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## Response to Grand Jury Report

Report Title: Oversight of Charter Schools Authorized by Ventura County School Districts and the Ventura County
Office of Education

Report Date: April 6, 2020

Response by: Claudia Weintraub, Title: Director River Oaks Academy Charter

## Conclusions:

C-01: Cannot comment on that

C-02: Cannot comment on that

C-03: Cannot comment on that

C-04: Disagree: A VCOE representative attends most monthly board meetings and is fully aware of the operations

of our charter school.

#### Recommendations:

## R-01: Disagree

The timeline and the oversight are more than adequate and include annual visits; annual programmatic reports; monthly attendance of VCOE oversight staff at charter school board meetings; 2/year director meetings; regular correspondence

#### R-02:

Has been implemented.

## R-03: Disagree

VCOE conducts regular meetings for all charter school directors from the County. VCOE also conducts a variety of trainings, including trainings for Brown Act compliance for board members and charter school staff. Furthermore, VCOE is always and readily available for any questions and guidance county charter schools need.

## R-04: Disagree

The VCOE already has the Charter School Oversight Director attend each monthly board meeting and conduct annual site inspections as well as programmatic reports. We believe that this is consistent and sufficient oversight.

## R-05: Disagree

See above. We also have a very solid MOU in place with the VCOE in addition to our petition.

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Thank you.

Warmly, Claudia

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Hello,

Attached, please find our Responses to the 2019-2020 "Final Report-Charter School Implementation of State Mandated Sex Education-AB329" (April 2, 2020) and "Oversight of Charter Schools Authorized by Ventura County School Districts and the Ventura County Office of Education" (April 6, 2020).

Please don't hesitate to let me know if you have any questions. Warmly, Claudia

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