California Montessori Project Governing Board Meeting

March 11, 2024



Roll Call

Roll Call – CMP Board of Directors

Julia Sweeney Business Representative (1)	Renée Dall Parent Representative – San Juan
Bob Lewis Business Representative (2)	Jenna Westbrook-Kline Parent Representative – Capitol
Mickey Slamkowski Montessori Representative	Aaron Walker Parent Representative – Elk Grove
Laura Kerr Charter Representative	Ann Curtis Parent Representative – Shingle Springs
Scott Richards Community Representative	

Communication from the Public

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Consent Items:

- 1. **Minutes from the Governing Board Meeting of February 12, 2024** (Attachment C1)
- 2. 2024-2025 Governing Board Calendar (Attachment C2)
- 3. CMP-SJ 2024-2025 Offer of Facilities Preliminary Offer Letter (Attachment C3)
- 4. Revised 2024-2025 CMP School Calendar (Attachment C4)

Informational Item #1

Student Montessori Material Presentation: Bernie Evangelista



Informational Item #2

Public Recognition





Office Manager, CMP-Carmichael

for our appreciation for your incredible work and dedication to the California Montessori

Project, the Carmichael Campus, the students, staff, and families.

Celebrating 23 years with CMP

August 1, 2001 – June 30, 2024



Informational Item #3

Operations Update: Joanne Ahola





New HRIS & Payroll System







Current System

Our current processes are neither automated nor modern. We rely heavily on the following:

Spreadsheets

Applicant Tracking

List of Staff Info

Credentials

Payroll changes

Paper

Checklists

Evaluations

Email

Job Offers

Leave Requests

Application Alerts

Exits







Topics that HR Can't Even Get to





Data



Onboarding



Retention



Engagement



Candidate **Sourcing**



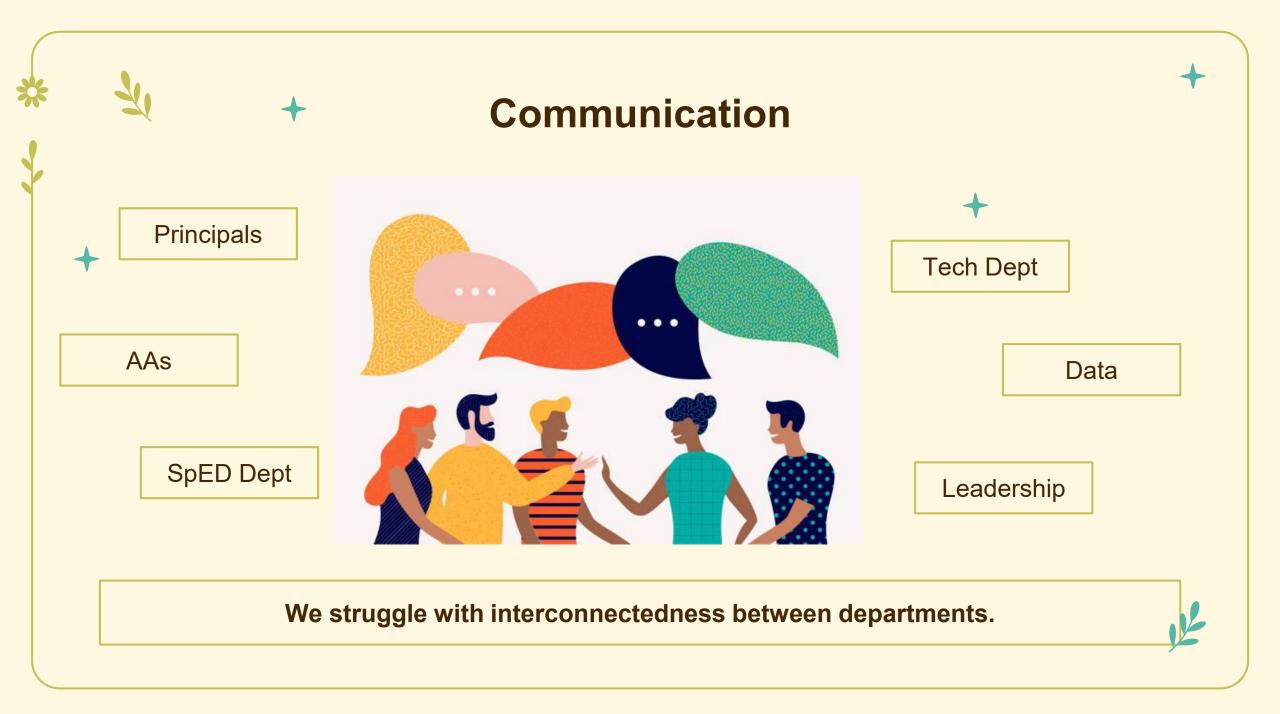
Career Ladders



Recognition



Career **Development**







We Do Our Best

Extensive Overtime

Clunky Processes



Work During School Closures

Stress

Slow Customer Service





This Has Led to...



Burnout



Why Now?







We Have Grown!



2016 407

2021

470



2024 Around 670

Then vs Now

Pre-Covid

Consistency
Post and Pray
Paper
HR Centric
Longevity
Computers
Meticulous

Post-Covid



Inspired
Candidate Sourcing
Automation
Self Service Portals
Higher Turnover
Mobile Phones
Speed









"Give me six hours to chop down a tree and I will spend the first hour sharpening the axe."

