

**THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
MEETING AS A COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

March 17, 2009

The Regents of the University of California met on the above date at the Commons, Irvine Campus.

Members present: Regents Cole, Johnson, Ruiz, Schilling, and Shewmake

In attendance: Regents-designate Bernal and Nunn Gorman, General Counsel Robinson, Chief Compliance and Audit Officer Vacca, and Recording Secretary Smith

CAMPUS PRESENTATION: CAMPUS PHYSICAL OVERVIEW AND TOUR

Vice Chancellor for Administration Al Diaz and Assistant Vice Chancellor for Facilities Mike Miller led a tour of the Riverside campus. The tour included buildings and agricultural fields that date back to the campus' beginnings as a citrus experiment station established in 1907, buildings that date to the 1960s after Riverside was declared a general UC campus, and the west campus expansion where the new medical school will be sited. Several construction projects had been put on hold due to budget constraints. The tour also highlighted the campus' efforts at sustainability, including "xeriscape" landscaping at the recently opened Psychology building that features California native plants, and an artificial turf soccer field that saves approximately one million gallons of water annually. The campus' dining facilities use much of the produce and eggs produced by the campus as part of its research initiatives.

Attest:

Secretary and Chief of Staff