

# Green Dot Public Schools

# **Minutes**

# Green Dot Public Schools California Board Meeting

## **Date and Time**

Friday July 23, 2021 at 12:30 PM

#### Location

UCLA Luskin Conference Center located at 425 Westwood Plaza, Los Angeles, CA 90095

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#### **Directors Present**

Dr. Robert Cherry, Ivette Peña, Jason Feuerstein, Jon Goodman, Kevin Reed, LaTonia Lopez, Louis Gomez (remote), Peter Scranton, Ricardo Barragan, Rita Ravindra

#### **Directors Absent**

Claudio Chavez, Jeremy Zuniga

### Directors who arrived after the meeting opened

Dr. Robert Cherry

#### **Guests Present**

Annabelle Moskowitz, Annette Gonzalez, Cristina de Jesus, Leilani Abulon, Mike Lopez, Neal Brandenburg

### I. Opening Items

#### A. Call the Meeting to Order

Kevin Reed called a meeting of the board of directors of Green Dot Public Schools to order on Friday Jul 23, 2021 at 12:35 PM.

### **B.** Record Attendance and Guests

#### **II. Public Comment**

#### A. Public Comment

No public comments were received.

# III. Approve Consent Agenda

## A. Approve Minutes from the June 25, 2021 GDPSC Board of Directors Meeting

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve the minutes from Green Dot Public Schools California Board Meeting on 06-25-21.

Ivette Peña seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Jason Feuerstein Aye Peter Scranton Ivette Peña Aye Kevin Reed Aye LaTonia Lopez Aye Jeremy Zuniga Absent Ricardo Barragan Aye Louis Gomez Ave Claudio Chavez Absent Dr. Robert Cherry Absent Jon Goodman Aye Rita Ravindra Aye

## B. Resolution to Accept ESEA Federal Funds

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve the resolution.

Ivette Peña seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Peter Scranton Aye Rita Ravindra Aye Jason Feuerstein Aye Kevin Reed Aye Jeremy Zuniga Absent Ricardo Barragan Aye Ivette Peña Aye LaTonia Lopez Aye Jon Goodman Aye Louis Gomez Aye Claudio Chavez Absent Dr. Robert Cherry Absent

## C. Approve School Nutrition Program Renewal

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve Green Dot Public Schools California's School Nutrition Program Renewals.

Ivette Peña seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

Claudio Chavez Absent
Jon Goodman Aye
Ricardo Barragan Aye
Kevin Reed Aye
Louis Gomez Aye

#### **Roll Call**

Rita Ravindra Aye
Peter Scranton Aye
Jeremy Zuniga Absent
Dr. Robert Cherry Absent
Jason Feuerstein Aye
Ivette Peña Aye
LaTonia Lopez Aye

# D. Approve Transportation Contract

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve Green Dot Public Schools California's transportation contracts.

Ivette Peña seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Jason Feuerstein Aye LaTonia Lopez Aye Kevin Reed Aye Ivette Peña Aye Jon Goodman Aye Louis Gomez Aye Peter Scranton Aye Rita Ravindra Aye Jeremy Zuniga Absent Claudio Chavez Absent Dr. Robert Cherry Absent Ricardo Barragan Aye

# E. Approve Green Dot Public Schools California Student Policy Manual

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve Green Dot Public Schools California's Student Policy Manual.

Ivette Peña seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

Louis Gomez Aye Jeremy Zuniga Absent Dr. Robert Cherry Absent Ricardo Barragan Aye Claudio Chavez Absent Jason Feuerstein Aye Rita Ravindra Aye Jon Goodman Aye Kevin Reed Aye LaTonia Lopez Aye

#### Roll Call

Peter Scranton Aye
Ivette Peña Aye

#### IV. Teacher Credential Update

#### A. Introduce Declaration of Need for Qualified Teachers

Samantha Matamoros, Senior Director of Human Capital, provided an overview of Green Dot Public Schools California's teacher recruitment efforts and the remaining teacher openings for the 2021-22 school year.

#### **B.** Introduce Local Teacher Assignment Option

Ms. Matamoros provided an overview of the Local Teacher Assignment credential process.

## V. Discuss and Approve Collective Bargaining Agreement

# A. Approve Animo Classified Employees Association Collective Bargaining Agreement

Kevin Reed made a motion to approve the Animo Classified Employees Association Collective Bargaining Agreement.

Jon Goodman seconded the motion.

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

### **Roll Call**

Kevin Reed Aye Claudio Chavez Absent Ivette Peña Absent Rita Ravindra Aye Louis Gomez Aye Ricardo Barragan Aye Dr. Robert Cherry Absent Jason Feuerstein Aye LaTonia Lopez Abstain Jeremy Zuniga Absent Jon Goodman Aye Peter Scranton Aye

Dr. Robert Cherry arrived.

#### VI. Closed Session

# A. Conference with legal counsel - Anticipated Litigation

The Board entered into Closed Session at approximately 1:11 p.m. to discuss anticipated litigation.

### VII. Report of Actions Taken During Closed Session

## A. Report of Actions Taken During Closed Session

The Board returned to open session at approximately 2:24 p.m. and reported that it took no formal action during closed session.

## VIII. Reimagine 2025

### A. Review Reimagine 2025

Dr. de Jesus provided an overview of Green Dot Public Schools California's Reimagine 2025 framework and its use of pandemic related funding. Leilani Abulon, Susana Campo and Tobin Paap led discussions about three of the key levers in Green Dot California's Reimagine 2025 framework: anti-racism and anti-bias, equity-based multi-tiered system of supports, and strengthening relationships and cultivating joy.

# IX. CEO Succession Planning Working Group Update

# A. Review CEO Succession Planning

Dr. de Jesus provided an overview of the emergency and planned CEO succession plans developed by the CEO Succession Planning Working Group.

# X. Board Meeting Structure

## A. Discuss Board Meeting Structure

Dr. de Jesus led a discussion about Green Dot Public Schools California's board meeting structure.

### XI. 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 4:59 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Jon Goodman