- Abraham Lincoln











The Process of Finding a Solution

Research, Matchr, HR Technology Consulting Company, HR in Education

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Paycor

Workday

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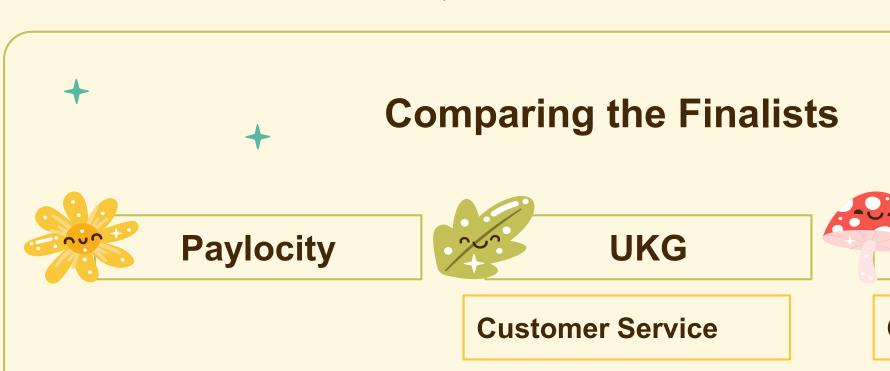
Essentials

- HRIS & Payroll
- Time & **Attendance**

Onboarding

- Multiple-Roles & Stipends







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Customer Service

Recruiting / Sourcing

Recruiting / Sourcing

EE Dashboards

EE Dashboards

Reports / Data

Reports / Data

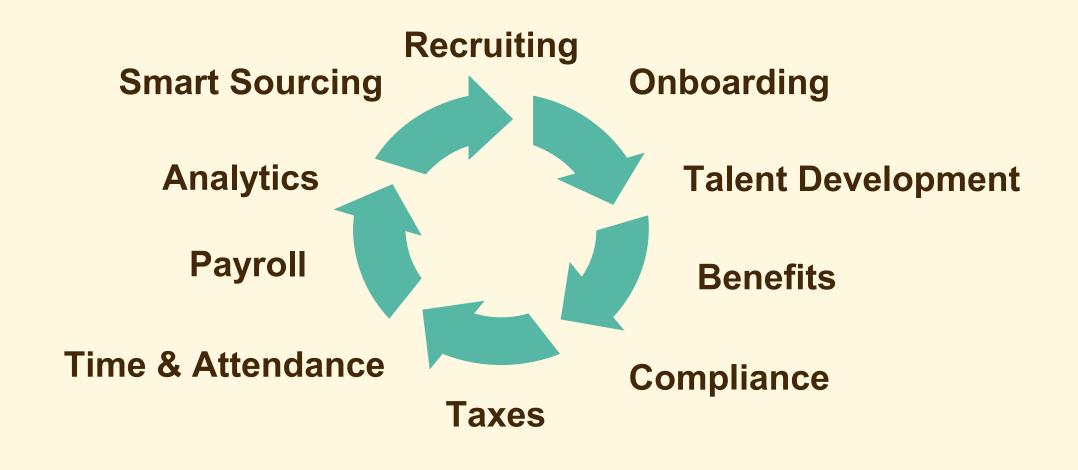
Benefits

Benefits





Life Cycle All in One Solution







Recruiting







Candidate Texting

Instantly communicate with prospects, reconnect with candidates, and send follow-up info and timely reminders.



Recruiting Analytics

Gain valuable insights into your hiring process and track important metrics, such as time-to-hire, lead sources, employee referral rates, and more.





Employee Referral Program

Tap into current employees to expand reach and attract high-quality candidates quickly.



Remote Hiring

There's no reason virtual recruiting should be any less effective than in-person interviews. Streamline your hiring process with Video Interviewing and Interview Scheduling.





Branded Careers Page

Easily create a fully-branded career site, that matches your website, without IT help. Branded career sites convey a unified, trustworthy impression to candidates who might not know much about your company.

First impressions matter!



Seamless Integration with Top Job Boards

Automatically post open positions to 20,000+ job boards like Indeed, LinkedIn, Glassdoor, ZipRecruiter, Monster, Facebook, Talent.com, Adzuna, and more with one click.







Talent Development



Ongoing Conversations

Streamline conversations between managers and direct reports with a 1-on-1 tool that offers customizable, preloaded templates.



Performance Reviews

Gather feedback and goals from 1-on-1s to conduct time-efficient reviews based on historical performance data to reduce bias.



Align Goals

Work toward the same goals with transparent Objectives + Key Results (OKRs) and eliminate wasted hours spent on unproductive work.



Progress Tracking

Automated workflows, prompts, tasks, and notifications remove the manual burden on admins, managers, and employees to keep everyone on track.





Employee Ratings

Use a 9-box grid to visualize individual employee performance and develop coaching strategies so they can better achieve their potential.









Recordkeeping & Recognition





Employee Recordkeeping

Manage all employee tasks and information in one solution.



Engaging Employee Self-Service

From signing documents to completing performance reviews, to updating personal and professional goals, the power is in the hands of your employees.







Unlimited, Automated Workflows

Simplify the way you manage everyday requests and updates through our unlimited workflows, which allow you to automate almost any task.



Paycor Engage

Drive connections and increase collaboration across your organization by sharing company news, communicating with employees, and recognizing them in one interactive platform.





Paperless Document Management

Streamline the entire document management process by allowing HR leaders to easily create, assign share, and store digital forms and documents all in one place. HR leaders will also have the ability to create notifications, require e-signatures, and even schedule the delivery.



Recognize Great Work

Managers and peers can celebrate achievements, applaud outstanding performance, and send kudos by recognizing employees directly in the platform.

