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# Making Waves Academy

## Minutes

### June Board Meeting

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#### Date and Time

Monday June 10, 2024 at 11:00 AM

#### Location

In-person at:

Making Waves Academy  
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Richmond, CA 94806

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### **Directors Present**

Alicia Malet Klein, Amy Obinyan, Esther Hugo, Jessica Laughlin (remote), Layla Naranjo, Margaret Watson

### **Directors Absent**

Janis Glover

### **Guests Present**

Alton B. Nelson Jr., Bryann Fitzpatrick, Edeson Beredo, Tameka Jackson

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## **I. Opening Items**

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

Alicia Malet Klein called a meeting of the board of directors of Making Waves Academy to order on Monday Jun 10, 2024 at 11:02 AM.

### **B. Record Attendance**

### **C. Remarks by Board President**

Board president made remarks regarding the amount of work done since the school year started, and how exciting it has been to see the progress by the end. The board president also noted that today's meeting will focus on college and career readiness.

### **D.**

### **Public Comment**

An employee read his farewell letter to the community.

## **II. Closed Session**

### **A. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release**

The board met in closed session to discuss personnel issues. No action was taken.

## **III. Standing Reports**

### **A. Mission Connection: CCC Year in Review**

The board received and update on the impressive college admission and acceptance data from the CCC director and watched a video featuring CCC highlight activities this year: Submission Day, Sonoma State Visit, Harvard Presentation, Allen Matkins Law Firm Field trip, and Decision Day.

### **B. ASB Update -- No presentation at June board meeting**

There is no ASB presentation at this board meeting, because the students are on summer vacation.

### **C. Deep Dive: College & Career Success Program Update**

MWEF CEO Patrick O'Donnell and MWEF VP of Student Success Dr. Kristina Wright provided a deep dive into the College & Career Success Program framework, benefits, and outcomes data. Board members asked questions and made comments about the types of support students receive from the foundation, how students plan their courses, how they are accepted into the program, how parents can support the foundation in the college admission process and what the early career support is like. Board members suggested proactive information for parents, especially first generation students as well as creating a stable of video statements from Wave-Makers in their first year of college, which could be shared each year with seniors.

### **D. Q&A on Written School Report**

Board members had questions and comments about the written report related to SBAC testing results, faculty collaboration, mental health skill building for 5th and 6th graders, Teacher of the Year awards, ASB election results and other student leadership opportunities, and goals/focus areas for next year.

### **E. Q&A on Written Chief Executive Officer Report (CEO)**

Board members had questions and comments about the CEO's report regarding the communication of progress/new systems to students and parents, the intersection of the DEI and Culture and Climate committees, measuring the effectiveness of MTSS adoption, and the date of the CCCOE candidate forum.

**F. Chief Operating Officer Report (COO)**

Board members will note any comments or questions that they would like sent to the COO for follow-up, since the COO was absent.

**G. Q&A on Written Finance Report**

Board President noted that the Finance Advisory Committee recommends that the board approve the FY 24-25 budget.

**H. Break**

The board took a 5 minute break.

**IV. Non-Action Items**

**A. Board Work and Advisory Committee Updates**

Board Member Esther Hugo provided an update on the Curriculum Review and Instruction Advisory Committee spring meeting, as well as progress to WASC goals (now part of the LCAP).

**B. Local Indicators**

MWA CEO Alton Nelson and Principal Dr. Tameka Jackson led the review of data for the local indicators. Board members had questions and comments about the presentation related to the LCFF Priorities 2 (State Standards), 3 (Parent Involvement), and 6 (School Climate). Praise was shared over LCFF priority 7 (Course Access) and the AP enrollment rate.

**V. Action Items**

**A. Charter Petition 2025-2030**

The action item was pulled from the agenda and will be voted on during the next board meeting, once final legal review has occurred.

Board members did express support for the key changes proposed in the charter renewal petition, including removal of the sibling preference, based in part on data analysis of mock lottery runs and a desire for all local low income students to have the same chance to receive the opportunities MWA provides. The data showed increased racial diversity and a higher percentage of FRPM students would be achieved.

**B. Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) 2024-2027**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Layla Naranjo seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Alicia Malet Klein Aye  
Esther Hugo Aye  
Layla Naranjo Aye  
Jessica Laughlin Aye  
Amy Obinyan Aye  
Janis Glover Absent  
Margaret Watson Aye

**C. Student Chromebook Replacements**

Margaret Watson made a motion to approve.

Jessica Laughlin seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Jessica Laughlin Aye  
Esther Hugo Aye  
Layla Naranjo Aye  
Janis Glover Absent  
Margaret Watson Aye  
Amy Obinyan Aye  
Alicia Malet Klein Aye

**D. Addendum and renewal quotes for the PowerSchool SIS and Unified Classroom Behavior products**

Margaret Watson made a motion to approve.

Layla Naranjo seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Janis Glover Absent  
Margaret Watson Aye  
Layla Naranjo Aye  
Esther Hugo Aye  
Jessica Laughlin Aye  
Alicia Malet Klein Aye  
Amy Obinyan Aye

**E. TalkSpace**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Margaret Watson Aye  
Janis Glover Absent  
Jessica Laughlin Aye  
Esther Hugo Aye  
Layla Naranjo Aye  
Alicia Malet Klein Aye  
Amy Obinyan Aye

**F. Cisco Smartnet Annual Renewal Agreement**

Margaret Watson made a motion to approve.

