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## Community School for Creative Education

### Minutes

#### CSCE Board Meeting

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##### **Date and Time**

Wednesday August 13, 2025 at 6:30 PM

##### **Location**

CSCE

2111 International Blvd.

Oakland, CA 94606

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 869 1819 8760

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##### **Rudolf Steiner, Motto of Social Ethics, 1920 (at end of first full year of first Waldorf School founded 1919)**

The healing social life is found when in the mirror of each human being the whole community finds its reflection, and when in the community the strength of each one is living.

La vida social saludable se encuentra cuando en el espejo de cada ser humano la comunidad entera se encuentra reflejada y en la comunidad vive la virtud de cada uno.

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尋找到健康之社交生活, 就是當每個人對著鏡子 能從整個社區的影像中找 到自己的反映, 這樣在社區內每人都能活 出精彩。

Heilsam ist nur, wenn Im Spiegel der Menschenseele sich bildet die ganze Gemeinschaft Und in der Gemeinschaft Lebet der Einzel Seele Kraft

## **Objective and 5 BIG GOALS**

*CSCE annual objective is reaching 80% proficiency in ELA and Math for all student groups grades 3-8 measured by NWEA MAP.*

*To achieve this school-wide objective over the next two years, the CSCE has FIVE BIG GOALS*

**Goal #1:** Develop Waldorf-inspired, Common Core-aligned and equity-focused curriculum;

**Goal #2:** Test and document Waldorf-inspired, Common Core-aligned practices as measured in student and adult learning outcomes;

**Goal #3:** Maintain a well-operated school environment in Operations, HR and Budget;

**Goal #4:** Maintain effective community outreach (including parents, community partners, policy and research community); and

**Goal #5:** Launch long-term fundraising strategy for scale-up with financial stability

## **BOARD MEMBERS**

1. America Foy
2. Anastasia Prentiss
3. Martha Candido
4. William Kappenhagen

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### **Directors Present**

A. Foy, A. Prentiss, B. Kappenhagen, C. Michaud, E. Stampley, M. Candido (remote)

### **Directors Absent**

*None*

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## **I. Opening Items**

**A.**

**Call the Meeting to Order**

A. Prentiss called a meeting of the board of directors of Community School for Creative Education to order on Wednesday Aug 13, 2025 at 6:30 PM.

**B. Record Attendance**

**C. Land Acknowledgement**

Dr. Prentiss read the land acknowledgment.

**D. Agenda Approval**

A. Foy made a motion to approve for the August 13, 2025 Board meeting with the removal of Ind. Studies program policy from packet.

M. Candido seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

A. Foy           Aye

A. Prentiss      Aye

B. Kopenhagen Aye

M. Candido      Aye

**E. Public Comment**

no public comment

**II. Closed Session**

**A. Closed Session - Public Employment Head of School**

Closed session to discuss the Head of School position

**B. Closed Session Report Out**

**III. Consent Agenda**

**A. Approve Minutes - July 17, 2025**

B. Kopenhagen made a motion to approve the minutes from July 17, 2025 CSCE Special Board Meeting on 07-17-25.

A. Prentiss seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

A. Foy           Aye

B. Kopenhagen Aye

E. Stampley     Aye

A. Prentiss      Aye

**Roll Call**

M. Candido      Aye  
C. Michaud      Aye

**B. Check Register - July 2025**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve check registry.

E. Stampley seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

A. Prentiss      Aye  
A. Foy            Aye  
C. Michaud      Aye  
M. Candido      Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Aye  
E. Stampley      Aye

**IV. Governance**

**A. Brown Act Training**

presentation by Kevin Davis, Procopio to Board and interested parties on the Brown Act

**B. Co-Head of School Agreement Approval**

C. Michaud made a motion to enter into contract with Shipp, Thiera to assist in head of school search.

E. Stampley seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
C. Michaud      Aye  
A. Prentiss      Abstain  
A. Foy            Aye  
M. Candido      Aye  
E. Stampley      Aye

**C. 25-26 Family Handbook**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve the 2025-26 Family Handbook.

M. Candido seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

A. Prentiss      Abstain  
M. Candido      Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain

**Roll Call**

E. Stampley     Aye  
C. Michaud     Aye  
A. Foy           Aye

**D. 25-26 Employee Handbook**

C. Michaud made a motion to Approve 2025-26 Family Handbook.  
M. Candido seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

C. Michaud     Aye  
A. Prentiss     Abstain  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
A. Foy           Aye  
M. Candido     Aye  
E. Stampley     Aye

