

Chancellor's CABINET HIGHLIGHTS



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The mission of the Chancellor's Cabinet is to serve as the leadership team ensuring the capacity of 4CD to educate students effectively and meet the needs of its communities in partnership with classified professionals, faculty, and other managers.

Mayors' Conference

On September 5, 2024, several Cabinet members attended the Mayor's Conference in Walnut Creek. At this event, Contra Costa County mayors were able to hear about 4CD during the Chancellor's State of the District presentation.

Adoption Budget

Cabinet reviewed the final State budget that was signed by Governor Newsom on June 24, 2024. Updates on Proposition 98, the SCFF formula, and the utilization of summer borrowing were reviewed. It was noted the SCFF hold harmless calculation for 2024-25 will become the funding "floor".

Salary Schedules – Chief of Police and Lieutenant

To remain competitive throughout the Bay Area and invest in its police force, Cabinet agreed that salaries for Chief of Police and Lieutenant should be increased and recommended a report be presented to the Governing Board at its September 11, 2024, meeting for approval.

Assembly Bill 2683 Implementation Plan

A fall 2024 implementation timeline was shared on sexual violence and harassment prevention training required for all currently enrolled California Community College students in credit and noncredit courses.

Review of Board Policy and Administrative, Business and Student Services Procedures

Revisions regarding conflict of interest and outside employment. Districtwide technology, retention of student information and updates to student records related to affirmed name and gender identity were reviewed. Cabinet gave approval for these items to begin the approval process.

Harmonizing Perspectives

Cabinet discussed the fall schedule of workshops offered for this training. All employees Districtwide are encouraged to attend. These workshops will provide a safe space with themes of power, social advantages and disadvantages, cultural differences and understanding. Food will also be served and prepared by students and staff at each college.

4CD 2025-2030 Strategic Plan

Cabinet reviewed the timeline and other information regarding the development of 4CD's Strategic Plan for 2025-2030. Districtwide and community participation will be encouraged through planning kick-off meetings later this fall.

The Contra Costa Community College District (4CD), founded in 1948 and governed by a publicly elected five-member Governing Board, is one of the largest multi-college community college districts in California. The mission of 4CD is to attract and transform students and communities by providing accessible, innovative, and outstanding higher education learning opportunities and support services.