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## Urban Montessori Charter School

### Minutes

#### Special Board Meeting

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**Date and Time**

Monday December 11, 2023 at 2:30 PM

**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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#### **Directors Present**

A. Rhodes, G. Klein, K. Fortuna, S. Morrill

#### **Directors Absent**

A. Ng, D. Williams

#### **Guests Present**

K. Feeney

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### **I. Opening Items**

#### **A. Call the Meeting to Order**

S. Morrill called a meeting of the board of directors of Urban Montessori Charter School to order on Monday Dec 11, 2023 at 2:31 PM.

#### **B. Record Attendance**

#### **C. Review of Action/Discussion Items**

No changes needed.

#### **D. Board Member Comment**

No board comments on items not on the agenda.

#### **E.**

## Presentations from the Floor

No public comments on items not on the agenda.

## II. Special Meeting Action Items

### A. Approve Minutes from November 30, 2023 Regular Meeting

K. Fortuna made a motion to approve the minutes from Regular Board Meeting on 11-30-23.

A. Rhodes seconded the motion.

No questions or public comments on this item.

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

#### Roll Call

S. Morrill Aye  
K. Fortuna Aye  
D. Williams Absent  
A. Ng Absent  
G. Klein Aye  
A. Rhodes Aye

### B. Vote on First Interim Report

K. Fortuna made a motion to approve the First Interim Report.

G. Klein seconded the motion.

Krishna shared the First Interim Report and reviewed the financial numbers for this year's forecast and the next two fiscal years. There were no questions or public comments on this item.

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

#### Roll Call

S. Morrill Aye  
A. Ng Absent  
D. Williams Absent  
G. Klein Aye  
A. Rhodes Aye  
K. Fortuna Aye

### C. Vote to Accept the Audit for School Year 2022-2023

A. Rhodes made a motion to accept the Audit of 2022-2023.

K. Fortuna seconded the motion.

Krishna shared the Audit report for 2022-2023. There were no findings on this year's audit. Greg appreciated Krishna and her team for their work on getting everything organized for the auditors. There were no other public comments or questions on this item.

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

**Roll Call**

A. Rhodes Aye  
A. Ng Absent  
D. Williams Absent  
S. Morrill Aye  
G. Klein Aye  
K. Fortuna Aye

**III. 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 2:38 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
G. Klein

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**Documents used during the meeting**

- UMCS\_FY24\_1st\_Interim\_Financials.pdf
- UMCS Audit for 2022-2023.pdf

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