**E. 25-26 Medical Benefits Renewal**

A. Foy made a motion to Approve 2025-26 Medical Benefits Renewal policy.  
E. Stampley seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

C. Michaud     Aye  
A. Prentiss     Abstain  
E. Stampley     Aye  
M. Candido     Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
A. Foy           Aye

**F. 25-26 Self-Harm Policy**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve 2025-26 self harm policy.  
E. Stampley seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

A. Prentiss     Abstain  
M. Candido     Aye  
E. Stampley     Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
A. Foy           Aye  
C. Michaud     Aye

**G. 25-26 Title IX Policy**

A. Foy made a motion to approved 2025-26 Title 9 policy.

M. Candido seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
C. Michaud Aye  
A. Foy Aye  
E. Stampley Aye  
A. Prentiss Abstain  
M. Candido Aye

**H. 25-26 Suicide Prevention Policy**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve Suicide Prevention Policy for SY 25-26.  
M. Candido seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

A. Foy Aye  
A. Prentiss Abstain  
C. Michaud Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
E. Stampley Aye  
M. Candido Aye

**I. 25-26 Student Free Speech Policy**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve 2025-26 Student Free Speech Policy.  
M. Candido seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

A. Prentiss Abstain  
A. Foy Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
E. Stampley Aye  
M. Candido Aye  
C. Michaud Aye

**J. CSCE Conflict of Interest Code 25-26**

M. Candido made a motion to approve Conflict of Interest Code for 25-26.  
C. Michaud seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

M. Candido Aye  
A. Prentiss Abstain  
E. Stampley Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain

**Roll Call**

A. Foy           Aye  
C. Michaud      Aye

**K. CSCE Uniform Complaint Policy 25-26**

M. Candido made a motion to approve policy for SY25-26.

A. Foy seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

E. Stampley     Aye  
A. Prentiss      Abstain  
C. Michaud      Aye  
B. Kappenhagen Abstain  
M. Candido      Aye  
A. Foy           Aye

**L. CSCE Harassment, Intimidation, Discrimination and Bullying Policy 25-26**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve policy for SY25-26.

A. Foy seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

E. Stampley     Aye  
A. Foy           Aye  
M. Candido      Aye  
A. Prentiss      Abstain  
C. Michaud      Aye  
B. Kappenhagen Abstain

**V. Academic Excellence**

**A. Head of School Report**

report by head of school

**B. Independent Study Plan 25-26**

**C. Swing Education Contract 2025-2026**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve policy for SY25-26.

M. Candido seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

A. Foy           Aye  
C. Michaud      Aye

**Roll Call**

M. Candido Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
E. Stampley Aye  
A. Prentiss Abstain

**D. ProCare Therapy Contract**

A. Foy made a motion to approve contract for SY25-26.

E. Stampley seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
E. Stampley Aye  
C. Michaud Aye  
A. Prentiss Abstain  
A. Foy Aye  
M. Candido Aye

**E. The Education Team 25/26**

M. Candido made a motion to approve contract for SY25-26.

A. Foy seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

M. Candido Aye  
C. Michaud Aye  
A. Prentiss Abstain  
A. Foy Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain  
E. Stampley Aye

**F. Ascend Therapy 25/26**

M. Candido made a motion to approve policy for SY25-26.

C. Michaud seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

A. Prentiss Abstain  
E. Stampley Aye  
M. Candido Aye  
A. Foy Aye  
C. Michaud Aye  
B. Kopenhagen Abstain

**G. Adriana San Millan 25/26**



M. Candido made a motion to approve contract for SY25-26.

C. Michaud seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

M. Candido	Aye
A. Foy	Aye
E. Stampley	Aye
A. Prentiss	Abstain
C. Michaud	Aye
B. Kopenhagen	Abstain

**H. BrightBee Agreement 25-26**

C. Michaud made a motion to approve policy for SY25-26.

M. Candido seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

C. Michaud	Aye
B. Kopenhagen	Abstain
A. Foy	Aye
A. Prentiss	Abstain
E. Stampley	Aye
M. Candido	Aye

**VI. Finance**

**A. 25-26 Fiscal Policies & Procedures**

M. Candido made a motion to approve policy for SY25-26.

C. Michaud seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

B. Kopenhagen	Abstain
E. Stampley	Aye
A. Foy	Aye
M. Candido	Aye
A. Prentiss	Abstain
C. Michaud	Aye

**VII. 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 10:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
B. Kopenhagen

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