

Equitas Academy Charter School

Board Meeting

Date and Time Thursday September 24, 2020 at 6:00 PM PDT

Location

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Agenda

I. Opening Items

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- A. Record Attendance and Guests
- B. Call the Meeting to Order
- **C.** Approve Minutes

Approve minutes for Board Meeting on August 27, 2020

II. Public Comment

A. Public Comment

III. Brown Act

A. Brown Act Training

Janelle Ruley to provide Brown Act Training for board members.

IV. Consent

A. Learning Continuity Plan Approval

The Learning Continuity Plan is intended to balance the needs of all stakeholders, including educators, parents, students, and community members, while both streamlining engagement and condensing several preexisting plans. In particular, it was important to combine (1) the intent behind Executive Order N-56-20, published in April 2020, which envisioned an off cycle Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) due December 15th, and (2) the ongoing need for LEAs to formally plan to return to school in the midst of the uncertainty and of COVID-19, without requiring two plans. The Learning Continuity Plan replaces the LCAP for the 2020–21 school year.

B. Facilities Modification Loan for Covid 19 Readiness

PCSD is offering interest-free loans of up to \$50K to a select group of schools in our portfolio to assist with getting facilities ready for school in the fall. The loan term is 0% interest for 24 months. Equitas #1, Equitas #2, and Equitas #3 would each be eligible for a loan under this program. The board of directors authorizes its COO, Margaret M Ford to sign the documents necessary to execute this loan on their behalf.

V. Org Updates

A. CEO Update

CEO will update Board on the State of Organization and its focus on equity.

VI. Leader Support And Eval

A. CEO Eval and Support Update

Committee will provide an update on CEO Evaluation and support schedule.

VII. Finance

A. Adoption of SY20-21 Budget

The Board will review and adopt the FY20-21 revised budget for Equitas Academy Charter School Inc. inclusive of Equitas Academy, Equitas #2, Equitas #3, Equitas #4, Equitas #5, Equitas #6, and the Network Office.

B. Board Review of Monthly 2020 Financials

Review of July and August 2020 Financial Package, including Income Statements, Balance Sheet, Cash Flow, Variance Analysis, and Check Register. Overview of the impact of COVID19 on FY20 revenues and spending.

C. Finance Committee Goals

Committee to present FY20-21 goals.

VIII. Academic Accountability

- A. Academic Accountability Committee Goals
 Committee to present FY20-21 goals.
- B. Student Engagment

Committee to present student engagement to board.

IX. Resource Development

- A. Resource Development Committee Goals
 Committee to present FY20-21 goals.
- B. FY21 "Get"

Discuss the plan and status for FY21 "Get."

X. Governance

A. Governance Committee Goals
 Committee to present FY20-21 goals.

XI. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting