

# REPORTER

## Tulare County Charter ACSA Membership Soars to 407

Tulare County Charter, one of five charters in Region XI, has reported a current membership as of April 1, 2014 to be 407. This is an awesome increase of 92 members which results in a 29% growth during the 2013-2014 school year.

There are a variety and number of reasons for the Charter's growth. Lora Haston, Tulare County Charter President and Superintendent of Alta Vista Elementary School District, has led the Charter on focusing on membership at its monthly breakfast board meetings. Membership growth has become the responsibility of each board member.

The Charter has also scheduled a very special networking social. Donya Wheeler, Charter President-Elect and Principal, Lincoln Elementary School, Exeter Unified School District, has chaired and organized this event. It was held on December 3, 2013 at the Holiday Inn, Visalia. The major focus of this event was networking, fellowship and membership. Administrators in the Charter were encouraged to invite non-ACSA members to attend for a very enjoyable evening sponsored by ACSA.

The Charter also sponsored its Annual Winter Conference on February 18 at the Edison Education Center in Tulare. Robert Groeber, Charter Vice President and Assistant Superintendent, Visalia Unified School District, chaired this outstanding event where once again ACSA membership was given a high priority. Michael Hernandez, State ACSA Membership Recruiter and Principal, Valley Oak Middle School, Visalia Unified School District, had a special membership booth at the Winter Conference. This gave him a prime opportunity to recruit new members.

A major portion of the membership growth this year was due to the interest and support of two District Superintendents. Who are the educational leaders of the two largest school districts in the Tulare County Charter.

Both of these superintendents have been very active and supportive of ACSA in a variety of ways at the local Charter, Region XI and State ACSA.

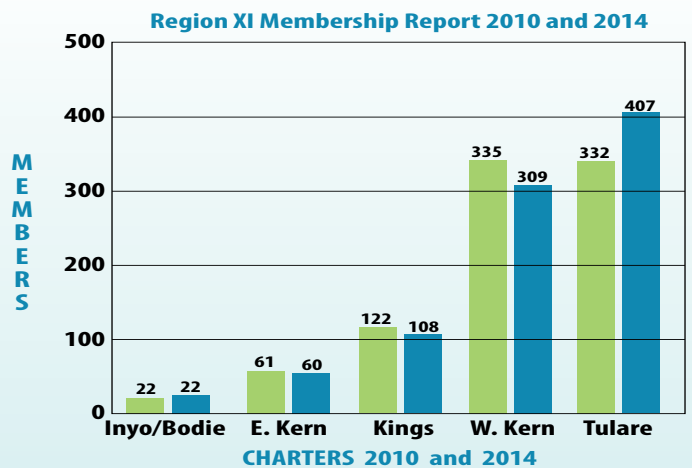
Dr. Craig Wheaton, Superintendent, Visalia Unified School District, and currently completing his final year on the State ACSA Superintendency Council, has continually demonstrated a very deep passion for ACSA Membership.

*" I really value professional growth and ACSA really provides outstanding opportunities to its members. I have made it a priority to encourage and support ACSA membership and involvement in Visalia Unified," Dr. Craig Wheaton said.*

Wheaton is seeking a three year term as Region XI's Representative on the State ACSA Board of Directors. He has been a great role model and ambassador for ACSA and all it stands for.

Dr. John Snavelly, Superintendent, Porterville Unified School District, and now completing his third and final year on the State ACSA Board of Directors representing Region XI is very passionate toward ACSA membership and its mission, programs, and activities. He has also been active at all three levels, local charter, region and State ACSA.

*" I am very pleased to see the significant increase in membership in the ACSA Charter and Region. This not only gives great clout and credibility to our Region's presence with ACSA, but greatly enhances ACSA's ability to influence our policy makers throughout the state with education and related issues. We must continue our membership recruitment efforts to further increase ACSA's influence." John Snavelly* *(continued on page 9)*



# Presidents Message



Dear Fellow ACSA members,

This year is rapidly coming to a close. It has been a great year for our region as each charter has concentrated on the three goals established at the beginning of the year. Through various activities throughout the Region, our members and charter leaders increased their awareness of the legislative process and how to enhance our legislative advocacy,

charters have targeted networking events to strengthen the connection among our colleagues, and professional development events have been offered to enhance the capacity of our leaders in the development of compelling educational opportunities for students.