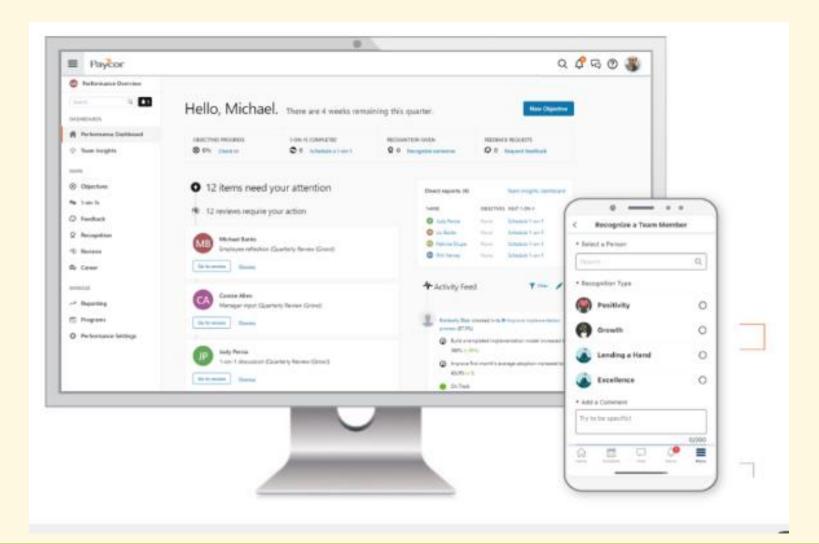


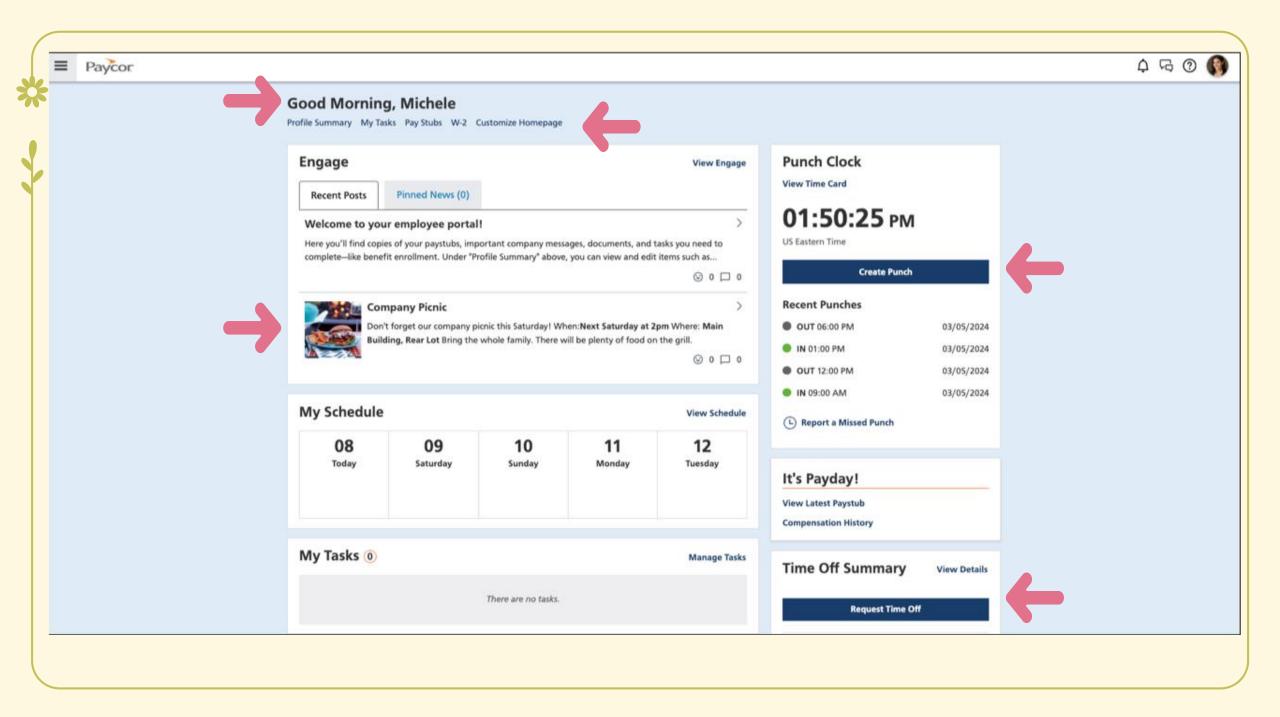






User Interface











Home

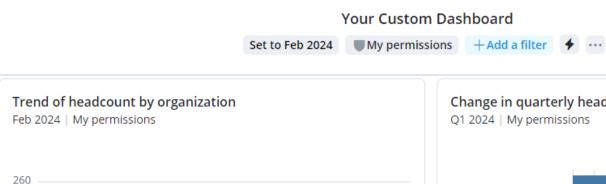
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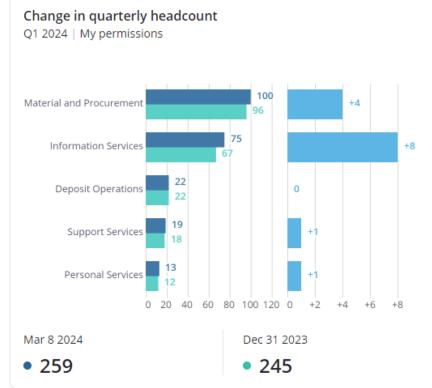
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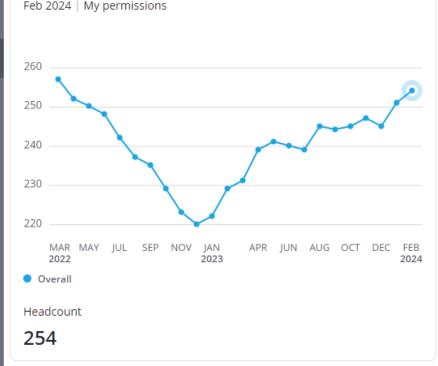
Captures

Analyses

Search







Turnover

Breakdown of Employee Exit Rate (Trailing 12 mos) by Employee >...

