



BOARD OF TRUSTEES

July 16, 2020

OSCAR VALLADARES
PRESIDENT

Dear Rio Hondo College Community;

ROSAELVA LOMELI
VICE PRESIDENT

Please be informed that as of July 14, 2020, Superintendent/President Dr. Arturo Reyes is on leave. During his absence, as per Board Policy 2432 and to maintain operations, the administrative responsibility will reside with Vice President of Academic Affairs Dr. Laura Ramirez.

VICKY SANTANA
CLERK

Thank you for your continued support of our students and community.

GARY MENDEZ
MEMBER

Sincerely,

DR. ARTURO REYES
SUPERINTENDENT/PRESIDENT

Oscar Valladares, Board President
Rio Hondo College, Board of Trustees



Agenda Item Details

Meeting	Jul 18, 2020 - Special Board Meeting (10:00AM)
Category	2. CLOSED SESSION
Subject	C. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE (1 case) Government Code Section 54957
Access	Public
Type	Action, Discussion, Procedural
Recommended Action	That the Board of Trustees discuss the Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release (1 case) Government Code Section 54957

Public Content

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE/DISMISSAL/RELEASE
(1 case)
Government Code Section 54957

Administrative Content

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Category 2. CLOSED SESSION

Subject B. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE APPOINTMENT Government Code Section 54957 Title: Acting Superintendent/President

Access Public

Type Action, Discussion, Procedural

Recommended Action That the Board of Trustees discuss the Public Employee Appointment Government Code Section 54957 Title: Acting Superintendent/President.

Goals

Public Content

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957

- Acting Superintendent/President

Administrative Content

Executive Content

Motion & Voting

That the Board of Trustees discuss the Public Employee Appointment Government Code Section 54957 Title: Acting Superintendent/President.

The Board voted with the four members present to appoint Teresa Dreyfuss as acting Superintendent/President, pending negotiations with Ms. Dreyfuss. The Board authorized the Board President to negotiate the terms of the agreement and execute the agreement. The start date for the appointment will be the date the agreement is executed by all parties.

Motion by Rosaelva Lomeli, second by Gary Mendez.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Gary Mendez, Oscar Valladares, Rosaelva Lomeli

Nay: Vicky Santana



BOARD OF TRUSTEES

July 30, 2020

OSCAR VALLADARES
PRESIDENT

Dear Rio Hondo Community:

ROSABELVA LOMELI
VICE PRESIDENT

As President of the Rio Hondo College Board of Trustees, I am pleased to announce the action of the Rio Hondo College Board of Trustees appointing veteran college administrator Teresa Dreyfuss to the position of Acting Superintendent/President of our community college district. Ms. Dreyfuss previously served with great distinction as the Superintendent/President of Rio Hondo College.

VICKY SANTANA
CLERK

GARY MENDEZ
MEMBER

The Board is extremely pleased Ms. Dreyfuss has agreed to come out of retirement temporarily to lead our college while the Board addresses the circumstances regarding the current Superintendent/President.

TERESA DREYFUSS
ACTING
SUPERINTENDENT/PRESIDENT

I couldn't think of anyone more eminently qualified to lead our District during this critical time. Her previous stellar performance provided the Board with the full confidence to allow her to lead Rio Hondo College during the interim. Ms. Dreyfuss is credited with guiding the college in the years following the Great Recession.

During her tenure, she successfully oversaw \$300 million in construction projects, opened three regional campuses, and started a program that gave students free tuition for their first year. As Acting Superintendent/President, Ms. Dreyfuss has committed to ensuring that Rio Hondo College remains fiscally strong while focusing on student success.

Please join me and the entire Board in welcoming Teresa back home to Rio Hondo College.

Sincerely,

Oscar Valladares
President, Board of Trustees