At the Region Level, we have increased the connection with State ACSA, and have been graced with several visits from our State leaders. Most recently, during the April Region meeting, our delegate assembly welcomed Dr. Wesley Smith, our new executive director for State ACSA. Dr. Wes Smith addressed approximately 35 of our region members. During his conversation, Dr. Smith provided an overview of our association's accomplishments this year, as well as anticipation for continued positive changes for the coming years.

To continue with our educational advocacy, a group of approximately 19 administrators representing a cross section of Region XI members participated in ACSA's legislative action day over April 6 and 7. Our time was well spent and organized extremely efficiently from Terri Rufert. During the legislative action day we championed three main target areas and brought up one additional point related to retirement and CalSTRS pension. Main points for ACSA this year centered on securing additional dollars as set aside funds for common core supplemental implementation grant funding, extension of funding for English learners under the LCFF model, and lastly aiming to strengthen administrative positions with teacher dismissal. You can gather additional information regarding ACSA advocacy by visiting the ACSA website under Advocacy and then navigating to Legislative Action Day 2014.

As we approach our final meeting in May, new officers will be installed on the executive board and the continuation of the excellence of Region XI will be ongoing. We are rapidly approaching the end-of-the-year administrative and student awards luncheon. I encourage you to attend this event as we spotlight the great contributions of our administrative leaders and highlight the excellence in student achievement in the face of trying and difficult situations with the 'Every Student Succeeding Award'.

Lastly, if you have yet to download the all-new ACSA Application for your mobile device, I encourage you to do so. The app can be downloaded from either the iTunes store, or you can access the link from the ACSA website under the Media/Social Media link. The ACSA app contains many resources which you will find useful in your daily administrative responsibilities.

I wish you each a successful conclusion to your year.

Tom Addington  
Region XI President

## Region XI Membership Scoreboard

Charter	April 2013	April 2014	(+/-)
East Kern	62	60	(-2)
West Kern	313	309	(-4)
Kings	102	108	(+6)
Tulare	315	407	(+92)
Inyo/Bodie	22	25	(+3)
CSUB Student	5	4	(-1)
Non-Assigned	10	7	(-3)
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>829</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>(+91)</b>

**Congratulations to Tulare County Charter for its increase of 92 members (29%)**

## “WHAT THEY SAID”

“Mark Ecker, our State President, is doing a great job of increasing ACSA's influence and I want to also thank you for your services to our organization.”

**Randall Delling, ACSA President-Elect,**  
*Region XI Board Meeting, Bakersfield, Jan. 23, 2014*

“Energy, not time, is the currency of high performance.”

**Dr. Timothy D. Kanold, Keynote Address: Tulare County Charter Annual Winter Conference, Tulare, Feb. 18, 2014**

“LAD 2014 was a great success. 18 Region XI's amazing administrators shared their stories to bring ACSA's talking points home to our region's legislators. Tim Hire did a phenomenal job leading and facilitating our meeting with our legislators and their staffers. A huge thank you to all who attended. I know we made a difference!”

**Terri Rufert, Region XI Vice President, Legislative Action LAD,**  
*April 6-7, 2014, Sacramento*

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## AROUND THE REGION

- **Charter Golf Tournaments...** West Kern, Tulare and Kings Charter are sponsoring golf tournaments this year. West Kern recently sponsored a very successful event on April 5 at Sundale Country Club in Bakersfield. Terry Wolfe, retired administrator chaired this year's tournament.

Tulare Charter will be conducting its 2nd Annual Golf Tournament at Valley Oaks Golf Course in Visalia on April 27th. Tim Hire, Superintendent, Exeter Unified School District, is chairing this event for the second year. Both West Kern and Tulare Charter sponsor their events to raise funds for student scholarships. Heiko Sweeney, Principal, Central Union School District, has announced that Kings Charter's Tournament is scheduled for June 16th at Lemoore.

