



Urban Montessori Charter School

Special Board Meeting

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Date and Time

Friday December 22, 2023 at 12:15 PM PST

Location

4551 Steele Street, Oakland, CA 94619. Ring the front bell or call/text 510-290-4005 for entry. Signage on campus will direct you to the correct room, generally the Head of School's Office.

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Members: Kara Fortuna, Greg Klein, Sarah Morrill (Chair), Amy Ng, Ann Rhodes, Donald Williams

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Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			12:15 PM
A. Call the Meeting to Order		Sarah Morrill	
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B. Record Attendance		Greg Klein	1 m
C. Review of Action/Discussion Items	Discuss	Sarah Morrill	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 Member Comment		Sarah Morrill	2 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.			
E. Presentations from the Floor		Sarah Morrill	5 m

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<p>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. Comments should refer to matters within the jurisdiction of this committee.</p>			

“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

II. Special Meeting Action Items	12:24 PM
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There are two brief action items that the Board will consider prior to the Winter Break.

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| <p>A. Approve Minutes from December 11, 2023 Special Meeting</p> | Approve
Minutes | Greg Klein | 1 m |
| <p>B. Vote on Lease Agreement for 2024-2026</p> <p>This is a discussion and vote on a two-year lease agreement between OUSD and UMCS for 2024-2025 and 2025-2026 in lieu of Proposition 39.</p> | Vote | Krishna Feeney | 5 m |

III. Closing Items	12:30 PM
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| <p>A. Adjourn Meeting</p> | FYI | Sarah Morrill | |
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