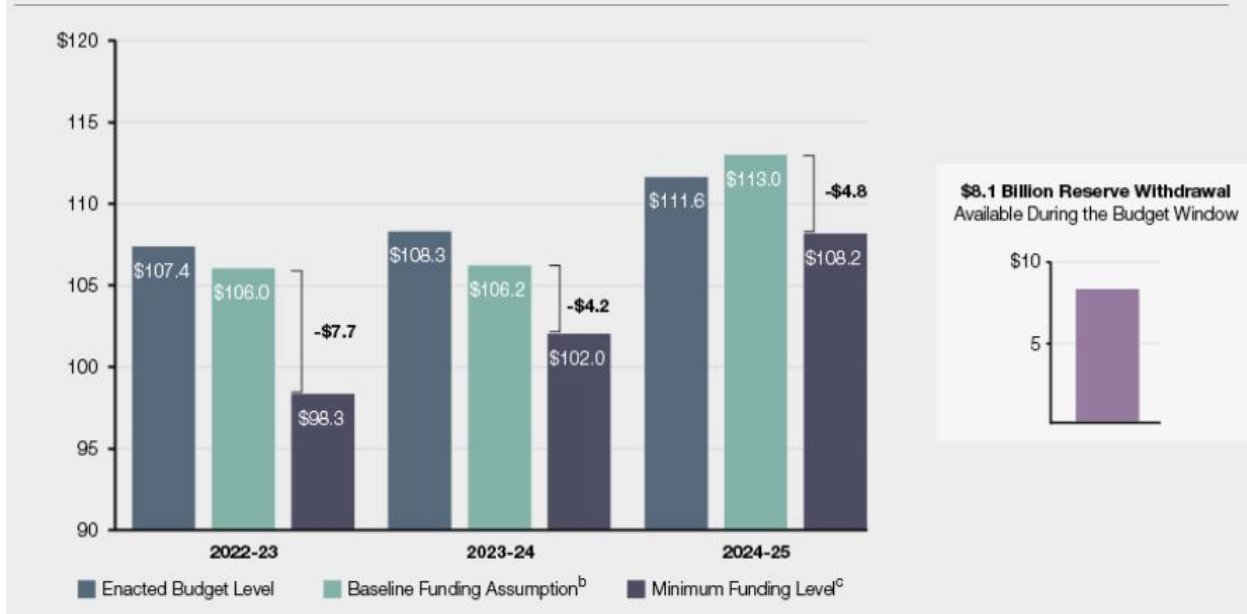
Budget COLA

- The budget uses about \$486 million of one-time funds to support ongoing apportionment costs for the 2024-25 fiscal year.
- This means that approximately 5% of total ongoing apportionments are being funded through one-time funding creating a structural deficit that will need to be filled with the 2025-26 fiscal year.
- This \$486 million shortfall will need to be the first priority for budgets going forward.

2024/25 Budget

Comparing Proposition 98 Funding Levels in the Budget Window^a

(In Billions)



How to Solve Problem

- \$13.1 billion from reserves
- \$8.5 billion in reductions
- \$5.7 billion in internal borrowing
- \$5.1 billion in delays
- \$3.4 billion in fund shifts
- \$2.1 billion in deferrals

Proposition 98

- Biggest difference in the Administration's proposed solution and that of the LAO is Proposition 98.
- Administration proposes reduction of \$8 billion to Proposition 98 (\$910 million attributed to CCCs) for the 2022-23 fiscal year.
- DOF has indicated that it will not impact district budgets. Trailer bill will be released sometime this month.

California CCs

- Increase of \$69.1 million for a 0.76% COLA to the Student Centered Funding Formula apportionments.
- Increase of \$29.6 million for 0.5% Growth.
- Increase of \$9.3 million for a 0.76% COLA for certain categorial programs and Adult Education programs.
- Withdrawal of \$235.9 million in 2023-24 and \$486.2 million in 2024-25 from the K-14 Rainy Day Fund to support the SCFF.

- Increase of \$60 million to expand nursing programs and Bachelor of Science in Nursing partnerships to develop, educate, and maintain the next generation of registered nurses through the community college system, subject to future statutory changes.

CSAC

- The Administration's Budget does not propose "pulling the trigger" on the new Cal Grant Equity Framework implementation.
- The Administration's Budget proposes to wait until the May Revision to see if there are sufficient revenues to implement the changes.

Affordable Student Housing

- SB 117, the Higher Education Trailer bill, shifted the funding source for all affordable student housing projects from state grant dollars to a state-issued lease revenue bond.
- The Administration has indicated that they are working on this plan and will issue the bond in September. No indication that they will cover additional projects.

