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# Rooted School - New Orleans

## Minutes

### Special Board Meeting: Proposed 2026-27 Budget for The Rooted School

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**Date and Time**

Wednesday May 6, 2026 at 12:00 PM

**Location**

6701 Press. Drive, New Orleans, LA, 70001

Rose Room on the 1st floor of the College of Education and Human Development, located on SUNO's campus.

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**MEETING NOTIFICATION**

**Wednesday, May 6, 2026  
12:00 P.M. Central Time**

***IN PERSON MEETING:***

Rooted School  
6701 Press Drive  
SUNO School of Education & Human Development

ROOM : Rose Room

***VIRTUAL OPTION:***

If you wish to join the meeting virtually:

When: **Wednesday, May 6, 2026 @ 12:00 P.M.**

\*You must register at least 24 hours in advance for this meeting if you wish to participate virtually. You may contact the Rooted School Main Office at 504-383-4654 or email us at [frontoffice@rootedschool.org](mailto:frontoffice@rootedschool.org)

Frank Ingargiola is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.  
Topic: Rooted School Board of Directors Meeting

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Time: **Wednesday, May 6, 2026 @ 12:00 P.M.** Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/2559449115?pwd=Zy9veWdGS3Q3Q3Z5UjBsa2JVUzNYUT09>

**PUBLIC NOTICE:**

Pursuant to emergency proclamation 30-JCE 2020, the Rooted School New Orleans Board hereby certifies that it will conduct all meetings scheduled for 2025 - 2026, in person (unless otherwise designated), at 6701 Press Dr. in the College of Education Building & Human Development on SUNO's campus in the Social Hall (Room 106) on the 1st Floor.

Board meetings shall be held in this manner until further notice.

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**Directors Present**

A. Alexis, H. Campbell, M. Quinn, N. Patrick

**Directors Absent**

B. Shelling, J. Flint, S. Glapion

**Ex Officio Members Present**

F. Ingargiola

**Non Voting Members Present**

F. Ingargiola

**Guests Present**

J. Daschbach, K. Karpinski

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**I. Opening Items**

**A. Record Attendance**

Board has quorum for this special public budget hearing.

**B. Call the Meeting to Order**

M. Quinn called a meeting of the board of directors of Rooted School - New Orleans to order on Wednesday May 6, 2026 at 12:06 PM.

**II. PUBLIC MEETING PORTION: DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**A.**

## **PUBLIC BUDGET MEETING - Budget**

This is the second public session for the fiscal 2026 - 2027 budget.

- Joe Daschbach of EdOps reviewed the final budget projections against enrollment projections.
- The budget forecast looks more reliable for the upcoming school year and student enrollment projected at 148 students.
- There was a conversation regarding additional contributions to L.A.M.P.
- There was a discussion of per-pupil expenditures for the current year and the forecast for the upcoming year.

### **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 1:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
M. Quinn

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#### **Documents used during the meeting**

- FY27\_PrelimBudget\_2026.04.22.pdf

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