



Amethod Public Schools

Minutes

Special Meeting of the AMPS Nominating Committee

Date and Time

Tuesday February 25, 2025 at 5:30 PM

Location

1450 Marina Way South, Richmond CA 94804

The Nominating Committee of Board of Directors (Board) and employees of Amethod Public Schools will be holding this meeting in person at 1450 Marina Way South, Richmond, CA 94804.

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Committee Members Present

E. Gallegos, E. Quiroz, M. Moncada

Committee Members Absent

None

Guests Present

A. Barnes, G. Barriga

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

E. Quiroz called a meeting of the Nominating Committee of Amethod Public Schools to order on Tuesday Feb 25, 2025 at 5:42 PM.

II. Nominating Committee

A. Discussion and Action to Recommend to the AMPS Board New Board members

E. Gallegos made a motion to Recommend to the AMPS Board New Board members.
M. Moncada seconded the motion.

In our January Board Meeting it was stated that we would be adding more Board members, and a Nominating Committee was formed. The members of this Nominating

Committee is Edgar Quiroz, Elisa Gallegos, and Monica Moncada. Elisa and Monica interviewed Jorge Lerma, who is a lifelong educator born and raised in Oakland, his most latest role being the OUSD Board Member. Both Elisa and Monica feel that his ties to the community and the Board Experience will be a great asset in expanding our board. Monica adds that Jorge's passion for the children in the community reigned through, and it was enjoyable to talk to him. Edgar states that he has known Mr. Lerma for about 35 years, knowing him as the principal of his children's learning center. He feels he would be a great asset with his history and experience in the Oakland Unified School District. Adrienne Barnes, Acting Chief Executive Officer adds that, in accordance to our bylaws, she met with Jorge Lerma and she agrees that he would be a great asset. The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

Roll Call

E. Quiroz Aye
M. Moncada Aye
E. Gallegos 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 5:46 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
E. Quiroz

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