- **Elections** for Region XI leadership positions will be conducted in April and May 2014. The 3 year Superintendency Council position election will consist of mailing a ballot to all superintendents who are ACSA members. Tom Addington, Superintendent, Central Union School District, in Lemoore and Sarah Koligian, Superintendent, Tulare Joint Union High School District, are the two candidates

seeking this leadership position.

Dr. Craig Wheaton is the only candidate for the State ACSA Board of Directors while Terri Rufert will once again serve as Region XI's Vice President Legislative Action. Both are three year terms.

- **Both East Kern and West Kern Charters** had Professional Development Presentations at their recent Charter Board Meetings. Pam Barnes, Principal, Pierce Elementary School, Sierra Sands USD, presented a session on a SBAC Field Testing Program conducted at her school on 2013. She shared what they learned from the pilot testing held last spring. She also informed the East Kern Charter Administrators what they should do to get ready for this year's testing program.

West Kern Charter had Laurie Stanton share a Safe School Ambassadors Program at its March 20th Breakfast Meeting. The SSA Program provides students an option to be an "Upstander" giving them a motivation, support and interaction skills to prevent or stop bullying and harassment.

## COMMENTS FROM YOUR REGION XI EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Region 11 has experienced the most significant membership growth of all the regions in the state thanks to the support of Region District Superintendents who are expecting their administrators to be members of their professional association. A special recognition goes out to Craig Wheaton and John Snavely who have supported ACSA membership for all administrators in their districts.

On May 1, we recognized our Region Administrators of the Year. Hope you were able to attend and celebrate with them. At the Delegate Assembly before the Awards Luncheon, we elected our State ACSA Board Member and Region Vice President of Legislative Action. In addition, we announced our new representative to the State Superintendency Council. Also at that meeting we acknowledged the good work of our Region Leaders and swore in our new leaders for next year.

A big Thank You goes out to Tom Addington, your president, who provided exceptional leadership this year. Membership grew more than anyone can remember in the past. Networking activities increased. A Region Drop Box was established to archive region information. An adequate reserve was determined and one-time money was budgeted to support Charter activities connected to Region/Charter goals. Sponsorships for Region activities were sought and state ACSA Leaders addressed Region Delegate Assemblies. Money will

be put aside to create a video connection with our members in Inyo/Mono Charter so they can attend Region meetings via the internet. Old newsletters and other historical documents of the Region will be bound and saved electronically. As you can see, it has been a busy year for the Region and much has been accomplished on your behalf.

On April 7, members representing our five charters met with legislators requesting continued monetary support for Common Core implementation, continuation of financial support for English Learners two years after they are re-designated, the ability to negotiate with local bargaining units a process for releasing poor teachers, and a plan to fund the shortfall of STRS with the state meeting their full obligation and a gradual increase in employee and district contribution. Terri Rufert, our VP of Leg. Action did an exceptional job organizing the day and Tim Hire did a great job of facilitating the discussion. Our legislators were well educated and we received positive responses to our position on these issues.

If you read the last edition of EDCAL, I am sure you saw one of our own on the Front Page. A big CONGRATULATIONS goes out to John Snavely, Superintendent of Porterville Unified, for his work with Link Learning.

If I can support you in anyway or you have any question regarding ACSA and your involvement, call me or text me at 559 280 6228 or email me at davidto02@comcast.net

**David Tonini**  
*Executive Director - Region XI*

## 2014 LEGISLATIVE ACTION DAY

Region XI's 18 administrators were participants in the 2014 Legislative Action Day held in Sacramento on April 6-7. Approximately 350 school leaders across ACSA's 19 regions met with State Legislators and staff to discuss major issues facing school districts.

Terri Rufert, Region XI Vice President for Legislative Action organized the activities for Region XI's administrators. She also chaired a 90 minute briefing session on Sunday afternoon. Strategies, issues, talking points and assignments were completed during this opening session. *"Remember, when you are addressing legislators, tomorrow on various issues, you are speaking on behalf of State ACSA,"* Rufert said. *"There may be other times you may want to talk to them on behalf of your own school district."*

The major issues discussed with State Legislators and their staff included:

- Common Core
- Technology
- Pension Reform
- Teacher Dismissed

Various administrators were assigned specific topics. Their responses focused on what is happening in their own school district and /or school site. Every administrator from Region XI shared on these various issues. They were very well received by a Legislator or one of these staff members.