Employee starts rate for overall vs. female vs. minority

Voluntary turnover grouped by tenure band

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Built for Leaders

"Paycor's HCM platform is purpose-build for leaders. Paycor gives leaders the confidence to automate important tasks, and the cutting-edge technology and insights they need to transform their organizations."









Why Bring Payroll In-House?

Slow & Tedious Process

Edtec serves as an intermediary between CMP and Paylocity to process payroll which requires:

- Manual processes for communicating payroll changes for both semi and monthly payroll runs
- Front-loaded time to provide edtec enough time to process payroll inevitably leads to changes after payroll processes
- Cannot make last minute changes to payroll runs
- One staff member at edtec who is most knowledgeable of CMP payroll

Multiple Entities Managing Payroll Results in Inaccuracies

Payroll work is handed off from CMP to edtec to Paylocity providing multiple opportunities for errors to occur.



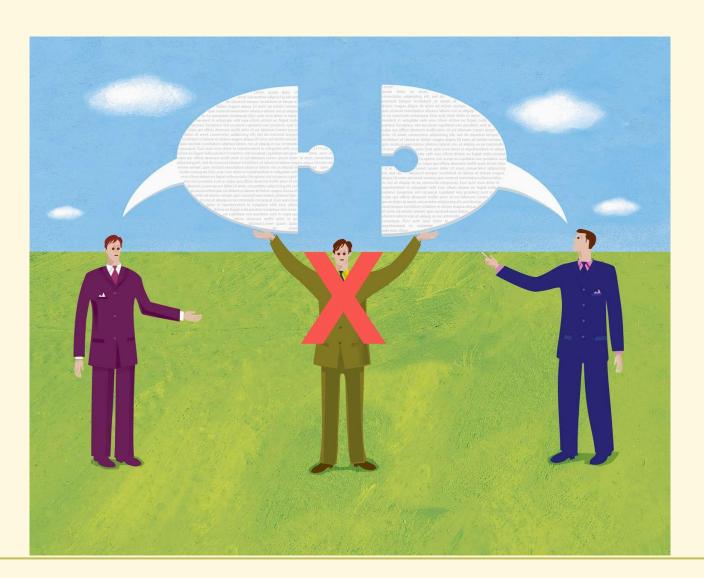








Removes the Middle Man



Amazing Improvements!



- In-house knowledge Faster direct deposit set-up
- Less human error More user friendly for staff
- Automated workflow
 Visible schedule
- Proactive payroll updates
 Less frontloading
- Shorter turnaround for pay runs Denefits info readily available
- Can make last-minute changes Can make last-minute changes
- Automated leaves
 Transition to summer smoother







Saves Time

- Pre-payroll run audit by AAs

 0.5 day per campus
- Pre-payroll run audit by payroll team

 5 days

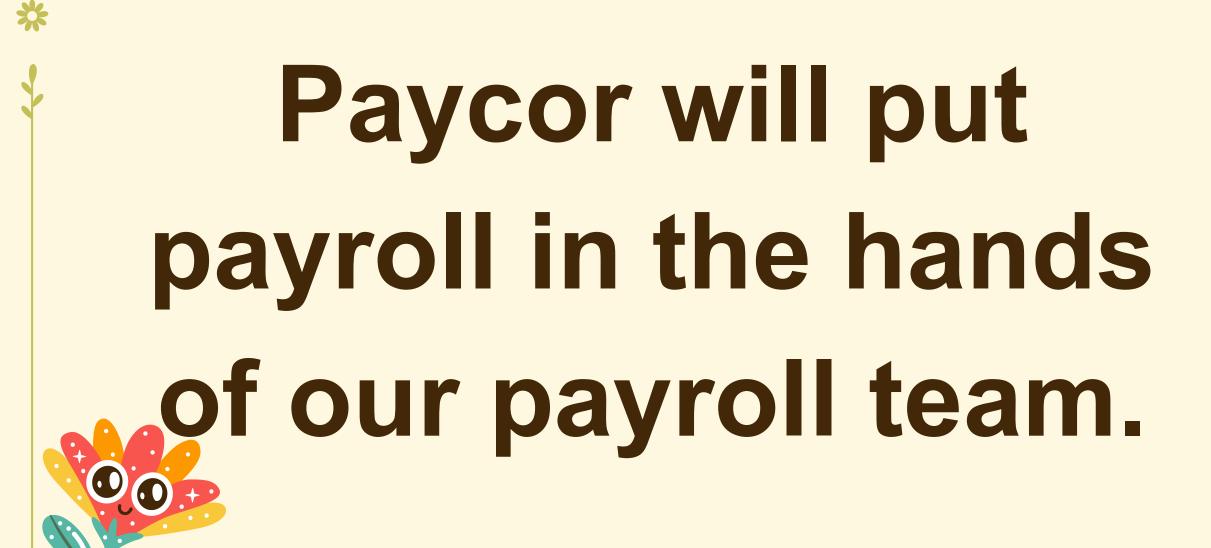
72 days!

8 days!

- Re-audit after run by payroll team

 2 days

 2 days
- Annual pay rate updates 8 days











Paylocity



UKG



Paycor

\$199,159 Annual

\$210,000 Annual

\$127,660 Annual

\$8,870 Setup Fee

\$24,500 Setup Fee

\$31,100 Setup Fee

650 Employees

700 Employees

700 Employees







Contract



Active Employee Count



Monthly billing



Lock in Rate for 3 years



Delay set-up fees to July 1



One-time promotion = - \$12K



Benefit = - \$9,750



Premium support



Implementation Timeline





March-June = Set-up
July 1 = Implementation





Payroll Coordinator Pay Scale







Thanks!

