



American River Charter School
6620 Wentworth Springs Rd. Georgetown. CA
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ARCS Charter Council Regular Meeting
February 10, 2026, 3:15 pm
School Motto: "Soaring to New Heights Together"

1.0 **Call to Order:** Anne Thomas(P), Karen Shadle(P), Ryan Sevy(P), Christina Mulford(P), Amber Smith(A), Juliette Knight(P), Jessica Anderson(A), Chrissa Morris(A), Madilyn Morris(P)

2.0 **Roll Call :** 3:16

2.1 **Pledge of Allegiance:**

3.0 **Action Items:**

3.1 Read and approve minutes from Dec. 9, 2025, meeting

Motion: Ryan Sevy Second: Juliette Knight Yes 5 No 0

3.2 Adoption of The Agenda:

Motion: Christina Mulford Second: Juliette Knight Yes 5 No 0

3.3 Change the agenda switching Action item 5.1 and 6.1

Motion: Juliette Knight Second: Ryan Sevy Yes 5 No 0

4.0 **Communications**

Members of the public may address the Charter Council on any items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Charter Council, but are not on the agenda or are on the consent agenda. However, the Charter Council shall not act upon, respond to, or comment on the merits of any item presented during the Oral Communications, although the Charter Council may ask clarifying questions of the presenter or refer the presenter to a District procedure if appropriate. (Government Code Sections 54954.2 and 54954.3) This is also the time to address any items on the consent agenda.

4.1 Oral Communications- (3-minute limit) None

4.2 Written Communications: None

5.0 **Action items:**

5.1 Approve up to 4 (\$3,000.00ea) stipends for Innovation Lab Committee Members

Duties: Long term plan to build lab; Research and Purchasing of items for Arts & Innovation Lab; Placement and Infrastructure of Lab

Motion: Juliette Knight Second: Christina Mulford Yes 5 No 0

6.0 **Information and Discussion:**

6.1 Prop 28 Art Money: Consider item suggestions/ proposals (cont'd discussion)

Juliette Knight proposes to add 25 Apple Tablets to the budget for TK - 2, with an Art App-

Ryan proposes that ARCS spends \$225,000 on the Arts & Innovation lab supplies
Karen presented a proposal to purchase a sound system, 20 tablets for Art/Drawing for older students
Karen presented a list of instruments to be purchased
Tina proposes that some of the money be spent on necessary shelving and storage for art/music/equipment
Motion to approve: Ryan Sevy Second: Juliette Knight

7.0 Reports:

7.1 **Student Report:** Madi Morris: Presented the results of the high school survey with the graph

7.2 **Parent Report:** Jessie Anderson, Charissa Morris : None

7.3 **Teacher Report:** Ryan Sevy: The NCAA committee is working on the high school course list that the NCAA will approve using Acellus courses; continued student College & Career meetings

Karen Shadle:

Kati Jardine is commended for cleaning up shared google files, making short cuts with instructions, and the will talk with teachers when they call her

Book Fair coming

Opinion writing - teachers will score using SBAC rubrics

7.4 **Budget report:** Amber Smith: None

7.5 **Staff Report:** Christina Mulford: Shannon is finishing intent to re-enroll forms, starting open enrollment, filing LP 6 records. Angela created a step by step Acellus sign on for Chromebook users having issues, and continues to get out the second semester orders.

7.6 **Directors' Report:** Anne Thomas:

Enrollment: Homeschool: 261 Waitlist: 61

WASC Update: progress has been made with the help of staff and ARCS has met the deadline of March 23th, providing needed information to the WASC board

Field Trips: Kings Game and Bowling

8.0 Call for topics for next meeting:

WASC Report - Weaknesses, Strengths and Goals - Visual Report

Prop 28 specifics

Arts & Innovation Group

9.0 Adjournment: 3:50

Motion: Juliette Knight

Second: Christina Mulford

Yes 4 No 0