A Legislative Action preparation workshop was conducted on Sunday April 6. It consisted of a panel composed of moderators Sherry Skelly Griffith, Director and Adonai Mack, Legislative Advocate. Other panel members were Rick Pratt, Chief Consultant, Assembly Education Committee and Danny Alvarez, Staff Director, Senate Education Committee.

The ACSA Friend of Education Award was presented to Assembly Member Susan Bonilla (D 14, Concord)

Region XI participants met with various Legislators or their staff members on Monday afternoon; These included: Assemblyman Rudy Salas, Robert Smith, Legislation Director for Assemblywoman Shannon Grove and Deborah Gonzalez, Chief of Staff for Assemblywoman Connie Conway.

Senator Andy Vidak attended a luncheon meeting on Monday with Region XI's administrators.

The 2014 LAD was a very successful event. Various comments by Region XI's representatives were extremely positive. They can be located in this article.

Terri Rufert, Region XI Vice-President Legislative Action, is to be commended for her time, efforts and organization skills as she once again chaired this ACSA event.

Tim Hire was also awesome as he served as the group's facilitator.

### *"They Said It"* Quotes...

#### 2014 Legislative Action Day

*"I am very glad that I was able to be part of Region XI's team during the past two days. Being new to LAD, it was a great experience and I learned a lot. A big thank you to Terri and Tim for your leadership!"*  
**Lucy Van Scyoc**, High School Principal, Tulare Charter

*"What a great job everyone did presenting a clear message and relaying personal experiences to reinforce the positions. A special thanks to Terri for all the work and leadership. You Rock! For the rest of you, I am sure you do not hear it enough. Thank you as a parent of school age kids. Yesterday was a shining example of leadership with the right perspective. I am proud to be your colleague."*  
**Tim Hire**, Superintendent, Tulare Charter

*"It was another great experience for me personally and professionally. Our legislative action team is amazing and I was proud to stand with them in Sacramento."*  
**David M Bowling**, Elementary Principal, West Kern Charter

*"Thank you Terri and Tim for your leadership. I enjoyed the process and I was proud to be part of Region XI's LAD team!"*  
**Regina Green**, Middle School Principal, West Kern Charter

*"It was indeed a great experience and I never cease to be amazed at the sheer talent that we possess collectively and individually. The way the new LAD participants stepped in and contributed to the process was fantastic and our visits were well received by our representatives and their staff. Additionally, the camaraderie was nothing short of spectacular and the cohesiveness was really apparent."*  
**Rob Hudson**, Superintendent, Kings County Charter

*"It was another productive day for Region XI in Sacramento, thanks to the leadership of Terri Rufert and Tim Hire. Legislators or their aide listened attentively to what we had to say and appeared supportive in most cases. Our Region recognizes it is all about educating our legislation on issues important to the students in California and establishing common ground that is what eighteen of us where represented Region XI accomplished."*  
**David Tonini**, Executive Director, Region XI

## 2014 LEGISLATIVE ACTION DAY, SACRAMENTO, APRIL 7



*Assemblyman Rudy Salas (center) listens to Tim Hire, Superintendent Exeter UD, and Terri Rufert, Superintendent, Sundale, as they shared various issues with him.*



*Tom Addington, Superintendent, Central Union, and Region XI President, met with Senator Andy Vidak following a luncheon meeting with the Legislator.*



*Kimberly Rodriguez, State ACSA Advocate, attends Region XI's Sunday afternoon briefing session at the Sheraton.*



*Region XI's Administrators at the 2014 Legislative Action Day.*



*(L to R) Brad Maberry, Assistant Superintendent, Wasco Union and Tim Hire, Superintendent Exeter UD, share issues with Robert Smith, Legislative Director for Assemblywoman Shannon Grove.*



*Deborah Gonzalez, Chief of Staff for Assemblywoman Connie Conway discusses a point with Terri Rufert, Region XI Vice President - Legislative Action*

## REGION XI ANNUAL AWARDS LUNCHEON

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## REGION XI DELEGATE ASSEMBLY

