

Green Dot Public Schools

Minutes

Green Dot Public Schools California Board Meeting

Date and Time

Friday October 29, 2021 at 3:00 PM

Location

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The Board has allocated a total of 30 minutes for public comment. Statements are limited to 3 minutes per person. Members of the public may address the Board via teleconference and are invited to email GreenDotCABoardMeeting@greendot.org if they are not able to address the Board during the meeting. Those messages will be shared with Green Dot California Board members via email.

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Directors Present

Claudio Chavez (remote), Ivette Peña (remote), Jason Feuerstein (remote), Jeremy Zuniga (remote), Jon Goodman (remote), Kevin Reed (remote), Louis Gomez (remote), Peter Scranton (remote), Ricardo Barragan, Rita Ravindra (remote)

Directors Absent

Dr. Robert Cherry, LaTonia Lopez

Guests Present

Annabelle Moskowitz, Annette Gonzalez, Cristina de Jesus, Leilani Abulon, Marcos Rodriguez, 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 Oct 29, 2021 at 3:06 PM.

B. Record Attendance and Guests

II. Board findings pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e)

A. Approve Board findings pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e)

Jon Goodman made a motion to Approve Board findings pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e).

Kevin Reed seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

Jeremy Zuniga No

Roll Call

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

III. Public Comment

A. Public Comment

Tom Rice, Craig Robinson, and Eloghosa Osaseri provided public comment.

IV. Approve Consent Agenda

A. Approve Minutes from the July 23, 2021 GDPSC Board of Directors Meeting

Kevin Reed made a motion to approve the minutes from July 23, 2021 GDPSC Board of Directors Meeting Green Dot Public Schools California Board Meeting on 07-23-21. Jon Goodman seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

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

B. Approve GDPSC's ESSER III Expenditure Plans

Kevin Reed made a motion to Approve GDPSC's ESSER III Expenditure Plans. Jon Goodman seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

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

C. Approve Amendment to Memorandum of Understanding between LACOE and Animo City of Champions Charter High School

Kevin Reed made a motion to Approve Amendment to Memorandum of Understanding between LACOE and Animo City of Champions Charter High School.

Jon Goodman seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

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

V. CEO Update

A. Update on GDPSC Staff and Student Vaccination Rates

Cristina de Jesus provided an updated regarding the GreenDot California Public Schools staff and student vaccination rates.

B. Approve Amendments to GDPSC's Staff COVID-19 Vaccination & Testing Policy

Jeremy Zuniga made a motion to amend the language of the policy to require staff to receive their first their first dose of the vaccine by December 10, 2021.

Kevin Reed seconded the motion.

The board voted to not adopt the amendment.

The motion did not carry.

Roll Call

Ivette Peña No Kevin Reed Aye Louis Gomez No Claudio Chavez No Peter Scranton Aye Jason Feuerstein No Jon Goodman Ricardo Barragan Aye Jeremy Zuniga Aye Rita Ravindra Dr. Robert Cherry Absent LaTonia Lopez Absent

Kevin Reed made a motion to approve the Amendments to GDPSC's COVID-19

Vaccination and Testing Policy.

Peter Scranton seconded the motion.

The Board authorized the Green Dot California Chief Executive Officer to make updates to the policy as necessary as guidance changes without Board approval.

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

Roll Call

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

C. Approve Amendments to GDPSC's Student COVID-19 Vaccination & Testing Policy

Ivette Peña made a motion to Approve Amendments to GDPSC's Student COVID-19 Vaccination & Testing Policy.

Peter Scranton seconded the motion.

The Board authorized the Green Dot California Chief Executive Officer to make updates to the policy as necessary as guidance changes without Board approval.

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

Roll Call

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

D. Approve Submission of Material Revision Request for GDPSC's Charter Petitions

Ivette Peña made a motion to Approve the Submission of a Material Revision Request for GDPSC's Charter Petitions.

Peter Scranton seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

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

VI. Academic Update

A. Overview of Green Dot CA Learning & School Culture Outcomes

Annette Gonzalez and Leilani Abulon provided an updated about the annual school culture training that all schools attended and reviewed Green Dot California's school culture data.

B. Reimagine 2025 Update: Learning Acceleration

Lelani Abulon and Alyce Prentice provide an update regarding the learning acceleration plan for improved student outcomes.

C. Approve GDPSC's Updated Independent Study Policy

Ivette Peña made a motion to Approve GDPSC's Updated Independent Study Policy. Ricardo Barragan seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

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

VII. Finance Update

A. Reimagine 2025 Update: Enrollment

Vereaux Reynolds provided an overview of Green Dot's enrollment and plans to further diversity student demographics.

B. Approve GDPSC's Contingency Budgets

Michael Lopez provided an overview of the contingency budget.

Jon Goodman made a motion to Approve GDPSC's Contingency Budgets.

Rita Ravindra seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

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

VIII. Development Update

A. Update on End of Year Campaign

Douglas Weston provided an update on Green Dot's end of year fundraising campaign.

IX. Closed Session

A. Conference with legal counsel – Anticipated Litigation

The board entered into closed session at approximately 5:41 p.m. to discuss pending litigation.

X. Report of Actions Taken During Closed Session

A. Report of Actions Taken During Closed Session

The Board returned to open session at approximately 6:45 p.m. and reported that it took no formal action during closed session.

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 6:45 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Jon Goodman