



## Strong Start Academy

# STRONG START ACADEMY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AT THE TONY HSIEH EDUCATION CENTER

## BOARD MEETING AGENDA 05/08/25

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### Date and Time

Thursday May 8, 2025 at 5:00 PM PDT

### Location

City Hall, 495 S Main St, 5th floor, Las Vegas, NV 89101

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### Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
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<b>I.</b>	<b>Opening Items</b>		<b>5:00 PM</b>
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| <b>A.</b> | Call the Meeting to Order | Lorna James-Cervantes | 5 m |
| <b>B.</b> | Record Attendance         | Lorna James-Cervantes | 1 m |
| <b>C.</b> | Public Comment            | Lorna James-Cervantes | 3 m |

Comment during this portion of the agenda must be limited to matters on the agenda for action. If you wish to be heard, come forward and give your name for the record.

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<p>The amount of discussion, as well as the amount of time any single speaker is allowed, will be limited to three (3) minutes absent Board approval. Public comment may also be given by calling 1-415-655-0001 and entering access code number 2660 574 1983 followed by the # sign.</p>			
<b>D.</b>	Approve Minutes from April 10, 2025 Board Meeting.	Approve Minutes Lorna James-Cervantes	1 m
<b>II. Finance</b>			<b>5:10 PM</b>
<b>A.</b>	Report by Kristin Dietz from EdTec on Strong Start Academy budget and financial reports.	Discuss Kristin Dietz	10 m
<b>B.</b>	Discussion for possible action to approve Strong Start Academy's final budget for FY 2025-2026.	Vote Kristin Dietz	5 m
<b>III. Executive Update</b>			<b>5:25 PM</b>
<b>A.</b>	Report by the Executive Director on the status of on-going marketing efforts, open-enrollment, and recruiting.	Discuss Miriam Benitez	5 m
<b>IV. Governance</b>			<b>5:30 PM</b>
<b>A.</b>	Discuss the FY 2024 Financial Performance Rating adopted by the State Public Charter School Authority.	Discuss Lorna James-Cervantes	5 m
<b>B.</b>	Discussion for possible action regarding the FY 2024 tax returns prepared for Strong Start Academy.	Discuss Lorna James-Cervantes	5 m
<b>C.</b>	Discussion regarding Board committee updates and calendar events.	Discuss Lorna James-Cervantes	15 m
<b>D.</b>	Discussion for possible action to approve the agenda for the July 2025 Board Retreat.	Vote Lorna James-Cervantes	10 m
<b>V. Facilities</b>			<b>6:05 PM</b>

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<b>A.</b> Report by the City of Las Vegas regarding status of construction of new building at Strong Start Academy.	FYI	Angela Rose	5 m

## **VI. Citizens Participation**

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## **VII. Closing Items**

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| <b>A.</b> Adjourn Meeting | FYI |
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