Bills of Interest

- AB 1891 (Weber) – multi-criteria screening process for all allied health programs.
- AB 2104 (Soria) – Baccalaureate Degree in nursing.
- SB 895 (Roth) – Baccalaureate Degree in nursing.
- AB 247 (Muratsuchi) – K-14 Education Facilities Bond Act of 2024.
- SB 28 (Glazer) – K-University Education Facilities Bond Act of 2024.
* 3 San Bernardino CCD projects slated to be funded.
- AB 1818 (Jackson) – Homeless Student Parking: require community colleges to provide overnight parking to students in their cars.
- AB 1860 (Bauer-Kahan) – Exclusion of student loan debt forgiveness from personal income tax.
- AB 2093 (Santiago) – Extend Community College Promise Program to community college baccalaureate degree programs.
- AB 1885 (Addis) – Extend Student Success and Completion Grant to DSPS students that are taking 9 or more units and are considered full-time.
- SB 971 (Portantino) – Exempt from nonresident tuition and fees a resident of a region impacted by war or regional conflict.

State of California Governor's Office, Carina Tamayo and Michael Wafe

- Master Plan for Career Education
 - Aids in actualizing the Governor's commitment to equity, as outlined in Executive Order N-16-22.
 - January – June Developing big Ideas
 - July – Sept Refining Recommendations
 - October – November Taking Action on the Plan
 - Upcoming Regional Meetings
 - South Border: March 1, El Centro
 - Los Angeles & Orange County: March 8, Long Beach
 - Capitol Region: Week of 3/11
 - Inland Empire: Week of 3/25
 - Central Valley: Week of 4/5
 - Far North and Redwood Coast: Week of 4/15
 - Bay Area: Week of 4/22
 - Virtual Design Session: Week of 4/29
 - Specific dates and interest forms are posted to <https://careereducation.gov.ca.gov/>

- eTranscript California Task Force
 - Identify ways to scale existing transcript services for academic purposes and identifying key characteristics for a tool that could be used for skills based hiring
 - Meetings held monthly on Zoom
- Create state and regional coordinating bodies that are informed by statewide data systems and supported through technical assistance networks
- Align regional; and state K-12, postsecondary, and workforce pathways using a skills framework.
- Create incentives and improve coordination to provide work-based learning opportunities for k-12 students and adult learners.
- Accelerate the use of public benefit programs to make education and training affordable and improve universal access.
- <https://careerseducation.gov.ca.gov>

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- B. The meeting was adjourned at 1:38 p.m.

Heather Ford, Recorder, Office of the Chancellor



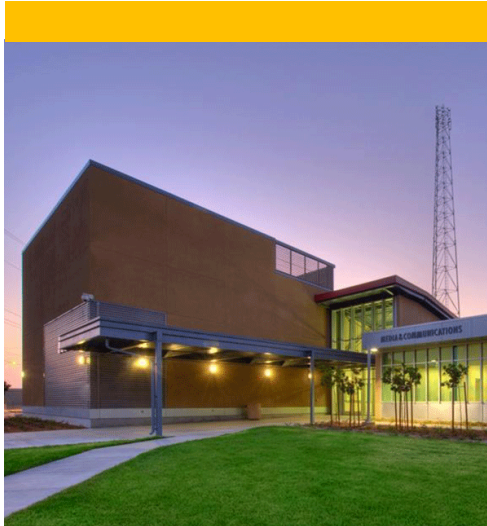
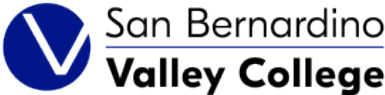
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Board Legislative Committee



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2024 Primary Election: Unofficial Results

As of March 8, 2024, 2:52 p.m.

Congressional District 23: Top 2 Vote-Getters

District Includes: Crafton Hills College



Jay Obernolte



Derek Marshall

	Candidate	Votes	Percent
	Derek Marshall (Party Preference: DEM)	24,501	37.9%
*	Jay Obernolte (Party Preference: REP)	40,203	62.1%

Congressional District 33: Top 2 Vote-Getters

District Includes: DSO, EDCT, KVCR and San Bernardino Valley College



Pete Aguilar



Tom Herman

Candidate	Votes	Percent
* Pete Aguilar (Party Preference: DEM)	26,247	56.7%
Tom Herman (Party Preference: REP)	20,069	43.3%

Senate District 19: Top 2 Vote-Getters

District Includes: Crafton Hills College



Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh



Lisa Middleton

	Candidate	Votes	Percent
	Lisa Middleton (Party Preference: DEM)	60,495	48.9%
*	Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh (Party Preference: REP)	63,272	51.1%

