



Alpha Public Schools

Minutes

Board Meeting

Date and Time

Wednesday April 22, 2020 at 5:30 PM

Location

This Board meeting complies with Executive Order N-25-20 regarding teleconferencing.

Topic: APS Board Meeting

Time: Apr 22, 2020 05:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

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7. If you have any questions or need any assistance in participating in the Alpha Board meeting, please contact Angelica Ruiz at aruiz@alphapublicschools.org or (669)234-0178.

Directors Present

A. Hendricks (remote), A. Holton (remote), F. Teso (remote), K. Lemmon (remote), P. MacDonald (remote), S. Mahan (remote), V. Faillace (remote)

Directors Absent

D. Seifert, P. Castorena

Directors who arrived after the meeting opened

K. Lemmon

Guests Present

A. Ruiz (remote), J. Wallner (remote)

I. Updates

A. Board Update

Board Members and the Alpha's Team watched a quick video that one of Alpha Cornerstone's teacher shared with her students.

B. Call-In

II. Opening Items

A. Call the Meeting to Order

A. Holton called a meeting of the board of directors of Alpha Public Schools to order on Wednesday Apr 22, 2020 at 5:33 PM.

B. Record Attendance and Guests

C. Public Comment

No public comment.

III. Board Business - Discussion/Action Items

A. Vote on new Board Member- Jen Wallner

A. Hendricks made a motion to approve new board member- Jen Wallner.

P. MacDonald seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

A. Hendricks	Aye
K. Lemmon	Absent
P. MacDonald	Aye
F. Teso	Aye
P. Castorena	Absent
V. Faillace	Aye
D. Seifert	Absent
S. Mahan	Aye
A. Holton	Aye

B. Alpha's response to COVID-19

K. Lemmon arrived.

Board members heard an update on Alpha's Distance Learning. C. Kang shared some of the services that are being provided to the students, families, and communities. These include lunches and technology for all the students.

C. Risks for 20-21 due to COVID-19

Alpha's team shared the risks Alpha could face due to COVID-19 and the continued Shelter in Place. Some of the risks are Student Recruitment and Talent Recruitment. The teams are working on potential alternatives to reduce the impact in these areas.

D. 20-21 Budget Discussion

D. Jordan shared version 2.0 of Alpha's 20-21 Budget along with some possible scenarios in preparation for the final version.

E.

Board Development

Board Members and Alpha's team discussed some changes on Board Responsibilities and Commitments.

Board Members also continued their work to welcome Parent Board Members.

F. Alpha Strategic Plan: Initiatives, Sequence, Measurable outcomes

IV. Closing Items

A. Approve Consent Agenda

P. MacDonald made a motion to approve items on the consent agenda.

K. Lemmon seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

P. Castorena Absent

P. MacDonald Aye

A. Hendricks Aye

S. Mahan Aye

F. Teso Aye

A. Holton Aye

D. Seifert Absent

K. Lemmon Aye

V. Faillace Aye

B. Approve Minutes for 02/21/20 Board Meeting

K. Lemmon made a motion to approve the minutes from Board Meeting on 02-21-20.

F. Teso seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

A. Holton Aye

V. Faillace Aye

P. Castorena Absent

D. Seifert Absent

A. Hendricks Aye

P. MacDonald Aye

F. Teso Aye

S. Mahan Aye

K. Lemmon Aye

C. Approve Minutes for 02/21/20 Board Retreat Meeting

A. Hendricks made a motion to approve the minutes from Board Retreat on 02-21-20.

K. Lemmon seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

A. Hendricks	Aye
D. Seifert	Absent
P. MacDonald	Aye
V. Faillace	Aye
A. Holton	Aye
F. Teso	Aye
K. Lemmon	Aye
P. Castorena	Absent
S. Mahan	Aye

D. Approve Minutes for 03/19/20 Special Board Meeting

K. Lemmon made a motion to approve the minutes from Special Board Meeting on 03-19-20.

P. MacDonald seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

D. Seifert	Absent
K. Lemmon	Aye
A. Hendricks	Aye
P. MacDonald	Aye
V. Faillace	Aye
A. Holton	Aye
P. Castorena	Absent
S. Mahan	Aye
F. Teso	Aye

E. Adjourn Meeting

S. Mahan made a motion to adjourn the meeting.

A. Hendricks seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

P. MacDonald	Aye
P. Castorena	Absent
S. Mahan	Aye
V. Faillace	Aye
F. Teso	Aye
K. Lemmon	Aye
D. Seifert	Absent
A. Holton	Aye
A. Hendricks	Aye

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 8:32 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
A. Holton