



JOINT RESOLUTION

VENTURA COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

and

VENTURA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Ventura County Board of Education (VCBE) provides support and citizen input for Ventura County Office of Education (VCOE) operated educational programs and community leadership on behalf of the county office and public education; and

WHEREAS, Ventura County Community College District (VCCCD) is a provider of higher educational opportunities throughout Ventura County offering college access to 32,646 students as of fall 2012; and

WHEREAS, the majority of students enrolled in Moorpark College, Oxnard College, and Ventura College are graduates of Ventura County schools; and

WHEREAS, the Ventura County Board of Education and Ventura County Community College District share a deep commitment to ensuring that all students are well prepared for success in college, in their careers, and in their lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that in a joint meeting between the Ventura County Board of Education and Ventura County Community College District Board of Trustees, the Ventura County Superintendent of Schools and the Ventura County Community College District Chancellor were directed to develop an *Educational Compact* outlining the inter-institutional agreements necessary to accomplish the following goals:

- VCCCD and VCOE will help all students and their families understand – *and believe* – that they can have a positive future in higher education;
- VCOE and VCCCD will individually and collaboratively counsel secondary students about their educational and career pathway opportunities;
- VCCCD and VCOE will help students and their families assess the costs and benefits of attending college;
- VCOE and VCCCD will work together to identify how best to academically prepare high school students for higher education;
- VCCCD and VCOE will collaboratively engage middle school students in the creation of their educational plans and map out the steps to a successful post-graduate future;
- VCOE and VCCCD will provide professional development opportunities for VCOE and VCCCD staff that build collaborative relationships and result in stronger 21st Century instructional skills.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 23rd day of September, 2013.

VENTURA COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION



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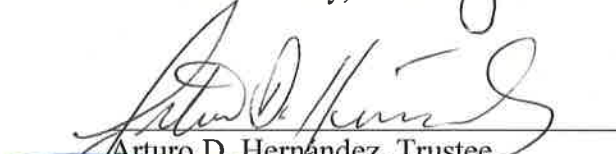
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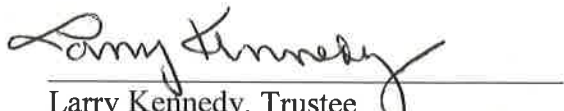
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