Do you have any questions?

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Informational Item #4

Monthly Financial Update: EdTec



California Montessori Project Board Meeting

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2023-24 Home Office Update











CMP Home Office FY24 2nd Interim Financial Update



		2023-24	2023-24	Variance
		Previous	Current	
		Forecast	Forecast	
	LCFF Entitlement	-	-	-
	Federal Revenue	-	-	-
Revenue	Other State Revenues	-	-	-
Revenue	Local Revenues	5,865,055	6,156,102	291,047
	Fundraising and Grants	-	-	-
	Total Revenue	5,865,055	6,156,102	291,047
	Compensation and Benefits	3,416,723	3,765,859	(349,136)
	Books and Supplies	468,614	468,614	-
Expenses	Services and Other Operating	1,942,928	1,883,167	59,761
Expenses	Depreciation	36,790	38,462	(1,672)
	Other Outflows	-	-	-
	Total Expenses	5,865,055	6,156,102	(291,047)
	Operating Income	-	-	-
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	(84,003)	(84,003)	-
	Operating Income	-	-	-
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	(84,003)	(84,003)	-
Ending Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	-1.4%	-1.4%	0.1%

CMP Home Office Multi-Year Projections



		2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
		Current	Projected	Projected
		Forecast	Budget	Budget
	LCFF Entitlement	-	-	-
	Federal Revenue	-	-	-
Revenue	Other State Revenues	-	-	-
Revenue	Local Revenues	6,156,102	5,722,851	6,036,890
	Fundraising and Grants	-	-	-
	Total Revenue	6,156,102	5,722,851	6,036,890
	Compensation and Benefits	3,765,859	3,863,115	4,154,547
	Books and Supplies	468,614	449,368	458,313
Evnancae	Services and Other Operating	1,883,167	1,379,658	1,393,319
Expenses	Depreciation	38,462	30,710	30,710
	Other Outflows	-	-	-
	Total Expenses	6,156,102	5,722,851	6,036,890
	Operating Income	-	-	-
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	(84,003)	(84,003)	(84,003)
	Operating Income	-	-	-
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	(84,003)	(84,003)	(84,003)
Ending Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	-1.4%	-1.5%	-1.4%

2023-24 2nd Interim Financial Update











2023-24 2nd Interim Financial Update



Revenue

- Small adjustments to LCFF, Federal and State revenues after P-1 certification and updated Title apportionments
- Prior year state revenues and current year local revenues updated based on actuals

Expense

- Compensation & Benefits reductions after personnel updates and benefits reconciliation
- Books & Supplies savings after Principal review
- Subagreements: increased at CAP, EG; decreased at SJ
- Increased CMO fees driven by revised substitute projections (offset by some savings in technology investments)
- Slight increases across various accounts based on actuals at each site

Capitol FY24 2nd Interim Financial Update



		2023-24	2023-24	Variance
		Previous	Current	
		Forecast	Forecast	
	LCFF Entitlement	3,800,684	3,796,721	(3,964)
	Federal Revenue	295,755	299,731	3,976
Revenue	Other State Revenues	788,251	791,168	2,917
Revenue	Local Revenues	-	1,055	1,055
	Fundraising and Grants	281,576	281,576	-
	Total Revenue	5,166,266	5,170,251	3,984
	Compensation and Benefits	3,518,530	3,469,540	48,990
	Books and Supplies	207,943	168,331	39,612
Evnancas	Services and Other Operating	1,395,165	1,440,872	(45,707)
Expenses	Depreciation	21,365	21,365	-
	Other Outflows	-	-	-
	Total Expenses	5,143,003	5,100,109	42,894
	Operating Income	23,264	70,142	46,878
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	837,317	837,317	-
	Operating Income	23,264	70,142	46,878
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	860,581	907,459	46,878
Ending Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	16.7%	17.8%	1.1%

Elk Grove FY24 2nd Interim Financial Update



		2023-24	2023-24	Variance
		Previous	Current	
		Forecast	Forecast	
	LCFF Entitlement	5,665,134	5,678,277	13,143
	Federal Revenue	383,990	389,571	5,581
Revenue	Other State Revenues	1,297,949	1,297,929	(20)
Revenue	Local Revenues	-	1,500	1,500
	Fundraising and Grants	386,384	386,384	-
	Total Revenue	7,733,458	7,753,661	20,204
	Compensation and Benefits	4,792,013	4,750,198	41,815
	Books and Supplies	215,197	215,197	-
Evponene	Services and Other Operating	1,930,667	2,094,764	(164,097)
Expenses	Depreciation	400,586	400,586	-
	Other Outflows	70,353	70,353	-
	Total Expenses	7,408,816	7,531,098	(122,283)
	Operating Income	324,642	222,563	(102,079)
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	6,902,446	6,902,446	-
	Operating Income	324,642	222,563	(102,079)
iding Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	7,227,088	7,125,009	(102,079)
nding Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	97.5%	94.6%	-2.9%