Layla Naranjo seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Layla Naranjo Aye  
Jessica Laughlin Aye  
Margaret Watson Aye  
Esther Hugo Aye  
Alicia Malet Klein Aye  
Amy Obinyan Aye  
Janis Glover Absent

**G. MWA 2024-25 Budget**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Jessica Laughlin seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Amy Obinyan Aye  
Jessica Laughlin Aye  
Esther Hugo Aye  
Margaret Watson Aye  
Janis Glover Absent  
Layla Naranjo Aye  
Alicia Malet Klein Aye

**H. Pacheco's Cleaning Service**

Layla Naranjo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Esther Hugo Aye  
Margaret Watson Aye  
Janis Glover Absent



**Roll Call**

Layla Naranjo Aye

Jessica Laughlin Aye

Amy Obinyan Aye

Alicia Malet Klein Aye

**I. Seneca**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Jessica Laughlin seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Alicia Malet Klein Aye

Janis Glover Absent

Jessica Laughlin Aye

Amy Obinyan Aye

Margaret Watson Aye

Esther Hugo Aye

Layla Naranjo Aye

**J. Cross Country Education**

Amy Obinyan made a motion to approve.

Layla Naranjo seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Esther Hugo Aye

Amy Obinyan Aye

Janis Glover Absent

Jessica Laughlin Aye

Alicia Malet Klein Aye

Layla Naranjo Aye

Margaret Watson Aye

**K. Cornerstone Solutions**

Layla Naranjo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Margaret Watson Aye

Esther Hugo Aye

Janis Glover Absent

Amy Obinyan Aye

Alicia Malet Klein Aye

Layla Naranjo Aye

**Roll Call**

Jessica Laughlin Aye

**L. SPG Therapy & Education**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Amy Obinyan seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Layla Naranjo Aye

Esther Hugo Aye

Janis Glover Absent

Jessica Laughlin Aye

Alicia Malet Klein Aye

Amy Obinyan Aye

Margaret Watson Aye

**M. Anchor Counseling**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Layla Naranjo seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Esther Hugo Aye

Layla Naranjo Aye

Jessica Laughlin Aye

Margaret Watson Aye

Janis Glover Absent

Alicia Malet Klein Aye

Amy Obinyan Aye

**N. Instruction Partners**

Amy Obinyan made a motion to approve.

Esther Hugo seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Alicia Malet Klein Aye

Janis Glover Absent

Layla Naranjo Aye

Amy Obinyan Aye

Margaret Watson Aye

Esther Hugo Aye

Jessica Laughlin Aye

**O. Master Contract for NPA/S**

Margaret Watson made a motion to approve.

Amy Obinyan seconded the motion.

Interim Director of SPED clarified the difference between this item and item I - Seneca.

Item I is approving a service that will benefit the wider school population. Item O is approving a service for specific students.

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

**Roll Call**

Esther Hugo	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye

**P. 2024-25 Education Protection Account (EPA)**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Jessica Laughlin seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Margaret Watson	Aye
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Layla Naranjo	Aye

**Q. 2024-25 CharterSafe Workers Compensation Insurance**

Margaret Watson made a motion to approve.

Layla Naranjo seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Amy Obinyan	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye

**R. Approve Gallagher insurance coverages for 2024-25**

Layla Naranjo made a motion to approve.  
Amy Obinyan seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

Margaret Watson	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent

**S. Bank Signers Resolution**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.  
Layla Naranjo seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

Esther Hugo	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Margaret Watson	Aye

**VI. Consent Action Items**

**A. Academic Calendar 2023-2024 Revised for Emergency School Closure**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.  
Margaret Watson seconded the motion.  
All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.  
The board **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye

**B. Academic Calendar 2024-2025 Revised**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye

**C. Academic Calendar 2025-2026 School Year**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Amy Obinyan	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent

**D. Vendor invoices for April 2024**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

Combined number for fiscal impact and was struck from the record.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Amy Obinyan	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent

**E. 2024-25 Consolidated Application and Reporting System (CARS) for Funding**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Janis Glover	Absent
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye
Amy Obinyan	Aye

**F. 5C MOU**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Margaret Watson	Aye

**G. CIF Representative to League**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Amy Obinyan	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye

**H. Approve Minutes: May 6, 2024 Board Meeting**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve the minutes from May Board Meeting on 05-06-24.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Margaret Watson	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent
Amy Obinyan	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye

**I. Approve Minutes: May 20, 2024 WASC Meeting**

Esther Hugo made a motion to approve the minutes from WASC Committee Meeting on 05-20-24.

Margaret Watson seconded the motion.

All items in section VI. Consent Action Items were voted on together.

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

**Roll Call**

Amy Obinyan	Aye
Jessica Laughlin	Aye
Alicia Malet Klein	Aye
Esther Hugo	Aye
Layla Naranjo	Aye
Margaret Watson	Aye
Janis Glover	Absent

**VII. Discussion Items**

**A. Appreciations by the Board of Directors**

Board members and school leaders expressed appreciations, including recognizing Dr. Hugo's 10 years of board service.

**B. Board of Directors Meetings Overview for 2024-2025**

September 9 (4 - 7 pm)  
October 21 (4 - 7 pm)  
December 9 (11 am - 2pm)  
January 27 (11 am - 2pm)  
March 10 (4 - 7 pm)  
May 5 (4 - 7 pm)  
June 16 (11 am - 2pm)

## **VIII. 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 1:56 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Edeson Beredo