



Alpha Public Schools

Minutes

Board Meeting

Date and Time

Wednesday August 9, 2023 at 5:30 PM

Location

Alpha: Cindy Avitia High School- 1881 Cunningham Ave, San Jose, CA 95122

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Alpha Public Schools ("Alpha") welcomes your participation at the Alpha Board meetings. The purpose of a public meeting of the Board of Directors ("Board") is to conduct the affairs of Alpha in public. We are pleased that you are in attendance and hope that you will visit these meetings often. Your participation assures us of continuing community interest in Alpha. To assist you in the ease of speaking/participating in our meetings, the following guidelines are provided:

- 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.
- 3. "Public Comment" is set aside for members of the audience to raise issues that are not specifically on the agenda. However, due to public meeting laws, the Board can only listen to your issue, not respond or take action. These presentations are limited to three (3) minutes each and total time allotted to non-agenda items will not exceed fifteen (15) minutes. The Board may give direction to staff to respond to your concern.
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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, A. Santillan, C. Wang (remote), J. Mejia, J. Ramirez (remote), J. Wallner, L. Alvarez (remote), M. Cazarez (remote), M. Rosas, S. Mahan (remote)

Directors Absent

C. Funches, E. Retuta, P. MacDonald

Directors who left before the meeting adjourned

C. Wang, J. Ramirez

Guests Present

A. Ruiz

I. Opening Items

A. Call the Meeting to Order

J. Wallner called a meeting of the board of directors of Alpha Public Schools to order on Wednesday Aug 9, 2023 at 5:34 PM.

B. Record Attendance and Guests

C. Discussion and/or Modification(s) of the Agenda

A. Hendricks made a motion to Approve Board Meeting Agenda.

A. Santillan seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

P. MacDonald Absent

M. Cazarez Aye

A. Santillan Aye

C. Funches Absent

S. Mahan Aye

J. Wallner Aye

E. Retuta Absent

C. Wang Aye
M. Rosas Aye
J. Mejia Aye
J. Ramirez Abstain
L. Alvarez Aye
A. Hendricks Aye

D. Public Comment

No public comment

E. Mission Moment: Summer Professional Development

S. Hegde shared Summer PD and Kick-off of the Academic Year.

II. Board Business - Discussion/Action Items

A. Development Update

Shawnte shared fundraising numbers/totals compared to last year

B. Brown Act & Conflict of Interest Training

YM&C joined the meeting for the Board's annual Brown Act & Conflict of Interest Training

C. BREAK

J. Ramirez left at 7:06 PM.

D. Academic Update

Item removed from agenda. Will revisit during the next board meeting

E. Hiring Update

C. Wang left at 7:30 PM.

F. 23-24 Public Notice PIP

A. Hendricks made a motion to approve 23-24 Public Notice PIP.

M. Rosas seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

E. Retuta AbsentP. MacDonald AbsentJ. Mejia AyeS. Mahan Aye

J. Ramirez Absent J. Wallner Aye C. Funches Absent M. Rosas Aye A. Hendricks Aye A. Santillan Aye C. Wang Absent L. Alvarez Aye M. Cazarez Aye

G. 23-24 Public Notice Waiver

A. Santillan made a motion to approve 23-24 Public Notice Waiver.

A. Hendricks seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

E. Retuta Absent M. Rosas Aye J. Wallner Aye J. Mejia Aye A. Santillan Aye S. Mahan Aye M. Cazarez Aye P. MacDonald Absent C. Wang Absent A. Hendricks Aye L. Alvarez Aye J. Ramirez Absent

H. Board Health Self-Reflection

I. Committee/Working Groups Approval

Absent

- A. Hendricks made a motion to approve Committee/Working Groups.
- S. Mahan seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

C. Funches

A. Hendricks Aye
L. Alvarez Aye
C. Wang Absent
E. Retuta Absent
J. Ramirez Absent
A. Santillan Aye
J. Wallner Aye

P. MacDonald Absent

M. Rosas Aye

S. Mahan Aye

M. Cazarez Aye

J. Mejia Aye

C. Funches Absent

J. Consent Agenda

A. Santillan made a motion to approve Consent Agenda.

M. Rosas seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

J. Mejia Aye

J. Ramirez Absent

P. MacDonald Absent

C. Funches Absent

J. Wallner Aye

A. Santillan Aye

E. Retuta Absent

S. Mahan Aye

M. Cazarez Aye

C. Wang Absent

L. Alvarez Aye

A. Hendricks Aye

M. Rosas Aye

K. 6/21/23 Approval of Minutes

L. Alvarez made a motion to approve the minutes from Board Meeting on 06-21-23.

A. Santillan seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

J. Wallner Abstain

M. Cazarez Aye

J. Mejia Abstain

A. Santillan Aye

L. Alvarez Aye

J. Ramirez Absent

P. MacDonald Absent

C. Wang Absent

C. Funches Absent

S. Mahan Aye

E. Retuta Absent

M. Rosas Abstain

A. Hendricks Aye

III. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

A. Santillan made a motion to Adjourn Meeting.

A. Hendricks seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

M. Rosas Aye
M. Cazarez Aye
S. Mahan Aye
A. Hendricks Aye
E. Retuta Absent
P. MacDonald Absent
J. Wallner Aye

J. Ramirez Absent
C. Wang Absent
J. Mejia Aye

C. Funches Absent
L. Alvarez Aye
A. Santillan Aye

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 7:55 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

J. Wallner