



# Alpha Public Schools

# **Minutes**

# **Board Meeting**

#### **Date and Time**

Wednesday September 22, 2021 at 6:00 PM

#### Location

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

Join Zoom Meeting

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- 1. Agendas are available to all audience members at the door to the meeting.
- 2. "Request to Speak" forms are available to all audience members who wish to speak on any agenda item(s) or under the general category of "Public Comment." All "Request to Speak" forms must be submitted prior to the agendized item.
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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 408)780-1550 x 102.

#### **Directors Present**

A. Hendricks (remote), A. Holton (remote), A. Santillan (remote), E. Retuta (remote), J. Ramirez (remote), P. MacDonald (remote), S. Mahan (remote)

# **Directors Absent**

J. Mejia, J. Wallner

## Directors who arrived after the meeting opened

J. Ramirez

#### Directors who left before the meeting adjourned

J. Ramirez

## **Guests Present**

A. Ruiz, lex.alvarez1@gmail.com (remote)

## I. 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 Sep 22, 2021 at 6:01 PM.

#### B. Record Attendance and Guests

C.

## **Public Comment**

No Public Comment.

All staff + board present did a quick round of introductions.

J. Ramirez arrived at 6:04 PM.

# D. Brown Act & Conflict of Interest Training

Wayne (YMC) joined the meeting for an annual Brown Act training for board members and staff.

#### E. BREAK

J. Ramirez left at 7:41 PM.

## F. Welcome + Mission Moment

J. Arellano shared a few celebrations that Alpha has had throughout the first couple of months of the school year.

## II. Board Business - Discussion/Action Items

# A. Board Resolution regarding Renewals

A. Hendricks made a motion to Approve Board Resolution in accordance with edu code 47607.4.

P. MacDonald seconded the motion.

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

## Roll Call

S. Mahan Aye

A. Hendricks Aye

P. MacDonald Aye

J. Wallner Absent

J. Ramirez Absent

J. Mejia Absent

E. Retuta Aye

A. Holton Aye

A. Santillan Aye

#### B. 20-21 Unaudited Actuals

D. Jordan shared an update for the 4 Alpha Schools.

Next steps- auditors will revise unaudited actuals and hope to have a draft ready by November and ready for board approval during the December meetig.

# C. 21-22 Enrollment / Finance Update

B. Paige updated the board with current enrollment numbers for the 4 Alpha schools and the impact on the finances. Information will continue to be updated and shared as it changes.

# D. Consent Agenda

- S. Mahan made a motion to approve items in the consent agenda.
- A. Hendricks seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

- A. Santillan Aye
- E. Retuta Aye
- P. MacDonald Aye
- J. Mejia Absent
- J. Wallner Absent
- S. Mahan Aye
- J. Ramirez Absent
- A. Holton Aye
- A. Hendricks Aye

# E. Approve Minutes: Board Meeting 8/18/21

- P. MacDonald made a motion to approve the minutes from Board Meeting on 08-18-21.
- A. Santillan seconded the motion.

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

# **Roll Call**

- A. Santillan Aye
- J. Mejia Absent
- E. Retuta Aye
- A. Holton Aye
- A. Hendricks Aye
- J. Wallner Absent
- P. MacDonald Aye
- S. Mahan Aye
- J. Ramirez Absent

# III. Closing Items

## A. Adjourn Meeting

- S. Mahan made a motion to adjourn meeting.
- P. MacDonald seconded the motion.

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

### Roll Call

- J. Ramirez Absent
- A. Hendricks Aye

## **Roll Call**

J. Mejia Absent
E. Retuta Aye
A. Holton Aye
A. Santillan Aye
J. Wallner Absent
P. MacDonald Aye

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 8:16 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Aye

A. Holton

S. Mahan