



Western School of Science and Technology: CFA

Minutes

Meeting of the Board of Directors of Western

Date and Time

Thursday March 21, 2024 at 8:30 AM

Location

Notice of Public Meeting

of the Board of Directors of

Western School of Science and Technology: A Challenge Foundation Academy, Inc.

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Where: Western School of Science and Technology:

A Challenge Foundation Academy

6515 W. Indian School Rd.

Phoenix, AZ 85033

<https://wsst.zoom.us/my/jmakowske>

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When: Thursday, January 11th, 2024 8:30 a.m. Mountain Standard Time

The virtual location will be open 2 minutes prior to the start of the meeting. The in-person location will be open 30 minutes prior to the start of the meeting.

Directors Present

A. Ballesteros (remote), B. Stratford (remote), E. Yndigoyen, M. McWenie (remote), M. Sandoval (remote)

Directors Absent

A. Tanori, J. Kaprosy

Directors who arrived after the meeting opened

E. Yndigoyen

Ex Officio Members Present

J. Makowske

Non Voting Members Present

J. Makowske

Guests Present

Adrian Espana, Adrian Espana, Kevin Camberg, L. Trevizo, T. Crisler (remote)

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance and Guests

B. Call the Meeting to Order

M. Sandoval called a meeting of the board of directors of Western School of Science and Technology: CFA to order on Thursday Mar 21, 2024 at 8:37 AM.

C. Read Mission Statement

J.Makowske read mission statement

D. Call to the Public

No public comments

II. Consent Agenda

A. Consideration of Previous Meeting Minutes: 2/09/2024

M. McWenie made a motion to approve the minutes from Meeting of the Board of Directors of Western (Virtual) on 02-09-24.

A. Ballesteros seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

A. Ballesteros Aye

E. Yndigoyen Absent

B. Stratford Aye

A. Tanori Absent

M. McWenie Aye

J. Kaprosy Absent

M. Sandoval Aye

B. Approval of Revised Calendar FY25

M. McWenie made a motion to approve revised calendar FY25 in consent agenda.

A. Ballesteros seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

A. Tanori Absent

Roll Call

E. Yndigoyen Absent
A. Ballesteros Aye
J. Kaprosy Absent
B. Stratford Aye
M. McWenie Aye
M. Sandoval Aye

III. Finance

A. Discussion and Consideration of Financial Statements & Vouchers

T.Crisler presented February 2024 financial statements & vouchers
E. Yndigoyen arrived at 8:42 AM.
M. McWenie made a motion to approve the February 2024 financial statements & vouchers.
E. Yndigoyen seconded the motion.
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

B. Stratford Aye
M. McWenie Aye
A. Tanori Absent
A. Ballesteros Aye
M. Sandoval Aye
J. Kaprosy Absent
E. Yndigoyen Aye

B. Presentation of Finance Committee Report

No updates

IV. Governance

A. Presentation of Governance Committee Report

No updates

B. Presentation and Consideration of WSST's Single Audit FY23

Kevin Camberg presented WSST's Single Audit FY23 report
B. Stratford made a motion to approve the FY23 Audit Report.
M. McWenie seconded the motion.
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

M. Sandoval Aye
A. Ballesteros Aye
B. Stratford Aye

Roll Call

E. Yndigoyen Aye
J. Kaprosy Absent
M. McWenie Aye
A. Tanori Absent

C. Presentation and Consideration of Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA) and WSST Internet Safety Policies

J.Makowske & H.Parrish presented Children's Internet Protection Act & WSST Internet Safety Policies

B. Stratford made a motion to approve WSST Internet Safety Policies to be CIPA compliant.

A. Ballesteros seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

M. Sandoval Aye
A. Tanori Absent
J. Kaprosy Absent
M. McWenie Aye
E. Yndigoyen Aye
A. Ballesteros Aye
B. Stratford Aye

D. Discussion and Consideration of Retaining Recruitment Firm for FY25 School Director Search

J.Makowske presented

E. Presentation of Fence Quotes

L.Trevizo presented fence quotes

V. CEO Support and Evaluation

A. Presentation of Parent Mid-Year Survey Results

A.Espana presented parent mid-year survey results

B. Presentation of the Superintendent's Report

J.Makowske presented Superintendent's report

C. Presentation of Superintendent's Goals for FY24

J.Makowske presented Fy24 Superintendent's Goals

VI. Development

A. Presentation of Development Committee Report

No updates

B. Discussion of Board Contribution to Y10 Event

Using GiveLively platform for donations

Event date: Friday May 3, 2024

VII. Challenge Foundation Properties Update

A. Presentation of Challenge Foundation Properties Update

No updates

VIII. Closing Items

A. Meeting Feedback

M.Sandoval provided meeting feedback

B. Summary of Action Items

- March 27, 2024. 4pm - succession planning meeting
- Suggestions from parent survey
- A.Ballesteros & J.Makowske develop toolkit for fundraising

C. Next Meeting Date & Agenda

Next board meeting: April 18, 2024

D. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 10:25 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. Trevizo