

**VCSBA Executive Board Meeting**  
**February 28, 2023, 5:15 p.m.**  
Ventura County Office of Education  
Zoom Meeting  
<https://zoom.us/j/94686624501>

**Minutes**

**Present:**

Veronica Robles-Solis, President  
Sofya Bagdasaryan, VP, Programs  
Lauren Gill, VP, Legislation  
Gabriela Ornelas, Secretary  
Darlene Bruno, Delegate  
Daniel Sandoval, Delegate  
Dr. Cesar Morales, Deputy Superintendent  
Cathy Samuel, Executive Assistant

**Absent:**

Sabrena Rodriguez, Region 11 Director  
Rachel Ulrich, Delegate  
Shelly Griffen, Treasurer

**Opening**

Veronica Robles-Solis opened the meeting at 5:20 p.m. and welcomed everyone.

**April 27, 2023, Virtual Meeting – Topic “Learning Gaps”**

Discussion ensued on the format of the virtual meeting. It was determined the format would be the same as the January 30<sup>th</sup> School Safety meeting.

Potential Presenters:

Lisa Salas Brown, Associate Superintendent, Educational Services, Ventura County Office of Education. A presenter from Simi Valley Unified and Santa Paula Unified School Districts.

**Newsletter Articles for April 27, 2023, Dinner Meeting**

**Newsletter Articles:**

- VCSBA Slate of Executive Board Nominees for 2023-24
- Veronica – Presidents Corner – Dinner Meeting Topic.
- Lauren – CSBA Legislative Action Week
- Dr. Morales –Fentanyl drugs and information different agencies are providing to Ventura County school districts
- Sofya – Reasons for underreporting child abuse

**Articles due: Wednesday, March 22, 2023**

Newsletter emailed out: Monday, March 27, 2023

Email Articles to: [csamuel@vcoe.org](mailto:csamuel@vcoe.org)

**Nominating Committee Report**

Darlene said she will talk with Sabrena and get the nominees list for 2023-24 and send the list to Cathy before March 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Sofya and Lauren are interested in continuing in their positions on the VCSBA Executive Board.

### **VCSBA Future Meeting Survey Responses**

Discussion ensued on the responses from the future meeting survey on whether to hold the VCSBA evening meetings all in-person, all virtually or a mix of both. It was decided to have a mix of in-person and virtual meetings.

Veronica asked the VCSBA Executive Board if they would like to have the future VCSBA Executive Board Planning meetings virtually instead of in-person. Everyone agreed to hold the planning meetings virtually.

### **Future Meeting Topics**

- Professional learning communities.
- What districts have planned for their arts and music Proposition 28 money.
- Ethnic Studies requirement.
- Higher Education Institutions share about partnerships with the PK-12.

### **Enrollment – 7 Year Trend 16-17 through 22-23 (Declining Enrollment in Ventura County)**

Dr. Morales shared the Ventura County Enrollment – 7 Year Trend 16-17 through 22-23 (Declining Enrollment in Ventura County) handout.

### **Next Annual VCSBA Executive Board Planning Meeting & Potluck, August 2023**

Veronica said they will choose a date for the August planning/potluck meeting once the new VCSBA Executive Board members are in place.

Possible meeting dates: August 7, 8, or 9, 2023

**ADJOURNMENT:** 5:55 p.m.