**Date:** May 1, 2014

**Time:** 8:30 a.m.

**Location:** Hodel's Restaurant,  
Bakersfield, CA

**Who:** Delegates from each  
of 5 Charters

**What:** Election of State Director  
on ACSA Board

Election of Region XI  
Vice President Legislative  
Action

Installation of  
New Officers

**Tom Addington,**  
Region XI President, 2013-2014



Michael Hernandez, State ACSA Recruiter, welcomes four new ACSA members at Tulare Charter's Annual Winter Conference held at the Edison Education Center, Tulare on February 18th. (L to R) J. T. See, Irene Delcio, Michael Hernandez, Emily Rodriguez, Than Neese.



Mimi Bonds, Tulare Charter Board Member, gave out an array of door prizes at Tulare Charter Annual Winter Conference.

## TULARE CHARTER CONFERENCE FEATURES DR. KANOLD

Approximately 200 school administrators gathered at the Edison Education Center in Tulare on February 18th to hear Dr. Timothy D. Kanold give the keynote address.

Dr. Kanold's presentation focused on: "Teaching, leading and living in the flow of your PLC life." Dr. Kanold had each administrator list the leader who has the most positive influence in his/her life. They then were encouraged to list three words that best describe what this person contributes to their life.

*"We lead and influence from the middle,"* Dr. Kanold said.

*"It is important to learn how to pursue a balanced day-to-day personal and professional life,"* Dr. Kanold said.

He reminded attendees that energy, not time is the currency of high performance.

*"Poor relational leaders will drive skilled and motivated workers out of the profession, or even worse cause them to give discretionary effort,"* Dr. Kanold said.

He informed the administrators that 60 to 75 percent of employees indicated that the most stressful part of their job is their immediate supervisor.

*"Teachers and leaders inspire or demoralize others first by how they manage their own energy,"* Dr. Kanold said.

*"Next by how well they mobilize, focus, invest and renew the collective energy of those in their N-S-E-W sphere."*

Dr. Kanold shared five important strategies for leaders and their teams:

1. Establish clear goals
2. Limit the number of goals
3. Provide direct and immediate feedback
4. Monitor for balance
5. Support autonomy

Dr. Kanold was very well received by conference participants. He is an award winning educator, author and consultant. He received the prestigious International Dameu Award for outstanding contributor to the leadership field of education from Loyola University, Chicago.

This year's winter conference was chaired by Robert Groeber, Charter Vice President. Other features included: Entertainment provided by Dr. Guadalupe Solis, Assistant Superintendent, Instructional Services, TCOE, Social hour



*Dr. Timothy D. Kanold, Conference Keynote speaker, with Lora Haston, Tulare Charter President.*

with delicious Hors d'oeuvres, and vendor faire featuring 16 companies and business firms.

The Charter and vendors provided a number of very special door prizes. Mimi Bonds, ACSA Charter Secretary, chaired this very successful activity.

Jim Vidak, TCOE Superintendent of Schools and founding member Tulare County ACSA Charter, along with Lora Haston, Charter President, brought greetings and the welcome.

Robert Groeber, conference chair, reported that this year's conference showed a net fund of \$13,139. The fund will be used for student scholarships which the charter provides each year to Tulare County High School Seniors.



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Tulare County Charter, along with Kings County Charter sponsors a breakfast twice a year for retirees. Retired memberships are also discussed and encouraged. Ned Kehrl, Bob Line and Wade Crawford chair Tulare's retirees. Bill Black has chaired the Kings Charter retirees for a number of years.

Finally, Tulare County Charter has the services of Region XI's Executive Director who has given a very high priority toward membership.

David Tonini, Region XI Executive Director and retired administrator, Visalia Unified School District, continually stresses the importance of ACSA membership at the many meetings he attends at local Charters and the Regional level. His various remarks at these meetings always includes something focusing on ACSA membership.

*“ When Superintendent’s make membership in ACSA an expectation and the Charter recognizes the importance of organizing networking activities, membership in ACSA soars. That is what happened in Tulare Charter.”  
David Tonini*

It is interesting to note that 34% of the new administrators were principals, followed by assistant principals (24%), directors (12%), and dean of students (5%). The remaining (25%) composed a variety of administrator assignments.

