



Executive Council
Meeting Agenda
Thursday, October 24, 2024
2950 W. River. Drive
Sacramento, CA 95833
4:00 p.m.
Room G110 (CFI)

I. OPEN SESSION

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

IV. CELEBRATIONS

- a. End of Quarter 1
- b. Homecoming Activities

V. PUBLIC COMMENTS

PUBLIC COMMENTS PROCEDURE: LGA's Executive Council (Council) welcomes the public's participation at Council Meetings and has devoted time in the meeting for that purpose. The Council requests that you fill out a Public Comment card and turn it into the Administrative Assistant. Your name will be called under the appropriate agenda item or Public Comment section of the agenda. Presentations from the public are limited to two (2) minutes regarding any item that is within the Council's subject matter jurisdiction. The Council shall limit the total time for public input on each item to 20 minutes. Please note that Government Code Section 54954.2(a) limits the ability of Council Members to respond to public comments. In addition, the Council may not take action on any item which is not on this agenda except as authorized by Government Code 54954.2.

VI. CONSENT ITEMS

CONSENT ITEM PROCEDURE: Generally, routine items are approved by one motion without discussion. The Superintendent or Board member may request that an item be pulled from the Consent Agenda and voted on separately.

a. **Approve Consent Calendar**

Prepared by Natalie Amaro, Administrative Support Manager (Confidential)

b. **Approve the Executive Council Meeting Minutes 8-22-24**

Prepared by Natalie Amaro, Administrative Support Manager (Confidential)

VII. ACTION ITEMS

ACTION AGENDA PROCEDURE: Formal action is required on each item which frequently includes discussion prior to the motion. Time is given for public comments.

a. **Approve Informed 2 Inspire (i2i) Agreement**

Prepared by Natalie Amaro, Administrative Support Manager (Confidential)

Recommended Motion:

The council is asked to approve the agreement for services for 2025 LCAP Development with a total contract amount of \$36,000.00.

b. **Approve New Courses for 2025-2026**

Prepared by Mailee Lee, LGA College and Career Counselor

Recommended Motion:

The council is requested to review and approve the introduction of two new courses:

- **Anatomy and Physiology**
- **Environmental Biology**

Rationale:

Currently, LGA only offers Conceptual Physics, Chemistry in the Community, and Pre-AP Biology. To meet the three years of Science requirement for graduation, students must pass all three classes. Of the three classes offered, two are physical science, while one is biological science. We would like to add the following two biological science courses to support our students and provide opportunities for success since many of our teachers are credentialed in biological science. This will give different paths or ways for our students to meet the three years of science requirements for graduation.

Below are the course descriptions for each course. Please note that Anatomy and Physiology is currently offered in the district as a biological life science meeting the science requirement for a-g.

Anatomy and Physiology: Anatomy and Physiology is a year-long lab science course designed for students interested in careers in the medical field. Anatomy and Physiology covers medical terminology and the organization of the human body as well as the different organ systems. Students will investigate each system's various pathologies and explore the diagnostic procedures, therapeutic procedures, and medications relevant to each system. Lab activities, scientific method, and critical thinking skills are emphasized.

Environmental Biology: The course begins with an introduction to the general principles of the Scientific Method. The well-being of living organisms is then associated with the cycle of matter and the flow of energy throughout Earth and has an opportunity to integrate the significance of environmental carrying capacity and the resulting biodiversity of all species. The successful continuation of an effective biodiversity will be questioned through the application of concepts of population succession, the interaction of individuals, the natural resources available and the implications of human activities of Life on Earth. Throughout this course the human impact on life will be emphasized as a major determining factor of species survival or extinction.

VIII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a. Mid-Year Budget Update
- b. Charter Renewal Update

IX. ADJOURNMENT

- 1) *Back-up material may be posted online up to 24 hours before the Council meeting.*
- 2) *The times for Agenda items are approximations and will vary depending on the amount of information and discussion necessary to conduct the Business of the Council.*
- 3) *Consent and Action items are funded out of the General Fund unless otherwise noted.*
- 4) *Assistance for the Disabled: Please contact LGA's Front Office at (916) 567-5560 at least 24 hours before the scheduled board meeting to request disability-related accommodations in order to participate in the public board meeting. (Government Code §54954.2) (Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, §202.)*