



# Elgin Math & Science Academy

# Minutes

EMSA Board of Directors Meeting

via Google HangOuts

Date and Time Thursday April 16, 2020 at 8:00 AM

## Location

Join Hangouts Meet meet.google.com/drr-njwv-kks Up to 250 participants Meeting ID meet.google.com/drr-njwv-kks Phone Numbers (US) +1 510-939-0459 PIN: 253 678 143#

## **Directors Present**

A. Gray (remote), B. Pinon (remote), C. Sherman (remote), D. Haight (remote), G. Swick (remote), K. Kelly (remote), K. Shaw, M. Gibb (remote)

## **Directors Absent**

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**Directors who arrived after the meeting opened** C. Sherman, K. Shaw

**Ex Officio Members Present** 

L. Fuhr (remote)

#### **Non Voting Members Present**

L. Fuhr (remote)

#### **Guests Present**

F. Bisconti (remote)

#### I. Opening Items

#### A. Record Attendance and Guests

#### B. Call the Meeting to Order

K. Kelly called a meeting of the board of directors of Elgin Math & Science Academy to order on Thursday Apr 16, 2020 at 8:03 AM.

#### C. Public Comment

#### **D.** Approve Minutes

G. Swick made a motion to approve the minutes from EMSA Board of Directors Meeting on 03-19-20.

- A. Gray seconded the motion.
- G. Swick- 2/20/2020 Board Meeting Minutes
- A. Gray 2nd-- Passed

G. Swick- 3/31/2020 Special Meeting Minutes

A. Gray 2nd-- Passed

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

#### E. FOIA Report

No FOIA requests in the month of March

#### F. Community Crew

G. Swick led the discussion- what lessons have you learned during this Shelter in Place?

#### II. Principal's Report

#### A. Principal's Report

L. Fuhr led the discussion

#### **Remote Learning**

#### III. Governance

- A. Open Meetings Act Suspension Continues
- B. Succession Planning--Board Policy Proposals
- C. Governance During Covid-19 Pandemic

#### D. Board Resolution to Amend Charter Agreement

A. Gray made a motion to approve asking the commission for an increase in enrollment for up to 500 & the use of the other campus buildings.

G. Swick seconded the motion.

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

#### **IV. Finance**

#### A. CFO Report

- F. Bisconti led the discussion
- A. Gray asked for the budget to be broken out by week through August

K. Kelly asked F. Bisconti & L. Fuhr for 5 major cost-saving changes they can recommend.

- K. Shaw arrived.
- C. Sherman arrived.

# B. Finance Committee Update and/or Recommendation for Debt Capacity and Instruments

C. Budget 2020-21

#### V. Master Plan Committee

#### A. Master Plan Update

M. Gibb led the discussion

#### B. Wheeler Kearns Architects and IFF

#### **VI. Development**

#### A. Development Committee Update

- B. Pinon led the discussion
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#### **Capital Campaign**

#### **VII. Board Goals**

#### A. Board on Track Success Goals

#### B. Other Board Goals

Discuss amending bylaws to add emergency provisions, charter commission recommendations, removal of the executive committee & minor additional changes.

#### C. Board Assessment Results

#### VIII. Closing Items

#### A. Adjourn Meeting

G. Swick made a motion to adjourn.

A. Gray seconded the motion.

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

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 9:48 AM.

Respectfully Submitted, D. Haight