Senate District 29: Top 2 Vote-Getters

District Includes: DSO, EDCT, KVCR and San Bernardino Valley College



Eloise Gomez Reyes



Carlos Garcia

Candidate	Votes	Percent
Jason O'Brien (Party Preference: DEM)	7,010	10.4%
Eloise Gomez Reyes (Party Preference: DEM)	28,965	43.1%
Carlos A. Garcia (Party Preference: REP)	21,977	32.7%
Kathleen Torres Hazelton (Party Preference: REP)	9,261	13.8%

Assembly District 45: Unopposed

District Includes: EDCT, KVCR and San Bernardino Valley College



James Ramos

Candidate	Votes	Percent
* James C. Ramos (Party Preference: DEM)	22,612	100.0%

Assembly District 47: Top 2 Vote-Getters

District Includes: Crafton Hills College



Greg Wallis



Christy Holstege

Candidate	Votes	Percent
Christy Holstege (Party Preference: DEM)	40,583	48.3%
Jamie Swain (Party Preference: DEM)	4,280	5.1%
* Greg Wallis (Party Preference: REP)	39,231	46.7%

Assembly District 50: Top 2 Vote-Getters

District Includes: DSO



Robert Garcia



Adam Perez

Candidate	Votes	Percent
Robert Garcia (Party Preference: DEM)	11,709	42.7%
Adam Perez (Party Preference: DEM)	8,309	30.3%
DeJonae Marie Shaw (Party Preference: DEM)	7,386	27.0%

San Bernardino County Supervisors

Winners



Joe Baca, Jr.
District 5

Vote: Unopposed

**District Includes:
SBVC, EDCT, DSO**



Dawn Rowe
District 3

Vote: 58.77%

**District Includes:
Crafton Hills College**

Legislative Update

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

SUPPORTED LEGISLATION

AB 247 (Muratsuchi, Fong & Wilson)

Summary: Places a statewide K-14 educational facilities bond on a 2024 statewide ballot providing \$14 billion to K-12 schools and community colleges for building and repairing educational facilities.

Status: Introduced

Alignment with goals: Goal 1: Eliminate Barriers to Student Access and Success; CHC Strategic Direction 1: Increase Student Enrollment; and SBVC Strategic Direction 1: Create a College-Going Culture Through Intentional Community Outreach and Clear Communication of Pathways

AB 3015 (Ramos)

Summary: Provides residency to students from neighboring Indian tribes.

Status: 2/17/24 - From printer. May be heard in Committee on March 18.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

AB 2033 (Reyes)

Summary: Requires community colleges to have at least one convenience or grocery store on campus that accepts Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) cards as an authorized retail food store under CalFresh, by September 1, 2025.

Status: Assembly Higher Education Committee

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

SUPPORTED LEGISLATION

AB 1891 (Weber)

Summary: This bill would permit California Community Colleges (CCC) Allied Health programs to utilize multicriteria screening in their admissions processes.

Status: 2/28/24 - Re-referred to Committee on Higher Education

Alignment with goals: Goal 2: Be a Diverse, Equitable, Inclusive & Anti-Racist Institution; CHC Strategic Direction 2: Engage in Practices that Prioritize and Promote Inclusivity, Equity, Anti-Racism, and Human Sustainability; and SBVC Strategic Direction 6: Create and Sustain a Sense of Belonging for all College and Community Stakeholders

Sponsor: CA Community Colleges Chancellor's Office

AB 1885 (Addis)

Summary: This bill would make qualifying for the Student Success Completion Grant (SSCG) more equitable by requiring participating community colleges to also consider awarding a grant to eligible students who enroll in 9 or more units per semester, or the quarterly equivalent, who are considered full-time as part of a disabled student programs and services Academic Accommodation Plan.

Status: 2/5/24 - Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 2, CHC Strategic Direction 2, and SBVC Strategic Direction 6

Sponsor: CA Community Colleges Chancellor's Office

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

SUPPORTED LEGISLATION

AB 359 (Holden)

Summary: Makes changes to CCAP to align with other dual enrollment programs and removes barriers to students seeking dual enrollment.

Status: 1/29/24 - Referred to Assembly Rules Committee.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1: Eliminate Barriers to Student Access and Success; CHC Strategic Direction 1: Increase Student Enrollment; and SBVC Strategic Direction 1: Create a College-Going Culture Through Intentional Community Outreach and Clear Communication of Pathways

AB 1796 (Alanis)

Summary: Requires high schools to notify parents of dual enrollment programs that are available.

