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# Hogan Preparatory Academy

## Minutes

### Hogan Preparatory Academy Board of Directors Meeting

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#### Date and Time

Monday August 25, 2025 at 5:30 PM

#### Location

Notice is hereby given that the Hogan Preparatory Academy Board will conduct a Board Meeting at 5:30 PM on Monday, August 25, 2025 at Hogan Preparatory Academy Main Office, at 1331 E Meyer Boulevard, Kansas City, MO.

#### Join Zoom Meeting

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### **Directors Present**

Daniel Smith (remote), Erin Lenihan (remote), Joel Ritchie (remote), Natalie Lewis (remote), Pokam Ngomsi (remote)

### **Directors Absent**

Danielle Binion

### **Guests Present**

Andrea Robinson (remote), Ashley Minter (remote), Dana Cutler (remote), Elvin Barchers (remote), Janice Thomas (remote), Kimberlee Highland (remote), LaDonna Johnson (remote), Patricia Allen (remote), Paul Farrington (remote), Paul Greenwood (remote), Porsche Seals (remote), Simone Chambers (remote), Tamara Burns (remote)

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## **I. Opening Items**

### **A. Record Attendance and Guests**

### **B. Call the Meeting to Order**

Natalie Lewis called a meeting of the board of directors of Hogan Preparatory Academy to order on Monday Aug 25, 2025 at 5:41 PM.

### **C. Adoption of Agenda**

Daniel Smith made a motion to Adopt the agenda.

Pokam Ngomsi seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Daniel Smith Aye  
Erin Lenihan Aye  
Natalie Lewis Aye  
Pokam Ngomsi Aye  
Danielle Binion Absent  
Joel Ritchie Aye

**D. Comments from Public**

**E. Comments from the Board President**

**F. Comments from the Executive Director**

Ladonna Johnson:

- Thanks for support
- Budget for 850; now at 852

**II. Consent Agenda**

**A. Approve July 28th HPA BOD Minutes**

Natalie Lewis made a motion to approve the minutes from Hogan Preparatory Academy Board of Directors Meeting on 07-28-25.

Pokam Ngomsi seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Danielle Binion Absent  
Joel Ritchie Aye  
Erin Lenihan Aye  
Natalie Lewis Aye  
Pokam Ngomsi Aye  
Daniel Smith Aye

**B. Approve August 15th HPA BOD Governance Committee Meeting minutes**

Per Dana Cutler, cmte meeting minutes should be approved at the cmte meetings; minutes will be moved back to the cmte for approval.

**C. Approve August 13th HPA BOD Academic Committee Meeting Minutes**

Per Dana Cutler, cmte meeting minutes should be approved at the cmte meetings; minutes will be moved back to the cmte for approval.

**D. Approve July 17th HPA BOD Finance Committee Meeting Minutes**

Per Dana Cutler, cmte meeting minutes should be approved at the cmte meetings; minutes will be moved back to the cmte for approval.

**E. Approve HPA BOD HR Report**

Natalie Lewis made a motion to Approve the HPA BOD HR report.

Pokam Ngomsi seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Danielle Binion Absent

Erin Lenihan Aye

Joel Ritchie Aye

Daniel Smith Aye

Natalie Lewis Aye

Pokam Ngomsi Aye

**III. HPA BOD Finance Committee**

**A. HPA Finance Committee Report**

Natalie Lewis made a motion to Approve the HPA Finance Committee Report.

Erin Lenihan seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Danielle Binion Absent

Daniel Smith Aye

Erin Lenihan Aye

Pokam Ngomsi Aye

Joel Ritchie Aye

Natalie Lewis Aye

**B. Approve Expenses**

Natalie Lewis made a motion to Approve expenses.

Erin Lenihan seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Danielle Binion Absent

Erin Lenihan Aye

Daniel Smith Aye

Natalie Lewis Aye

Joel Ritchie Aye

Pokam Ngomsi Aye

**IV. HPA BOD Academic Committee**

**A.**

### **HPA Comprehensive School Improvement Plan**

Daniel Smith made a motion to Approve the HPA BOD Academic Committee Report.

Erin Lenihan seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Joel Ritchie Aye  
Danielle Binion Absent  
Erin Lenihan Aye  
Daniel Smith Aye  
Pokam Ngomsi Aye  
Natalie Lewis Aye

### **B. HPA Recruitment & Enrollment Updates**

Ladonna Johnson presented information on enrollment and staff recruitment.

## **V. HPA BOD Governance Committee**

### **A. Election of 2025-26 HPA BOD Officers**

Daniel Smith made a motion to Table the Election of 2025-25 HPA BOD Officers until September meeting.

Erin Lenihan seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Joel Ritchie Aye  
Danielle Binion Absent  
Daniel Smith Aye  
Pokam Ngomsi Aye  
Erin Lenihan Aye  
Natalie Lewis Aye

### **B. HPA BOD Policies**

Natalie Lewis made a motion to Approve the HPA BOD Policies.

Erin Lenihan seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Natalie Lewis Aye  
Joel Ritchie Aye  
Pokam Ngomsi Aye  
Danielle Binion Absent  
Erin Lenihan Aye  
Daniel Smith Aye

### **C.**

### **Hogan Contract Amendment**

Natalie Lewis made a motion to Approve the HPA Contract Amendment.

Erin Lenihan seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Daniel Smith	Aye
Natalie Lewis	Aye
Pokam Ngoms	Aye
Danielle Binion	Absent
Joel Ritchie	Aye
Erin Lenihan	Aye

### **VI. Old Business**

#### **A. Operations Update (Bond)**

Paul Farrington presented bond updates.

### **VII. New Business**

#### **A. HPA Marketing Plan**

Ashley Minter presented the HPA Marketing Plan.

- Impact to social media, local press
- Increase positive press for staff recruitment and enrollment

#### **B. Caring for Kids-Community Partnership**

Porsche Seals, CFKN: Information on the partnership.

### **VIII. Closing Items**

#### **A. Motion to Go into Closed Session**

#### **B. Motion to Adjourn to General Session**

#### **C. Adjourn Meeting**

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 7:01 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Natalie Lewis