



TEACH Public Schools

Minutes

TEACH Regular Board Meeting

Date and Time

Tuesday February 25, 2025 at 5:00 PM

Location

Board Meeting Access Locations CA:

Alternate Public Access Locations:

TEACH Elementary
8505 S Western Ave
Los Angeles, CA 90047

TEACH Tech Charter High School
10616 S Western Ave
Los Angeles, CA 90047

3680 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles CA 90010

3740 S Crenshaw Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90016

1340 W 106th St.
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Directors Present

A. Dragon (remote), J. Lobdell (remote), M. Maye (remote), S. Burrows (remote)

Directors Absent

C. Sandoval

Ex Officio Members Present

R. Carranza

Non Voting Members Present

R. Carranza

Guests Present

B. Brown, B. Bulgeron, M. Brown, R. McNeel (remote), S. Rhee, S. Thompson

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

J. Lobdell called a meeting of the board of directors of TEACH Public Schools to order on Tuesday Feb 25, 2025 at 5:02 PM.

C. Public Comment

There was no public comment.

II. Consent Items

A.

Approve the Current Agenda and the Minutes from the January 28, 2025 Regular Board Meeting

S. Burrows made a motion to approve the minutes from January 28, 2025 and the current agenda TEACH Regular Board Meeting on 01-28-25.

A. Dragon seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

- A. Dragon Aye
- M. Maye Absent
- C. Sandoval Absent
- J. Lobdell Aye
- S. Burrows Aye

III. Items for Potential Action

A. Consider and Approve LCAP revisions for TEACH Academy of Technologies

A. Dragon made a motion to Approve the LCAP Revisions for TEACH Academy of Technologies.

S. Burrows seconded the motion.

Beth presented the revisions which included showing the flow of Federal Title Funds.

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

Roll Call

- A. Dragon Aye
- C. Sandoval Absent
- S. Burrows Aye
- M. Maye Aye
- J. Lobdell Aye

B. Approve the LCAP Mid-Year Report

A. Dragon made a motion to Approve the LCAP Mid-Year Reports.

S. Burrows seconded the motion.

Beth presented the mid-year reports and explained the progress on LCAP goals and spending.

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

Roll Call

- C. Sandoval Absent
- J. Lobdell Aye
- M. Maye Aye
- A. Dragon Aye
- S. Burrows Aye

C. Approve the 2023-2024 School Accountability Report Card (SARC)

A. Dragon made a motion to Approve the 2023-2024 School Accountability Report Cards for each school.

S. Burrows seconded the motion.

Enrique presented the SARCS for each school and went over the purpose of the SARC and the data on each. He explained that the SARCS for 23-24 were presented later than usual this year due the Los Angeles fires.

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

Roll Call

J. Lobdell Aye
A. Dragon Aye
M. Maye Aye
S. Burrows Aye
C. Sandoval Absent

D. Approve E-Rate Contract for 2025-2028

A. Dragon made a motion to Approve the E-Rate Contracts for 2025-2028.

S. Burrows seconded the motion.

Enrique explained the E-Rate contracts for 2025-2028. He explained how the contracts were impacted by Federal policy changes.

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

Roll Call

S. Burrows Aye
A. Dragon Aye
J. Lobdell Aye
M. Maye Aye
C. Sandoval Absent

E. Principal Reports on Mid-Year Verified Assessments, Bright Spots, Progress on Annual Goals

Principal Sharon Rhee presented for the Elementary school (report attached). She highlighted student growth on interim tests, how the staff is diving deeper into the data of subgroups and looking at strategies such as grouping. Sharon highlighted that the school earned a 6 year WASC renewal. She also visited Vibrant Minds Charter School as part of PD looking at best practices and curriculum.

Principal Bridgette Brown presented for the Middle School (report attached). She described the areas where the school is struggling- overall academic growth, but explained that the 7th and 8th grades are showing promising growth. She explained the differences between the data of different grade levels and her team is diving into the data to explore and address the differences with particular student subgroups. She discussed the bright spots of a drug-free week, the school's partnership with PESA, and student activities around Black History Month.

Sione Thompson presented for the High School. (report attached). He went through the SBAC and interim data in detail, explaining the importance of the students on the cusp of proficiency and the impact of their progress on the overall school performance. Mr. Thompson described the strategies the staff was taking to improve student outcomes. He also gave an update on the progress of the overarching strategies for improvement that were started by Mr. Williams at the beginning of the year and gave an update on the school's sports teams. He invited members of the board to visit the school and walk through classrooms using the description of strategies as a "look for" tool.

F. Consider and Approve the Second Interim Financial Report

S. Burrows made a motion to Approve the Second Interim Financial Report.

A. Dragon seconded the motion.

Richard McNeel gave the presentation of the Second Interim Report. The report is attached. McNeel went through each school and the home office reports. He highlighted that special education, transportation and janatorial services along with ADA decreases were coming in higher than budgeted and this was having an impact on the overall financial health of each school. There is some offset and McNeel explained in great detail each financial indicator for each school. Matt Brown explained that adjustments are being made to lessen the likelihood the schools end the year in a deficit.

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

Roll Call

C. Sandoval Absent

M. Maye Aye

A. Dragon Aye

J. Lobdell Aye

S. Burrows Aye

IV. Closing Items

A. Board or Public Comment

There was no Public Comment or Board Comment.

B. Upcoming Meeting Date: March 25, 2025 at 5 pm

C. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 7:03 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
J. Lobdell

Documents used during the meeting

- 2025_01_28_board_meeting_minutes.pdf
- 2024_Local_Control_and_Accountability_Plan_TEACH_Academy_of_Technologies_20250225 (1).pdf
- 2025_LCAP_Mid-Year_Monitoring_Report_for_the_2024-25_LCAP_TEACH_Preparatory_Mildred_S._Cunningham_&_Edith_H._Morris_ES_20250224.pdf
- 2025_LCAP_Mid-Year_Monitoring_Report_for_the_2024-25_LCAP_TEACH_Academy_of_Technologies_20250224.pdf
- 2025_LCAP_Mid-Year_Monitoring_Report_for_the_2024-25_LCAP_TEACH_Tech_Charter_High_School_20250224.pdf
- 2024_School_Accountability_Report_Card_TEACH_Academy_of_Technologies_20250224.pdf
- 2024_School_Accountability_Report_Card_TEACH_Tech_Charter_High_School_20250224.pdf
- 2024_School_Accountability_Report_Card_TEACH_Preparatory_Mildred_S._Cunningham_&_Edith_H._Morris_ES_20250224.pdf
- 2025 Bid Matrix TEACH Public Schools - Google Sheets.pdf
- Spectrum Bid Response_17022941_FY2025_02062025_FINAL.pdf
- InTCHSolutions_2025 TEACHPS RFP Response_FINAL.pdf
- Principal Report.pdf
- principals report 2025 (1).pdf
- TEACH Tech High .pdf
- FY24-25 Financial Report as of 01.31.25 Close- 2nd Interim.pdf