



# ZEST Preparatory Academy Charter School

## Minutes

### Board Meeting

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**Date and Time**

Monday February 9, 2026 at 7:00 PM

**Location**

ZEST Preparatory Academy  
3130 Golf Ridge Boulevard  
Douglasville, GA 30135

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**Directors Present**

B. Jones, C. James, H. Ridley, R. Palmer

**Directors Absent**

A. Joiner, A. Olugbala, S. Rankin

**Ex Officio Members Present**

M. Carruthers

**Non Voting Members Present**

M. Carruthers

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**I. Opening Items****A. Record Attendance****B.**

### Call the Meeting to Order

B. Jones called a meeting of the board of directors of ZEST Preparatory Academy Charter School to order on Monday Feb 9, 2026 at 7:03 PM.

## II. Governance

### A. ZEST Preparatory Academy Charter Contract

The Board of Directors discussed the meeting with the SCSC on February 5, 2026 regarding the ZEST Preparatory Academy charter contract.

### B. ZEST Preparatory Academy Charter

H. Ridley made a motion to Surrender the ZEST Preparatory Academy Charter effective June 30, 2026.

R. Palmer seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

C. James	Aye
A. Olugbala	Absent
B. Jones	Aye
H. Ridley	Aye
S. Rankin	Absent
A. Joiner	Absent
R. Palmer	Aye

## 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 8:06 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
B. Jones

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*ZEST Preparatory Academy Charter School is a K-5 elementary school community that provides an academically rigorous, supportive, and joyful learning environment to develop the leader inside every student for lifelong educational achievement and impactful community service.*