San Juan FY24 2nd Interim Financial Update



		2023-24	2023-24	Variance
		Previous	Current	
		Forecast	Forecast	
	LCFF Entitlement	15,731,549	15,739,891	8,341
	Federal Revenue	1,246,833	1,265,182	18,349
Revenue	Other State Revenues	3,339,506	3,348,546	9,040
Revenue	Local Revenues	-	1,213	1,213
	Fundraising and Grants	852,000	852,000	-
	Total Revenue	21,169,888	21,206,832	36,944
	Compensation and Benefits	13,255,702	13,001,339	254,363
	Books and Supplies	631,619	583,432	48,188
Evnoncoc	Services and Other Operating	7,048,486	7,159,511	(111,025)
Expenses	Depreciation	46,517	46,517	-
	Other Outflows	-	-	-
	Total Expenses	20,982,324	20,790,799	191,525
	Operating Income	187,563	416,032	228,469
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	7,110,210	7,110,210	-
	Operating Income	187,563	416,032	228,469
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	7,297,773	7,526,242	228,469
Ending Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	34.8%	36.2%	1.4%

Shingle Springs FY24 2nd Interim Financial Update



		2023-24	2023-24	Variance
		Previous	Current	
		Forecast	Forecast	
	LCFF Entitlement	5,550,483	5,550,619	136
	Federal Revenue	133,799	140,437	6,638
Revenue	Other State Revenues	1,064,758	1,083,726	18,969
Revenue	Local Revenues	15,000	15,000	-
	Fundraising and Grants	278,726	278,726	-
	Total Revenue	7,042,766	7,068,508	25,742
	Compensation and Benefits	4,725,403	4,628,389	97,013
	Books and Supplies	191,492	163,839	27,653
Evnancae	Services and Other Operating	1,716,402	1,778,026	(61,624)
Expenses	Depreciation	404,917	407,667	(2,750)
	Other Outflows	65,094	65,094	-
	Total Expenses	7,103,307	7,043,015	60,292
	Operating Income	(60,541)	25,494	86,035
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	6,802,347	6,802,347	-
	Operating Income	(60,541)	25,494	86,035
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	6,741,806	6,827,841	86,035
Ending Fund Ba	lance as % of Expenses	94.9%	96.9%	2.0%

CMP Organization FY24 2nd Interim Financial Update



		2023-24	2023-24	Variance
		Previous	Current	
		Forecast	Forecast	
	LCFF Entitlement	30,747,850	30,765,508	17,657
	Federal Revenue	2,060,377	2,094,921	34,544
Revenue	Other State Revenues	6,490,464	6,521,369	30,905
Revenue	Local Revenues	5,880,055	6,174,870	294,816
	Fundraising and Grants	1,798,686	1,798,686	-
	Total Revenue	46,977,432	47,355,354	377,922
	Compensation and Benefits	29,708,370	29,615,326	93,044
	Books and Supplies	1,714,865	1,599,413	115,452
Evnoncos	Services and Other Operating	14,033,648	14,356,341	(322,693
Expenses	Depreciation	910,175	914,597	(4,422)
	Other Outflows	135,448	135,448	-
	Total Expenses	46,502,505	46,621,123	(118,618)
	Operating Income	474,928	734,231	259,303
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	21,568,317	21,568,317	-
	Operating Income	474,928	734,231	259,303
nding Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	22,043,245	22,302,548	259,303
nding Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	47.4%	47.8%	0.4%

2023-24 Multi-Year Projections













Revenue

- COLA reduced to 0.76% next year from 3.94%
- Total enrollment assumes full classes at all campuses and additional classroom at CAP; attendance % reduced by 1% at all sites
- Continued spend down of one-time funding

Expense

- Travel and Conferences, Staff Meals, Professional Development cuts across the organization.
- Staffing based on current levels; increased filled teacher position rate at SJ and SS
- Added computer/license projections to 24-25
- Subagreements: NPA/S continue in Year 2 and 3 for nongraduating students; assume gradual reduction in contract positions as hiring occurs

Capitol Multi-Year Projections



		2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
		Current	Projected	Projected
		Forecast	Budget	Budget
	LCFF Entitlement	3,796,721	4,250,804	4,369,970
	Federal Revenue	299,731	116,468	116,468
Revenue	Other State Revenues	791,168	707,431	604,454
Revenue	Local Revenues	1,055	-	-
	Fundraising and Grants	281,576	281,576	281,576
	Total Revenue	5,170,251	5,356,279	5,372,468
	Compensation and Benefits	3,469,540	3,724,937	3,798,275
	Books and Supplies	168,331	210,782	216,617
Expenses	Services and Other Operating	1,440,872	1,382,697	1,420,691
Expenses	Depreciation	21,365	21,711	22,128
	Other Outflows	-	-	-
	Total Expenses	5,100,109	5,340,126	5,457,710
	Operating Income	70,142	16,152	(85,243)
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	837,317	907,459	923,612
	Operating Income	70,142	16,152	(85,243)
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	907,459	923,612	838,369
Ending Fund Ba	lance as % of Expenses	17.8%	17.3%	15.4%

Elk Grove Multi-Year Projections



		2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
		Current	Projected	Projected
		Forecast	Budget	Budget
	LCFF Entitlement	5,678,277	5,812,152	5,970,375
	Federal Revenue	389,571	169,097	169,097
Revenue	Other State Revenues	1,297,929	1,046,139	892,734
Revenue	Local Revenues	1,500	-	-
	Fundraising and Grants	386,384	386,384	386,384
	Total Revenue	7,753,661	7,413,771	7,418,589
	Compensation and Benefits	4,750,198	4,884,191	4,982,545
	Books and Supplies	215,197	210,352	215,789
Expenses	Services and Other Operating	2,094,764	1,878,770	1,935,077
Lxperises	Depreciation	400,586	403,464	404,839
	Other Outflows	70,353	67,433	64,454
	Total Expenses	7,531,098	7,444,211	7,602,704
	Operating Income	222,563	(30,439)	(184,114)
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	6,902,446	7,125,009	7,094,570
	Operating Income	222,563	(30,439)	(184,114)
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	7,125,009	7,094,570	6,910,455
Ending Fund Ba	lance as % of Expenses	94.6%	95.3%	90.9%

