



# Yu Ming Charter School

## Minutes

### Governance Committee Regular Meeting

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#### Date and Time

Wednesday July 8, 2020 at 2:00 PM

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This meeting will be by teleconference pursuant to Executive Orders N-25-20 and N-29-20.

The Board of Directors ("Board") and employees of the Yu Ming Charter School shall meet via the Zoom meeting platform. Members of the public who wish to access this Board meeting may do so at:

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**Committee Members Present**

B. Swartz (remote), S. Park (remote)

**Committee Members Absent**

*None*

**Guests Present**

M. Andrejko (remote), R. Lee (remote)

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**I. Opening Items****A. Call the Meeting to Order**

B. Swartz called a meeting of the Board Development Committee of Yu Ming Charter School to order on Wednesday Jul 8, 2020 at 2:07 PM.

**B. Record Attendance and Guests****C. Approval of Agenda**

Move C before B.

**II. Invitation to the Public to Address the Committee****A. Public Comments**

There were no members of the public in attendance.

**III. Items of Business****A. Board Onboarding Process**

- Email
- Checklist of administrative steps
- Training/orientation

**B. Board Manual**

Mathilde will start the work based on this outline:

1. General School Information
  1. Mission/vision
  2. School calendar
  3. Organizational chart (incl. committees)

4. Staff bios and contact info
2. Board General Info
  1. Board agreement
  2. Form 700
  3. Board members bios and contact info
  4. Matrix
3. Committees
  1. Committee Preference Form
4. Financial Oversight
  1. Latest financials
  2. 3-year budget
5. Board Meetings
  1. Board meeting schedule
  2. Sample agenda & minutes
6. Academic Oversight
  1. Assessment data
7. Public Documents (Links)
  1. LCAP
  2. MPOs
  3. Petition
  4. Bylaws
8. Other partners: who's who
  1. Alameda County
  2. OUSD
  3. ExED
  4. CCSA
  5. Other education partners: Educate78, GO Public Schools, Oakland Families for Quality Schools
9. Fundraising/PR
  1. Talking points about Charter Schools (how they are funded, etc.)
  2. YM quick facts (approval by district, grades, number of staff, etc.)
  3. Benefits of immersion education/bilingualism
10. Resources
  1. Relevant news articles
  2. Links
    - Training manual

### **C. Orientation for New Board Members**

- Welcome and introductions
- Overview of the mission, vision and educational goals of the charter school - HOS/Founder (pre-recorded video?)
- Overview of the roles and responsibilities of the board of directors.

- Review of the individual board director job description detailing specific expectations (committee work, meeting attendance, involvement in community outreach and fund-raising, etc.)
- Strategic plan
- Possible customization as needed (that would allow the Board member to get the elevator pitch):
  - Demographics of our school
  - Financial presentation by ExED
  - Educational program
  - Facilities
  - Fundraising
  - Social and political climate
- Opportunity for board prospects to ask questions
- Next steps
- Survey on onboarding

#### **D. Additional Board Recruitment**

There was a discussion about Board recruitment.

#### **E. Board Succession Planning**

#### **F. Board Job Descriptions (General, Committee Chair, Officers)**

### **IV. Closing Items**

#### **A. Review of Action Items and Future Agenda Items**

Next meeting on Wed, August 19, 2:00pm:

- Checklist for recruitment process, incl. discussion on financial commitment, school visit
- Board job description
- Expired terms to renew

#### **B. Adjourn Meeting**

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 3:22 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

B. Swartz

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