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## Minutes

Green Dot Public Schools California Board Meeting

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### Date and Time

Friday October 27, 2023 at 3:00 PM

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#### **Directors Present**

Claudio Chavez, Dr. Robert Cherry (remote), Jason Feuerstein (remote), Jon Goodman, Kevin Reed, LaTonia Lopez, Peter Scranton, Rita Ravindra

#### **Directors Absent**

Ivette Peña, Louis Gomez, Ricardo Barragan

#### **Directors who arrived after the meeting opened**

Kevin Reed

#### **Guests Present**

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Annabelle Moskowitz (remote), Annette Gonzalez, Cristina de Jesus, Damon Hands, Leilani Abulon, Mike Lopez, Neal Brandenburg, Samantha Matamoros

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## I. Opening Items

### A. Record Attendance

### B. Call the Meeting to Order

Jon Goodman called a meeting of the board of directors of Green Dot Public Schools to order on Friday Oct 27, 2023 at 3:07 PM.

## II. Public Comment

### A. Public Comment

There was no public comment.

## III. Consent Agenda

### A. Approve Minutes from the 06-30-2023 Green Dot Public Schools California Board Meeting

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve the minutes from Green Dot Public Schools California Board Meeting on 06-30-23.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

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

### B. Approve GDPSC's 2023-2024 English Learner Master Plan

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve GDPSC's 2023-2024 English Learner Master Plan.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

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

**C. Approve the Memorandum of Agreement with the LA County Department of Parks and Recreation**

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve the Memorandum of Agreement with the LA County Department of Parks and Recreation.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

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

**D. Approve GDPSC's Workday Contract**

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve GDPSC's Workday Contract.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

Louis Gomez Absent  
Ricardo Barragan Absent  
Kevin Reed Absent  
Jon Goodman Aye  
Jason Feuerstein Aye  
Claudio Chavez Aye  
Peter Scranton Aye

**Roll Call**

Rita Ravindra Aye  
Ivette Peña Absent  
Dr. Robert Cherry Aye  
LaTonia Lopez Aye

**E. Approve GDPSC's 2023-2024 Variable Term Waiver Contract**

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve GDPSC's 2023-2024 Variable Term Waiver Contract.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

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

**F. Approve Amendment #2 to the Regional Services Agreement by and between GDPSN & GDPSC**

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve Amendment #2 to the Regional Services Agreement by and between GDPSN & GDPSC.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

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

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### **Approve Amendment to LACOE Monitoring and Oversight Memorandum of Understanding - SB 114**

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve Amendment to LACOE Monitoring and Oversight Memorandum of Understanding - SB 114.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

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

### **H. Approve ARC Afterschool Program MOU**

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve ARC Afterschool Program MOU.

Claudio Chavez seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

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

## **IV. CEO Update**

### **A. CEO Update**

Dr. Cristina de Jesus invited Calvin Chan, Senior Development Officer, to provide an update on fundraising goals and progress to date. Dr. de Jesus also gave an update on an upcoming communications opportunity. Lastly, she shared the news of the passing of two Green Dot California staff members.

## V. Academic Update

### A. School Culture Update

Damon Hands provided an update on Green Dot California's restorative practices as well as suspension and expulsion rates.

### B. Academic Outcomes SY 22 -23

Annette Gonzalez provided an update on academic progress during the 2022-23 school year. This included an update on student growth percentiles and performance on statewide assessments.

### C. Quarter 1 Priorities

Leilani Abulon provided information on how Green Dot California is progress monitoring academic data throughout the year.

## VI. Finance Update

### A. Contingency Budget Planning

Mike Lopez provided an updated on Green Dot California's contingency budgets for schools based on enrollment for the current school year.

LaTonia Lopez made a motion to approve GDPSC's Contingency Budget.

Rita Ravindra seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

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

## VII. GDPSC's Local Control and Accountability Plan Federal Addendum

### A. Approve GDPSC's Local Control and Accountability Plan Federal Addendum

Peter Scranton made a motion to approve GDPSC's Local Control and Accountability Plan Federal Addendum.

LaTonia Lopez seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

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

**VIII. LAUSD Compliance Monitoring**

**A. LAUSD Compliance Monitoring and Oversight Review**

LaTonia Lopez made a motion to approve the submission of LAUSD's Compliance Monitoring Form.

Rita Ravindra seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

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

**IX. Closed Session**

**A. Conference with legal counsel – Anticipated Litigation**

The Board entered closed session at approximately 5:12 p.m. to discuss anticipated litigation.

Kevin Reed arrived.

**B. Conference with Legal - Existing Litigation**

The Board remained in closed session to discuss existing litigation.

**C. Update on Conference with Labor Negotiators**

The Board remained in closed session to discuss labor negotiations.

**X. Report of Actions Taken During Closed Session**

**A. Report of Actions Taken During Closed Session**

The Board resumed open session at approximately 6:30 p.m. and reported that there were no actions taken 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 6:31 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Jon Goodman