

GEO Academies EBR

Minutes

GEO BR Board Meeting

May Board Meeting

Date and Time

Tuesday May 5, 2026 at 5:00 PM

Location:

2121 N. Sherwood Forest Dr.

Baton Rouge, LA 70815

THE GEO ACADEMIES MISSION is to EMPOWER students to ACCELERATE their academic pathways to ADVANCE their social mobility and ACHIEVE their career and life-long goals.

[Meeting Link](#)

Directors Present

B. Lilly, D. Dixon, D. Slan, D. Williams, J. Miller, L. Triggs, N. Frank

Directors Absent

J. Lewis

Guests Present

B. Hunt, C. Ebey, D. Teasley, Jamal Abdulrasheed, K. Forbes, K. Pitts (remote), K. Teasley, S. Norman

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

B. Lilly called a meeting of the board of directors of GEO Academies EBR to order on Tuesday May 5, 2026 at 5:08 PM.

C. Approve Minutes

D. Williams made a motion to approve the minutes from GEO BR Board Meeting on 01-13-26.

D. Slan seconded the motion.

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

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D. Slan seconded the motion.

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

II. Superintendent Report

A. BR Update

Update regarding the GEO schools around testing (dibels), academics, financial risk assessments, financial disclosure forms.

Board to follow-up with property holding board members.

B. Approval of 2026-2027 Academic Calendar

D. Slan made a motion to to approve calendar as presented.

D. Dixon seconded the motion.

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

III. Finance

A. Presentation of 2026-2027 Draft Budget

Presentation from Kelly Forbes presenting the proposed budgets for 2026-2027 for GEO Prep Academy, GEO Next Generation High School, and GEO Prep Mid-City.

IV. Other Business

A. Litigation

Board move into Executive Session

Motion made by Derek Williams and Seconded by Daisy Slan

Motion passed unanimously

Update provided

B.

Review student expulsion

D. Williams made a motion to Move into Executive Session.

D. Slan seconded the motion.

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

C. Review student expulsion

V. 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 6:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

C. Ebey