



# Camino Nuevo Charter Academy

## Minutes

### CNCA Regular Board Meeting

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#### Date and Time

Tuesday February 21, 2023 at 4:00 PM

#### Location

Topic: CNCA Regular Board Meeting 02/21/23

Time: Feb 21, 2023 04:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

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### **Directors Present**

C. Garcia Alvarado (remote), C. Smet (remote), D. Gidlow (remote), E. Lopez (remote), G. Flores (remote), T. Powers (remote)

### **Directors Absent**

A. Jimenez Villareal, J. Ortega, L. Jennings

### **Guests Present**

A. Abich (remote), A. Munder (remote), A. Skrumbis (remote), Beth Michelson (remote), Cecilia Baza (remote), Charleen Mendoza (remote), Dan Ardell (remote), Denise Flores (remote), Diana Pena (remote), E. Bacilio (remote), J. Cohn (remote), Jessica Cohn (remote), John Lemmo (remote), Justin Berry (remote), Karissa Inuganti (remote), L. Michael Russell (remote), Laura Farrel (remote), Margarita Domingo (remote), Maria Luisa Hernandez (remote), Michelle Vazquez (remote), N. Barriga (remote), N. Cabrel (remote), Rachel Hazlehurst (remote), Rodolfo Rodriguez (remote), Sonia Oliva (remote)

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## **I. Opening Items**

### **A.**

## **Record Attendance**

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

D. Gidlow called a meeting of the board of directors of Camino Nuevo Charter Academy to order on Tuesday Feb 21, 2023 at 4:03 PM.

## **II. Approve Minutes**

### **A. Approve 01-17-23 CNCA Regular Board Meeting Minutes**

C. Smet made a motion to approve the minutes from CNCA Regular Board Meeting on 01-17-23.

C. Garcia Alvarado seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

J. Ortega	Absent
E. Lopez	Aye
L. Jennings	Absent
T. Powers	Aye
C. Smet	Aye
D. Gidlow	Aye
G. Flores	Aye
C. Garcia Alvarado	Aye
A. Jimenez Villareal	Absent

## **III. Public Comment**

### **A. 2 - Minute limit per speaker**

The following educators addressed the BOD meeting:

- Charleen Mendoza, first grade teacher from the Castellanos campus
- Laura Farrel from the Dalzell Lance campus and President of the CN Teachers Association

## **IV. Consent Agenda**

### **A. Student Accountability Report Card (SARC)**

C. Smet made a motion to approve all items contained in the consent agenda.

T. Powers seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

C. Garcia Alvarado	Aye
D. Gidlow	Aye

**Roll Call**

T. Powers	Aye
G. Flores	Aye
A. Jimenez Villareal	Absent
L. Jennings	Absent
J. Ortega	Absent
C. Smet	Aye
E. Lopez	Aye

**B. Update on CA Dashboard**

C. Smet made a motion to approve all items contained in the consent agenda.

T. Powers seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

L. Jennings	Absent
C. Smet	Aye
G. Flores	Aye
C. Garcia Alvarado	Aye
D. Gidlow	Aye
E. Lopez	Aye
J. Ortega	Absent
A. Jimenez Villareal	Absent
T. Powers	Aye

**C. Achievement Network (A Net) Agreement**

C. Smet made a motion to all items contained in the consent agenda.

T. Powers seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

C. Smet	Aye
L. Jennings	Absent
D. Gidlow	Aye
J. Ortega	Absent
G. Flores	Aye
T. Powers	Aye
A. Jimenez Villareal	Absent
C. Garcia Alvarado	Aye
E. Lopez	Aye

**V. Resuming In-Person Board Meetings**

**A. Resuming In-Person Board Meetings**

Natasha Barriga, VP Strategy and Operations shared the new policy and processes related to resuming in person board meetings.

## VI. Financials

### A. December 2022 Financials

Sonia Oliva, VP ExED, shared updated financial information.

### B. FY 22-23 Audit Firm Selection

D. Gidlow made a motion to approve the Audit firm selection.

C. Smet seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

G. Flores	Aye
C. Smet	Aye
A. Jimenez Villareal	Absent
C. Garcia Alvarado	Aye
L. Jennings	Absent
E. Lopez	Aye
T. Powers	Aye
J. Ortega	Absent
D. Gidlow	Aye

## VII. Finance Committee Update - Bond

### A. Bond Resolutions

C. Smet made a motion to approve the updated bond resolutions.

D. Gidlow seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

J. Ortega	Absent
C. Smet	Aye
A. Jimenez Villareal	Absent
C. Garcia Alvarado	Aye
T. Powers	Aye
L. Jennings	Absent
G. Flores	Aye
E. Lopez	Aye
D. Gidlow	Aye

## VIII. Governance

### A. Brown Act Training

John Lemmo presented the mandatory annual Brown Act training to CNCA board members.

## **IX. Closed Session**

### **A. Public Employee Performance Evaluation CEO G.C. 54957(b)(1)**

The Board moved into closed session at 5:16PM.

The following PNEDG Members joined the closed session:

5:20PM L. Michael Russell

5:25PM Beth Michelson

5:26PM Dan Ardell

The Board returned to open session at 6:26PM.

No action was taken.

## **X. CEO Compensation**

### **A. CEO Compensation**

C. Smet made a motion to approve the updated CEO compensation package.

G. Flores seconded the motion.

The CEO's compensation package was amended as follows based on their performance evaluation for SY 2021-2022:

1. Salary was increased from \$203,290.00 to \$218,537.00.
2. Employment contract was extended through SY 2025-2026.

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

#### **Roll Call**

E. Lopez	Aye
D. Gidlow	Aye
J. Ortega	Absent
L. Jennings	Absent
A. Jimenez Villareal	Absent
C. Garcia Alvarado	Aye
T. Powers	Aye
C. Smet	Aye
G. Flores	Aye

## **XI. 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 6:29 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
E. Lopez