



Urban Montessori Charter School

Regular Board Meeting

Amended on August 23, 2021 at 3:04 PM PDT

Date and Time

Thursday August 26, 2021 at 6:15 PM PDT

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PER GOVERNOR NEWSOM'S EXECUTIVE ORDER N-08-21 DATED JUNE 11, 2021 ([WHICH IS HERE IN ITS ENTIRETY](#)): THIS WILL BE A VIRTUAL-ONLY MEETING.

Members: Loren Bentley Tammero, Olivia Couch, Jan Faraguna, Christina Greenberg, Greg Klein, Davis Leung, Hae-Sin Thomas, Stacey Wang

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Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			6:15 PM
A. Call the Meeting to Order		Davis Leung	1 m
This meeting is being audio-recorded.			
B. Record Attendance		Greg Klein	1 m
C. Review of Action/Discussion Items	Discuss	Davis Leung	1 m
With input from the board, the Chair may decide, based upon a number of factors, to reorder the action/discussion items to best suit the needs of the meeting. No additional action/discussion items will be added at this time.			
D. Board and Community Appreciations		Davis Leung	5 m
Members of the Board and UMCS community may provide appreciations and affirmations during this time.			
E. Board Member Comment		Davis Leung	5 m
Any board member wishing to speak to an issue regarding UMCS that does not pertain to an agenda item may do so at this time. No further discussion or action will take place following each board member's comments.			
F. Presentations from the Floor		Davis Leung	10 m
PRESENTATIONS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS – Any person wishing to speak to any item not on the agenda will be granted three minutes to make a presentation. Speakers requiring translation shall have double time.			
<i>“What if [we] listened to others so deeply that they felt loved, accepted, and safe in [our] presence, no matter what they had to say?” -- Steve Shapiro, Author</i>			
II. Head of School Report			6:38 PM
The Head of School and their designees will present topics of interest to the Board and the general public.			
A. Head of School Report	Discuss	Krishna Feeney	25 m
Report topics this meeting may include:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updates from Summer Extended Learning 2. Updates from the start of the School Year 3. Recent and upcoming events 4. Summer Professional Learning 5. Renewal 			

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6. Enrollment			
III. Finance Committee			7:03 PM
A. Discussion Item - Committee Report, including year to date financial report Close of 2020-2021 fiscal year. Most recent year-to-date financial report through July 31, 2021 is available in the "Documents" of this meeting.	Discuss	Stacey Wang	15 m
B. Vote to accept the 2020-2021 Unaudited Actuals	Vote	Greg Klein	5 m
IV. Academic Oversight Committee			7:23 PM
A. Discussion Item - Committee Report	Discuss	Hae-Sin Thomas	15 m
V. Family Advisory Council			7:38 PM
A. Committee Report	Discuss	Loren Bentley Tammero	15 m
VI. Executive & Governance Committee			7:53 PM
A. Discussion Item: Committee Updates, including candidates for board service, Form 700, and training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Form 700 • Board member recruitment • Leader evaluation process updates • Board Clearance process 	Discuss	Christina Greenberg	10 m
B. Board and committee officers and members As needed, the Board may take action to change its officers, as well as committee membership and leadership.	Vote	Greg Klein	5 m
VII. Other Business			8:08 PM
A. Oakland and California Updates Updates and current events related to Oakland USD, Alameda County Office of Education, and California, and potential implications for UMCS.	Discuss	Hae-Sin Thomas	10 m
B. Approve Minutes from June 24, 2021 Regular Meeting	Approve Minutes	Greg Klein	1 m

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C. Action Item - Vote on General Consent Report	Vote	Davis Leung	3 m

General Consent Report for August 26, 2021

1. [UMCS Family Handbook](#)
2. [UMCS Employee Handbook](#)
3. [Annual Notices to Families](#)
4. [Comprehensive School Safety Plan](#)
5. [COVID-19-related Safety Plans / Family Handbook Addendums](#)
6. [Independent Study Board Policy](#) [update to comply with AB130]
7. [COVID-19 Air Quality Policy](#)
8. [Leave of Absence Policy](#)

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D. Collect New Business items for Future Meetings	Discuss	Davis Leung	5 m
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VIII. Closed Session 8:27 PM

A. Closed Session Items	Discuss	Davis Leung	15 m
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Public Employee Performance Evaluation - Head of School

"Closed Session" is always agendized ahead of time as a "Discuss" item. If any votes are taken during any Closed Session, those are reported out publicly upon return to Open Session.

IX. Return to Open Session 8:42 PM

A. Report out of any closed session action(s)	Vote	Davis Leung	1 m
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X. Closing Items 8:43 PM

A. Adjourn Meeting	FYI	Davis Leung	1 m
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