

## This Week at the District

### June Election Results

There were many members of our Coast team that watched the June 5 election results. As you know, the June primary election can be helpful in determining the will of the people and their willingness to support initiatives that help our colleges and schools. In particular, there were 34 total initiatives on the ballot relating to school finances. Of those, 23 passed and 11 failed to garner enough support. Of those that passed, I would like to congratulate our colleagues at the West Valley-Mission CCD in Santa Clara who were successful in the passage of a \$350-million initiative. Our Internal Working Group is busy preparing to present to the full Board on June 20 with regard to the impact of the recent election as well as other statewide initiatives and the status of our current exploratory/information phase of a potential GO Bond for Coast.

### Board Meeting Reminders

**June 20** - Regular Meeting & Budget Study Session

**July 18** - Regular Meeting

**August 1** - Regular Meeting & Study Session

### National Association of International Educators

I was invited to participate in the recent National Association of International Educators Conference and took advantage of a registration scholarship to represent Coast Colleges. With nearly 10,000 members, NAFSA is the world's largest nonprofit professional association dedicated to international education. NAFSA and its members believe that international education and exchange is fundamental to student success. At the conference, I participated in the presidents' meeting in which 20 of the 25 CEOs were from an international institution of higher education. At that meeting, there was a robust discussion of global expectations for both employees and students, as well as discussions of potential collaborations between institutions in Latin America, Europe, Asia and the Caribbean (just to name a few). It was a great opportunity for Coast to engage with our colleagues from around the world as we continue to strive to meet our stretch goal of expanding our international student programs and offerings.

### Coast District Management Association - Managers of the Year

I would like to thank the Board for their support of the CDMA luncheon yesterday. **Trustee Hornbuckle** was able to attend and all of the Trustees sent messages of gratitude to CDMA members for their leadership and swift action to help mitigate our budget issues. I echo the Board sentiments in thanking our management team. I would also like to acknowledge the Managers of the Year for each of our District sites. Congratulations to **Dave Thompson** (Coastline), **Debbie Bales** (Golden West), **Tom Selzer** (Orange Coast) and **Donna Waldfogel** (District) on being named Managers of the Year. All of the nominees are to be congratulated for their commitment to leadership and to our students.

Sincerely,



### Chancellor's Calendar

### Week of June 11, 2012

Monday - Friday  
In the Office