In conclusion, this phenomenal growth in Tulare Charter has been the result of a team effort, involving a number of dedicated school administrators who believe in ACSA, both its vision and mission. These special “recruiters,” also are very willing to give many extra hours toward ACSA. They are to be commended as it has definitely paid dividends in Tulare County Charter.

*“Congratulations to the ACSA Tulare Region 11 Charter, for their excellence in increasing membership and providing service and collaboration to their administrators. The Tulare Charter has hosted numerous social events and encouraging non-members to attend their annual conference. Furthermore, Tulare has done an excellent job promoting ACSA and the benefits of the organization with their local superintendents encouraging members to join. Moreover, some districts are paying the dues for their administrators, which shows giving back is critical to success. Lastly, a group not always focused on is the retiree group. Tulare has been diligent in concentrating on their retiree group. Education is changing more than ever and we need all administrators to band together and support one another. Again, congratulations to the Tulare Charter for doing a great job in promoting ACSA and our motto, “Leadership Matters, Diversity Counts.”  
Jeff VanderNoor, Region XI Member Services*



*Some of the Region XI participants in the 2014 Legislative Action Day are waiting to meet with State Legislators.  
(L to R) Regina Areen, David Boling, Val Brown, Dick Schlagel, Melissa Christman, Kirsti Smith, Jose Morales,  
Lucy Van Soyoc, Don Clark, Craig Wheaton, Brad Mayberry, Tim Hire.  
(Missing) Terri Rufert, John Snavelly, Rob Hudson, David Tonini, Tom Addington.*

# ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETINGS

Charter	Date	Time	Location	Contact
East Kern	May 5, 2014	5:30 p.m.	TBD	Melissa Christman (760) 499-1690 mchristman@ssusd.org
West Kern	June 5, 2014	6:00 p.m.	Rio Bravo Bakersfield	Matt Diggie (661) 588-3550 madiggie@fruitvale.k12.ca.us
Kings County	May 16, 2014	TBD	TBD	Rob Hudson (559) 949-8413 robh@alpaugh.k12.ca.us
Tulare County	June 18, 2014	1:00 p.m.	Edison Education Center Tulare	Lora Haston (559) 782-5700 lhaston@alta-vista.k12.ca.us
Inyo/Mono	May 7, 2014	6:00 p.m.	Bishop, TBD	Don Clark (760) 932-7443 dclark@esusd.org
Region XI	May 1, 2014	8:30 a.m.	Hodels Restaurant Bakersfield	Tom Addington (559) 925-2619 darthhr@me.com

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## ACSA LEADERS VISIT REGION XI

Dr. Wesley Smith, our new State ACSA Executive Director, attended Region XI's Board Meeting on April 9th. Wes was 2008 Superintendent of the Year State ACSA. His last assignment before becoming ACSA's Executive Director was serving as superintendent at Morgan Hills. He gave a very informative update on ACSA's highlights. His state of ACSA view included an array of topics with ACSA's involvement:

1) Professional Development 2) Negotiations 3) Meetings with CTA 4) Technology 5) Best Practices for Charters and Regions 6) ACSA Chat 7) Partnerships 8) Rebates for Regions and 9) Recent Legislation.

Dr. Smith reported ACSA membership is increasing and indicated the value of "One Voice." Tom Addington, Region XI President, commended the board for the number of members attending to hear from our Executive Director. A total of 37 administrators were in attendance with West Kern Charter being awarded \$250 for their outstanding attendance of 21 members.



Dr. Wesley Smith



Dr. Randall Delling

Dr. Randall Delling is currently serving as state ACSA's President-Elect. He is an administrator in the Los Angeles Unified School District. He visited our Region on January 23rd. He also attended a Region XI Board Meeting the time he was a candidate for ACSA's Vice President.

At the January Region XI Board Meeting, Delling gave an update on State ACSA.

*"Mark Ecker, our State ACSA President, is doing a great job of increasing ACSA's influence throughout the state,"* Delling said. "I want to also thank you for your service to our organization."

