

APPROVED



Gabriella Charter Schools

Minutes

Board Meeting

Date and Time

Monday May 2, 2016 at 6:00 PM

Location

Gabriella Charter School: 1435 Logan Street, Los Angeles, CA 90026

Agenda was posted at designated locations before Friday, April 29 before 6pm.

Ian Guidera maybe attending remotely at: 5057 Southridge Ave, Windsor Hills, CA 90043

Conference Call Line, if used, by phone: United States +1.860.970.0010 Access Code 171-496-018#

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Directors Present

Andrew Kin, Angelica Solis-Montero, Cindy Gauger, Colin Allen, Devy Schonfeld, Ian Guidera (remote), Michelle Kelrick, Paola Santana, Susan Gurman

Directors Absent

None

Directors who arrived after the meeting opened

Cindy Gauger

Guests Present

Malcolm Brown (remote)

I. Opening Items**A. Record Attendance and Guests**

Board Members Present:

Colin Allen
Michelle Alpert (arrived 6:23 p.m.)
Ian Guidera (called in at 6:15 p.m.)
Susan Gurman
Andrew Kin
Paola Santana
Devy Schonfeld
Angelica Solis

Guests Present:

Rhonda Baldenegro
Liza Bercovici
Malcolm Brown
Yolanda Jordan
Julia Miele
Tammy Stanton
Lindi Williams

B. Call the Meeting to Order

Paola Santana called a meeting of the board of directors of Gabriella Charter Schools to order on Monday May 2, 2016 at 6:06 PM.

II. Public Comments

A. Members of the public may comment for up to 2 minutes per speaker.

Julia Miele invites board meeting attendees to the Gala on June 26, 2016
Cindy Gauger arrived.

III. Consent Agenda

A. Approve 3/7/16 Board Meeting Minutes

Susan Gurman made a motion to approve minutes as amended to reflect fact that Devy Schonfeld was in attendance at the March 7, 2016 board meeting Board Meeting on 03-07-16.

Angelica Solis-Montero seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Colin Allen	Aye
Susan Gurman	Aye
Devy Schonfeld	Aye
Cindy Gauger	Aye
Ian Guidera	Aye
Andrew Kin	Aye
Paola Santana	Aye
Angelica Solis-Montero	Aye
Michelle Kelrick	Aye

B. Approve School Dashboard

Cindy Gauger made a motion to Approve the School Dashboard.

Andrew Kin seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Andrew Kin	Aye
Ian Guidera	Aye
Devy Schonfeld	Aye
Michelle Kelrick	Aye
Colin Allen	Aye
Paola Santana	Aye
Angelica Solis-Montero	Aye
Susan Gurman	Aye
Cindy Gauger	Aye

C. Approve 16-17 Instructional Minutes

Susan Gurman made a motion to approve.

Angelica Solis-Montero seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Andrew Kin	Aye
Susan Gurman	Aye
Cindy Gauger	Aye
Angelica Solis-Montero	Aye
Paola Santana	Aye
Devy Schonfeld	Aye
Ian Guidera	Aye
Michelle Kelrick	Aye
Colin Allen	Aye

D. Approve 16-17 School Calendar

Susan Gurman made a motion to approve.

Angelica Solis-Montero seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Colin Allen	Aye
Devy Schonfeld	Aye
Susan Gurman	Aye
Cindy Gauger	Aye
Paola Santana	Aye
Ian Guidera	Aye
Michelle Kelrick	Aye
Angelica Solis-Montero	Aye
Andrew Kin	Aye

IV. Reports and Items for Discussion and Approval

A. Approve February and March 2016 Financials

Cindy Gauger made a motion to approve.

Andrew Kin seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Ian Guidera	Aye
Colin Allen	Aye
Cindy Gauger	Aye
Devy Schonfeld	Aye
Susan Gurman	Aye
Angelica Solis-Montero	Aye
Andrew Kin	Aye
Paola Santana	Aye

Roll Call

Michelle Kelrick Aye

B. Approve February and March 2016 Check Registers

Cindy Gauger made a motion to approve.

Andrew Kin seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Devy Schonfeld Aye

Colin Allen Aye

Susan Gurman Aye

Michelle Kelrick Aye

Ian Guidera Aye

Andrew Kin Aye

Cindy Gauger Aye

Angelica Solis-Montero Aye

Paola Santana Aye

C. Principal's Report: Charter Oversight

Yolanda Jordan also shared her positive impressions of the Charter Oversight Visit

D. Academic Excellence Committee Report

Board heard report by Committee Chair Michelle Alpert

E. Governance Committee Report: Debrief ED Evaluation Process.

Board heard report by Committee Chair Angelica Solis

F. GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE: MOTION TO APPROVE BOARD SERVICE AGREEMENT

Susan Gurman made a motion to Approve.

Michelle Kelrick seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Ian Guidera Aye

Angelica Solis-Montero Aye

Devy Schonfeld Aye

Michelle Kelrick Aye

Paola Santana Aye

Andrew Kin Aye

Cindy Gauger Aye

Colin Allen Aye

Susan Gurman Aye

G. Board Motion to Approve Colin Allen to Finance Committee

Paola Santana made a motion to Approve.

Angelica Solis-Montero seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Paola Santana	Aye
Susan Gurman	Aye
Michelle Kelrick	Aye
Colin Allen	Aye
Devy Schonfeld	Aye
Ian Guidera	Aye
Angelica Solis-Montero	Aye
Cindy Gauger	Aye
Andrew Kin	Aye

H. Finance Committee Report: Review highlights of 16-17 draft budget

Board heard report by Committee Chair Cindy Gauger, supplemented by comments from Tammy Stanton

I. Discussion and Approval of 14-15 GCS Tax Return

Paola Santana made a motion to Approve.

Angelica Solis-Montero seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Colin Allen	Aye
Cindy Gauger	Aye
Paola Santana	Aye
Andrew Kin	Aye
Ian Guidera	Aye
Michelle Kelrick	Aye
Susan Gurman	Aye
Devy Schonfeld	Aye
Angelica Solis-Montero	Aye

J. TGF - GCS MOU: discuss

Board heard report from Executive Director Liza Bercovici

K. Adjourn to Closed Session: Board Chair announce closed session items.

L. CLOSED SESSION: CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - ANTICIPATED LITIGATION

M.

Return to Open Session: Board Chair to announce any action taken in closed session, if any.

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 8:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Liza Bercovici