San Juan Multi-Year Projections



		2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
		Current	Projected	Projected
		Forecast	Budget	Budget
	LCFF Entitlement	15,739,891	16,357,557	17,138,820
	Federal Revenue	1,265,182	465,846	465,846
Revenue	Other State Revenues	3,348,546	3,116,495	2,548,117
Nevenue	Local Revenues	1,213	-	-
	Fundraising and Grants	852,000	852,000	852,000
	Total Revenue	21,206,832	20,791,898	21,004,783
	Compensation and Benefits	13,001,339	13,552,142	13,947,050
	Books and Supplies	583,432	493,433	506,095
Expenses	Services and Other Operating	7,159,511	6,660,787	6,437,362
Expenses	Depreciation	46,517	45,013	45,179
	Other Outflows	-	-	-
	Total Expenses	20,790,799	20,751,375	20,935,686
	Operating Income	416,032	40,523	69,097
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	7,110,210	7,526,242	7,566,766
	Operating Income	416,032	40,523	69,097
Ending Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	7,526,242	7,566,766	7,635,863
Ending Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	36.2%	36.5%	36.5%

Shingle Springs Multi-Year Projections



		2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
		Current	Projected	Projecte
		Forecast	Budget	Budge
	LCFF Entitlement	5,550,619	5,796,015	5,952,136
	Federal Revenue	140,437	140,437	140,437
Davianua	Other State Revenues	1,083,726	912,189	807,426
Revenue	Local Revenues	15,000	15,000	15,00
	Fundraising and Grants	278,726	278,726	278,720
	Total Revenue	7,068,508	7,142,366	7,193,72
	Compensation and Benefits	4,628,389	4,911,144	4,999,39
	Books and Supplies	163,839	143,527	146,94
Evnances	Services and Other Operating	1,778,026	1,547,212	1,598,28
Expenses	Depreciation	407,667	418,650	418,65
	Other Outflows	65,094	62,826	60,52
	Total Expenses	7,043,015	7,083,359	7,223,79
	Operating Income	25,494	59,007	(30,06
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	6,802,347	6,827,841	6,886,84
	Operating Income	25,494	59,007	(30,06
ing Fund Ba	alance (incl. Depreciation)	6,827,841	6,886,847	6,856,77
ling Fund Ba	alance as % of Expenses	96.9%	97.2%	94.9

CMP Organization Multi-Year Projections



		2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
		Current	Projected	Projected
		Forecast	Budget	Budget
	LCFF Entitlement	30,765,508	32,216,527	33,431,301
	Federal Revenue	2,094,921	891,848	891,848
Revenue	Other State Revenues	6,521,369	5,782,253	4,852,730
Revenue	Local Revenues	6,174,870	5,737,851	6,051,890
	Fundraising and Grants	1,798,686	1,798,686	1,798,686
	Total Revenue	47,355,354	46,427,166	47,026,455
	Compensation and Benefits	29,615,326	30,935,529	31,881,812
	Books and Supplies	1,599,413	1,507,461	1,543,753
Evnances	Services and Other Operating	14,356,341	12,849,124	12,784,728
Expenses	Depreciation	914,597	919,549	921,507
	Other Outflows	135,448	130,260	124,983
	Total Expenses	46,621,123	46,341,923	47,256,783
	Operating Income	734,231	85,243	(230,329)
	Beginning Balance (Audited)	21,568,317	22,302,548	22,387,791
	Operating Income	734,231	85,243	(230,329)
Ending Fund Ba	lance (incl. Depreciation)	22,302,548	22,387,791	22,157,463
Ending Fund Ba	lance as % of Expenses	47.8%	48.3%	46.9%

Enrollment Scenario Planning



Hypothetical student enrollment increases to reach break-even in Years 2 and 3

	Capitol		Elk Grove		San Juan		Shingle Springs	
	Year 2	Year 3	Year 2	Year 3	Year 2	Year 3	Year 2	Year 3
Scenario 1								
Operating Income	\$16,152	\$(85,243)	\$ (30,439)	\$(184,114)	\$ 40,523	\$69,097	\$59,007	\$(30,069)
Enrollment								
Increase	0	11	4	21	0	0	0	4
ADA								
Increase	0	10.45	3.8	19.95	0	0	0	3.84
Final Operating								
Income	\$ 6,173	\$ 8,632	\$ 5,084	\$ 6,830	\$ 40,523	\$69,097	\$59,007	\$ 5,727

Thank you!

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Informational Item #5

Board Discussion on Potential Revenue Solutions



Action Items 1, 2, 3, 4

Consideration of Second Interim 2023-2024 CMP-Capitol Budget (Attachment A1) Recommendation: The Board is requested to approve the 2023-2024 CMP-Capitol Second Interim Budget.

Consideration of Second Interim 2023-2024 CMP-Elk Grove Budget (Attachment A2) Recommendation: The Board is requested to approve the 2023-2024 CMP-Elk Grove Second Interim Budget.

Consideration of Second Interim 2023-2024 CMP-San Juan (American River/ Carmichael/ Orangevale) Budget (Attachment A3)

Recommendation: The Board is requested to approve the 2023-2024 CMP-San Juan Second Interim Budget.

Consideration of Second Interim 2023-2024 CMP-Shingle Springs Budget (Attachment A4) Recommendation: The Board is requested to approve the 2023-2024 CMP-Shingle Springs Second Interim Budget.

