



**Wednesday, March 26, 2025  
Foundation Executive Committee Regular Meeting**

**1:30 - 2:45pm**

**Location: College of the Desert Palm Desert Campus, Cravens Center Multi-Purpose Room**

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**COLLEGE OF THE DESERT MISSION: College of the Desert provides excellent educational programs in basic skills, career and technical education, certificate, transfer preparation, associate degrees, noncredit and distance education, which are continuously evaluated and improved. Our programs and services contribute to the success, learning and achievement of our diverse students and the vitality of the Desert Community College District, surrounding areas and beyond.**

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## **1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL**

1.1 Roll Call - Diane Rubin, Christine Anderson, Paul Hinkes, Bill Chunowitz, Marge Dodge, Barbara Foster Monachino, Barbara Fromm, Tom Minder, Rob Moon, Jane Saltonstall. Non-voting members: Val Martinez Garcia, Chip West, Mary Jane Sanchez-Fulton. Guest: Catherine Abbott. Recorder: Juli Maxwell

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## **2. AGENDA**

2.1 Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2(b)(2), the Board may take action on items of business not appearing on the posted agenda, upon a determination by a 2/3 vote of the Board, or (if less than 2/3 of the members are present, a unanimous vote of those present), that there is a need to take immediate action and that the need for action came to the attention of the local agency subsequent to the agenda being posted as specified.

2.2 Confirmation of Agenda: Approval of agenda for the March 26, 2025, Foundation Executive Committee Meeting with any additions, corrections, or deletions.

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## **3. MINUTES**

3.1 Approval of February 19, 2025, Foundation Executive Committee Regular Meeting Minutes

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## **4. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

4.1 Public Comments: In accordance with Senate Bill 361 and guidance from the California Department of Public Health on gatherings, remote public participation is allowed and will be accepted in person or by email to [codfoundation@collegeofthedesert.edu](mailto:codfoundation@collegeofthedesert.edu) and read into the record during public comment or by using the raise your hand function by joining the Zoom link: 2:00 - 2:45pm Location: College of the Desert Palm Desert Campus, Cravens Center Multi-Purpose Room Zoom link: <https://collegeofthedesert-edu.zoom.us/j/84829699651?>

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## **5. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

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- 5.1 Nominating Committee Update - Jane Saltonstall
- 5.2 Academic Angels Update - Marge Dodge
- 5.3 Advancement and Stewardship Update - Rob Moon
- 5.4 Finance and Investment Update - Paul Hinkes
- 5.5 Budget Review 2025/26
- 5.6 Agenda for Annual Meeting
- 5.7 Board Orientation Preview

## **6. ACTION ITEMS**

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- 6.1 Accounting Specialist Position - Budget

## **7. ADJOURNMENT**

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- 7.1 Next Meeting will be taking place on Wednesday, April 23, 2025
- 7.2 Adjournment