Other areas shared with board members included: Legislation, Leadership Summit, State Membership and new Assigned State ACSA Personnel.

He also encouraged the administrators to keep in touch with other Regions and keep talking to Wes Smith, Executive Director. Randy will take office as our State ACSA President on July 1, 2014.

Dr. Ralph Porras, candidate for ACSA State Vice President attended the February 13, 2014 Region XI Board Meeting.

He is currently serving as superintendent, Pacific Grove Unified School District. Porras is also a member of the State ACSA Board of Directors representing Region XV.

*"As a veteran bilingual educator and administrator at every k-12 level, I have learned first hand how valuable and essential our association is to the vitality of public education in California,"* Porras said. *"Equally, I have discovered that greater benefit can be found through involvement and service."*

Porras shared various service highlights with the Region Board Members. Included in the highlights were a number of diverse educational experiences and credentials, dedicated contributions to ACSA by serving as current State Board Director, Region Vice President on Legislative Action, State Superintendency council, two years as member of Annual Leadership Summit planning committee, Region Officer and Charter President, etc.



Dr. Ralph Porras



Melissa Christman, East Kern Charter President, (L) expresses her thanks and appreciation to Laurie Stanton, Principal, Pierce School, Sierra Sands Unified School District for her presentation on the Common Core Pilot Testing Program conducted in Spring 2013. The Charter's meeting was held in Tehachapi on March 3rd.



Legislative Action Day activity... Attending Sundays briefing meeting sponsored by State ACSA.  
 Front (L to R) Dick Schlagel, Tom Addington, John Snavelly.  
 Back Row (L to R) Dave Tonini, Rob Hudson, Tim Hire, Lucy Von Scyoc, Terri Rufert, Melissa Christman, Kirsti Smith.

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# REGION XI CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## April 2014

- 6-7 Legislative Action Day, Sacramento
- 10 West Kern Charter, Hodels, Bakersfield 7:00 am
- 10 Region XI Board Meeting, Hodels, Bakersfield 8:30 am
- 11 Tulare Charter, Apple Annies, Tulare 7:00 am
- 22 Tulare Charter Retirees Breakfast, Apple Annies, Tulare 8:30 am
- 23 West Kern Charter Admin. Assistants Luncheon 11:30 am
- 23 Kings County Charter Admin. Assistants Luncheon
- 25 Tulare Charter's Annual ESS Breakfast 7:00 am
- 27 Tulare Charter's 2nd Annual Golf Tournament  
Valley Oaks Golf Course, Visalia
- 29 Kings County Charter Retiree's Breakfast, Lemoore 8:30 am


## May 2014

- 1 West Kern Charter Board Meeting, Hodels, Bakersfield TBD
- 1 Region XI Delegate Assembly, Hodels, Bakersfield 8:30 am
- 1 Region XI Annual Awards Luncheon,  
Hodels, Bakersfield 12:00 pm
- 2 Tulare Charter Recognition Dinner,  
White Horse Inn, Three Rivers 6:00 pm
- 5 East Kern Charter, TBD TBD

- 8 State ACSA Delegate Assembly, Sacramento
- 9 Tulare Charter Board Meeting, Apple Annies, Tulare 7:00 am
- 9 Hispanic Leadership Network, Marriot Hotel, Visalia 5:30 pm
- 16 Kings County Charter Board Meeting,  
Kings County Office of Education, Lemoore 7:00 am
- 16 Kings County Charter Election/Social TBD

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- 5 West Kern Charter Annual Awards Dinner,  
Rio Bravo, Bakersfield 6:00 pm
- 16 Region XI Annual Planning Retreat (Executive Board) 3:00 pm  
Kern County Superintendent of Schools Office, Bakersfield
- 17 Region XI Annual Planning Retreat 8:00 am  
Kern County Superintendent of Schools Office, Bakersfield
- 18 Tulare Charter Board Meeting, Election of Officers 7:00 am  
Edison Education Center, Tulare
- 18 Tulare County Office of Education, Tulare 8:00 am  
Charter ACSA Annual Summer Institute  
Edison Education Center, Tulare
- 30 2014-2015 Region XI Handbook information due



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