

APPROVED



New Heights Academy Charter School

Minutes

Board of Trustees Meeting

Special Meeting

Date and Time

Monday June 22, 2026 at 9:00 AM

Location

The meeting will be conducted virtually. Members of the public wishing to attend may do so virtually from classroom A16 at New Heights Academy Charter School, located at 1818 Amsterdam Avenue, New York, NY.

Trustees Present

A. Cummings (remote), D. Ortiz (remote), M. Anderson (remote), M. Vargas (remote), R. Zumaya (remote)

Trustees Absent

None

Guests Present

Christian Brown (remote), K. Valbrun (remote), L. Garcia (remote), Monte Chandler (remote), W. Ramos (remote)

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B.

Call the Meeting to Order

A. Cummings called a meeting of the board of trustees of New Heights Academy Charter School to order on Monday Jun 22, 2026 at 9:09 AM.

C. Community Comments

Three staff members addressed the Board to share current concerns related to special populations compliance and school culture. Staff also acknowledged that Dr. Valbrun is taking steps to address and correct the concerns raised.

II. Executive Session

A. Personnel & Legal Matters

At 9:20 AM, Amryll Cummings made a motion to enter Executive Session.
Megan Vargas seconded the motion.

At 12:23 PM, Megan Vargas made a motion to exit Executive Session.
Daniel Ortiz seconded the motion.

III. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 12:24 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
W. Ramos