Status: 1/16/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

AB 2500 (M. Fong)

Summary: Provides CSAC with flexibility to adjust Cal Grant deadlines.

Status: 2/14/24 - From printer. May be heard in Committee on March 15.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

Sponsor: CA Student Aid Commission

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

OTHER PRIORITY TRACKED LEGISLATION – UNDER REVIEW

AB 1818 (Jackson)

Summary: This bill would require each campus of the California State University and the California Community Colleges, and would request the University of California, to allow overnight parking by a student attending its campus if the student uses the vehicle as housing, the student has a valid parking permit issued by the campus, and the vehicle is parked in or on a campus-owned and controlled parking lot or parking structure.

Status: 1/22/24 - Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

AB 2093 (Santiago)

Summary: This bill would extend the term of eligibility of the California College Promise Grant for an additional 2 academic years for first-time community college students and returning community college students who matriculate into upper division coursework of a community college baccalaureate degree program. The bill also would add to the funding formula, for funding appropriated for the program in excess of the funding needed to waive all student fees, the number of students who matriculate into upper division coursework of a community college baccalaureate degree program.

Status: 2/20/24 - Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 4: Ensure Fiscal Accountability/Sustainability; CHC Strategic Direction 5: Foster and Support Inquiry, Accountability, and Campus Sustainability; and SBVC Strategic Direction 8: Ensure Sustainability Through Fiscal Accountability

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

OTHER PRIORITY TRACKED LEGISLATION – UNDER REVIEW

AB 2015 (Schiavo)

Summary: Requires nursing faculty to have an active license in good standing.

Status: 2/12/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Business and Professions.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1: Eliminate Barriers to Student Access and Success; CHC Strategic Direction 1: Increase Student Enrollment; and SBVC Strategic Direction 1: Create a College-Going Culture Through Intentional Community Outreach and Clear Communication of Pathways

AB 2104 (Soria) & SB 895 (Roth)

Summary: Authorizes CCCs to offer BSNs on a pilot basis.

Status: 2/20/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Higher Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

AB 2567 (Mathis) & SB 1183 (Hurtado)

Summary: Adds “residing in a medically underserved area” to MCS criteria.

Status: 3/4/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Higher Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

OTHER PRIORITY TRACKED LEGISLATION – UNDER REVIEW

SB 1015 (Cortese)

Summary: Creates a study on clinical placements.

Status: 2/14/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Business and Professions and Assembly Committee on Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

SB 1042 (Roth)

Summary: Requires greater health facilities and nursing schools.

Status: 2/14/24 - Referred to Senate Committee on Health.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

SB 1244 (Newman)

Summary: Allows a community to enter into a CCAP agreement with a high school outside its service area.

Status: 2/29/24 - Referred to Senate Committee on Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

OTHER PRIORITY TRACKED LEGISLATION – UNDER REVIEW

AB 2093 (Santiago)

Summary: Expands College Promise eligibility to CCC baccalaureate students.

Status: 3/6/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Higher Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

AB 2458 (Berman)

Summary: Requires colleges to provide COA information to student parents.

Status: 2/26/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Higher Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

AB 2588 (Chen)

Summary: Requires Department of Education to evaluate the effectiveness of college acceleration programs including dual enrollment.

Status: 3/4/24 - Referred to Assembly Education Committee.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

2024 SBCCD Advocacy Priorities

OTHER PRIORITY TRACKED LEGISLATION – UNDER REVIEW

AB 3240 (Calderon)

Summary: Prohibits scholarship displacement for Cal Grant awards.

Status: 3/17/24 - From printer. May be heard in Committee on March 18.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

SB 971 (Portantino)

Summary: Exempts students impacted by war from nonresident tuition.

Status: 2/14/24 - Referred to Committee on Higher Education. Set for hearing March 12.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

AB 2019 (V. Fong)

Summary: Exempts a pupil from the 240 instructional minute minimum school day if they are in a dual enrollment program.

Status: 2/12/24 - Referred to Assembly Committee on Education.

Alignment with goals: Goal 1, CHC Strategic Direction 1, and SBVC Strategic Direction 1

Upcoming

What's Next:

Key Dates

California Master Plan for Career Education

March 29, 2024



What's Next:

Key Dates

SBCCCD to Host State Chancellor Dr. Sonya Christian

April 4, 2024



What's Next:

Key Dates

**HACU 29th Annual National Capitol Forum on
Hispanic Higher Education**
April 9-10, 2024



What's Next:

Key Dates

SBVC Softball Ribbon Cutting

Measure CC-Funded Project

April 19, 2024