Action Item #5, #6

Selection of Auditor for 2023-2024 Fiscal Year (Attachment A5)

Comment: Each year California Montessori Project contracts with an audit firm to complete an independent audit of the network as a whole and each campus individually. CliftonLarsonAllen LLP has conducted the CMP audits in the past.

Recommendation: The Board is requested to approve CliftonLarsonAllen LLP to conduct the independent audits of the CMP-Network, CMP-Capitol Campus, CMP-Elk Grove Campus, CMP-San Juan Campuses, and the CMP-Shingle Springs Campus.

Selection of CliftonLarsonAllen LLP (CLA) for the preparation of the June 30, 2024 Tax Exempt Returns and State Filings (Attachment A6)

Comment: Each year California Montessori Project contracts with an audit firm to complete CMP's Tax-Exempt Returns and State Filings. CliftonLarsonAllen LLP has a track record of successfully completing this work for CMP.

Recommendation: The Board is requested to approve CliftonLarsonAllen LLP to complete CMP's Tax-Exempt Returns and State Filings.

CMP-Shingle Springs Shade Structure Proposal from FLINT (Attachment A7)

- Comment: The Single Springs CAC has been fundraising for a shade structure for students to eat breakfast and lunch under. They solicited multiple bids and chose the bid that they believed best met campus needs.
- **Recommendation**: The Board is recommended to approve the FLINT shade structure contract.

CMP-Shingle Springs Shade Structure Proposal from FLINT

Sara Meece



Shade Structure Proposal: Why







Shade Structure Proposal: Bids & Funding

- 4 bids obtained for a 30' x 80' structure ranging from \$150,000 to \$319,000
- CAC approved *FLINT Hummingbird Shade Structure* bid in partnership with CMP Shingle Springs parent, Mark Mennucci, for \$223,100 (\$92.96 per square foot)
- CAC approved funding from:
 - Black & White Ball, APEX, Campus Improvements: \$140,886.99
 - 2023-24 APEX (April 15th 26th): \$45,000 (\$46,662.56 last year)
- \$10,871.80 available in MPF through Site Improvements and Unrestricted accounts
- Women's Fund El Dorado grant submitted for \$26,000



Shade Structure Proposal: Design











Shade Structure Proposal: Staff Recommendation

- Rationale: The CMP Shingle Springs CAC is seeking approval for the proposed shade structure from Flint Builders. Installation of a shade structure at Upper Campus will enhance the outdoor space, providing protection from UV rays and excessive heat for our students during breakfast and lunch. We aim to create a more comfortable and enjoyable environment, benefiting our community for years to come.
- Draft Motion: The Board is requested to approve the FLINT shade structure proposal.



Approval of Extension of Contract with EdTec for Back Office Support Services (Attachment A8)

- Comment: CMP has a strong and positive partnership with EdTec and would like to continue this arrangement with some modifications to the work we do together. In the proposed contract EdTec would support CMP with annual budgeting but payroll services, that are currently supplied by EdTec, would be brought in-house. CMP is confident its payroll team is prepared to bring payroll services into the network office.
- **Recommendation**: Staff recommend the Board approve the extension of EdTec's contract for an additional 3-years for all work related to CMP financials and remove payroll services from the contract.

Approval of Contract with Paycor for HRIS and Payroll Services (Attachment A9)

- Comment: Historically, CMP has managed staff data through available tools already on board at the organization such as Microsoft Excel and Google Sheets. CMP has outgrown this way of managing staff data. An HRIS system will automate the lifecycle of a staff member and provide needed data to our HR team to support staff and supervisors. Additionally, the same system will also function as a payroll system for our payroll team.
- **Recommendation**: The HR and Payroll teams have researched, reviewed, and recommend the Board approve the Paycor contract

Approval of Contract with Paycor for HRIS and Payroll Services (Attachment A9)

- Comment: Historically, CMP has managed staff data through available tools already on board at the organization such as Microsoft Excel and Google Sheets. CMP has outgrown this way of managing staff data. An HRIS system will automate the lifecycle of a staff member and provide needed data to our HR team to support staff and supervisors. Additionally, the same system will also function as a payroll system for our payroll team.
- **Recommendation**: The HR and Payroll teams have researched, reviewed, and recommend the Board approve the Paycor contract

Approval of Payroll Coordinator Pay Scale (Attachment A10)

- Comment: Payroll at CMP includes managing hourly and salaried staff, staff with multiple roles, staff with school year and year-round pay schedules, staff with semimonthly and monthly pay cycles, and a growing list of stipends with different pay amounts and frequencies. It also entails tracking any additional pay days such as Super-Duper Saturday and tracking staff attendance for eligibility for the end of the year stipend. This level of complication requires systems to be created and followed with a great deal of attention to detail and oversight. The requirements of this payroll work have outgrown a Payroll Clerk role and requires CMP to have a Payroll Coordinator on staff. Whether the Board approves the HRIS system or not, CMP requires this position going forward. This does not increase the number of payroll staff required. Currently, CMP has two Payroll Clerks. CMP would move to one Payroll Clerk and one Payroll Coordinator.
- **Recommendation**: Staff recommend the Board approve the Payroll Coordinator pay scale.

Discussion Items & Closing Comments



Closed Session

- CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL EXISTING LITIGATION (Paragraph (1) of subdivision (d) of Government Code Section 54956.9) Sacramento County Superior Court Case No. 23CV006111
- Pursuant to the Brown act, a closed session shall be conducted with respect to every item of business to be discussed in closed session pursuant to Section 54957, Public Employment.
- Public Employee Performance Evaluation: Superintendent



Reconvene to Open Session



Meeting Adjournment

Recommendation:

The CMP Governing Board is requested to approve the adjournment of the March 11, 2024 Governing Board Meeting.

