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# Amethod Public Schools

## Minutes

### Regular Meeting of the AMPS Board of Directors

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#### **Date and Time**

Wednesday June 16, 2021 at 6:00 PM

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This meeting will be by teleconference pursuant to Executive Orders N-25-20 and N-29-20.

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**Directors Present**

G. Lopez Jr. (remote), G. Nuno (remote), J. Azubuike (remote), M. Gonzalez (remote), N. Driver (remote), P. Hanley (remote)

**Directors Absent**

D. Garcia, E. Quiroz

**Guests Present**

L. Romo

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**I. Opening Items**

**A. Call the Meeting to Order**

P. Hanley called a meeting of the board of directors of Amethod Public Schools to order on Wednesday Jun 16, 2021 at 6:12 PM.

**B. Roll Call**

**C. Announcements**

Sylvia Flores makes announcement about the JHHS Annual Scholarship Fundraiser. Xochitl Arechiga & Kiara Jackson announce the OCHS Class of 2011 10 Year Reunion Fundraiser. Bianca Forrester gives an AMPS Farewell.

**II. Closed Session (Government Code 5457.7)**

**A. Disclosure of Items to be Discussed**

Board Chair Hanley announces the items to be discussed during closed session.

**B. Public Comment on Closed Session**

No public comments were made.

**C. Recess to Closed Session**

**D.**

**Public Employee Evaluation / Discussion, Position: Chief Executive Officer  
(Government Code Section 54957)**

- E. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-- ANTICIPATED LITIGATION Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to Paragraph (2) or (3) of subdivision (d) of Section 54956.9: One case**
- F. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL-- ANTICIPATED LITIGATION Significant exposure to litigation pursuant to Paragraph (2) or (3) of subdivision (d) of Section 54956.9: One case**
- G. Reconvene from Closed Session**

The Board took no reportable action during closed session.

**III. Public/Board Comments**

**A. Public Comment**

Parents speak about their experience at parent university and the trip they took on a boat around the SF bay.

**IV. Consent Agenda**

**A. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes 4/21/2021**

These minutes require more work and will be brought back to the next meeting for approval.

**B. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes 5/19/2021**

**C. Approval of Special Board Meeting Minutes 05/19/2021**

**D. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes 06/02/2021**

**E. Uniform/Dress Code Policy**

N. Driver made a motion to Approval of the consent agenda with the exception of items A and G. With proviso that itme F will be approved as a final version.

G. Lopez Jr. seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

N. Driver	Aye
J. Azubuike	Aye
G. Lopez Jr.	Aye
G. Nuno	Absent
E. Quiroz	Absent

**Roll Call**

D. Garcia Absent

M. Gonzalez Aye

P. Hanley Aye

**F. Student Tutoring Program Policy**

Item pulled

**G. Approval of Education for Foster & Mobile Youth Policy**

Item pulled.

**H. Approval of Section 504 Policy, Procedures, and Parent Rights Regarding Identification, Evaluation and Education**

**I. Amended 2021-2022 Oakland School Calendars**

**J. Approval of Renewal Contract with BoardOnTrack**

**K. Approval of Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) Contract Renewal (3 Years)**

**V. Business**

**A. CEO Report**

Evelia Villa thanks the Board and will present more information during her yearly report.

**B. AMPS End of Year Report**

**C. Approval of the 2021-2022 Local Control Accountability Plans (LCAP) and Review of CA School Dashboard Local Indicators**

N. Driver made a motion to approve the LCAPs.

G. Lopez Jr. seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

E. Quiroz Absent

P. Hanley Aye

N. Driver Aye

G. Lopez Jr. Aye

J. Azubuike Aye

D. Garcia Absent

M. Gonzalez Aye

G. Nuno Absent

**D. Finance Update**

Kelly Ellis makes her presentation.

**E. Approval of FY 2021-2022 Budget**

G. Lopez Jr. made a motion to approve the FY 2021-2022 Budget as presented.

J. Azubuike seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

D. Garcia Absent  
P. Hanley Aye  
E. Quiroz Absent  
G. Lopez Jr. Aye  
N. Driver Aye  
M. Gonzalez Aye  
G. Nuno Absent  
J. Azubuike Aye

**F. Approval of EdTec Contract**

This item is pulled as more discussion is necessary.

**G. 2021-2022 Board Meeting Calendar**

N. Driver made a motion to approve the Board meeting calendar as presented.

M. Gonzalez seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

J. Azubuike Aye  
G. Lopez Jr. Aye  
D. Garcia Absent  
P. Hanley Aye  
E. Quiroz Absent  
N. Driver Aye  
M. Gonzalez Aye  
G. Nuno Absent

**H. 2021-2022 Board Elections**

Mr. Hanley nominates Gilbert Lopez Jr. Mr. Driver nominates Nick Driver Mr. Lopez accepts the nomination. Mr. Driver nominates Ms. Gonzalez for Vice Chair. Ms. Gonzalez nominates Mr. Driver as Vice Chair. Ms. Gonzalez declines the nomination.

There are four positions open and four Board members on the call. The Board decides to bring the other positions to a later meeting.

**VI. 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 9:29 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
P. Hanley

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