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## Encore JR/SR High School

### Minutes

#### Board of Directors Regular Meeting - April 24, 2023

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**Date and Time**

Monday April 24, 2023 at 6:30 PM

**Location**

Encore High School  
16955 Lemon Street  
Hesperia CA 92345

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**Directors Present**

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C. Sutton, I. Rapier, R. Magana

**Directors Absent**

R. Hunt

**Guests Present**

J. Barkdull, J. Clanton (remote), J. Schwarck, J. Thibodeaux, Kyle Barkdull, P. Alaimalo, S. Adriaan, S. Bow (remote), S. Del Sole

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**I. Opening Items**

**A. Call the Meeting to Order**

C. Sutton called a meeting of the board of directors of Encore JR/SR High School to order on Monday Apr 24, 2023 at 6:30 PM.

**B. Record Attendance**

**C. Public Comment**

**D. Approval of the Agenda**

I. Rapier made a motion to Approved.  
R. Magana seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

R. Hunt Absent  
C. Sutton Aye  
I. Rapier Aye  
R. Magana Aye

**E. Board Member Comments**

No board member comments.

**II. Consent Items**

**A. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes**

I. Rapier made a motion to approve the minutes from Regular Encore Board of Directors Meeting - March 2023 on 03-27-23.  
R. Magana seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

I. Rapier Aye

**Roll Call**

R. Hunt Absent  
C. Sutton Aye  
R. Magana Aye

**B. Approval of March 2023 STRS, PERS, 403b Payment Report**

I. Rapier made a motion to Approve.  
R. Magana seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

C. Sutton Aye  
R. Hunt Absent  
R. Magana Aye  
I. Rapier Aye

**C. Approval of March 2023 Warrant Reports**

I. Rapier made a motion to Approve.  
R. Magana seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

I. Rapier Aye  
C. Sutton Aye  
R. Hunt Absent  
R. Magana Aye

**III. Budget and Finance**

**A. Approval of Revised February 2023 Financial Report**

Motion to approve the revised February 2023 financial report.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

C. Sutton Aye  
I. Rapier Aye  
R. Hunt Absent  
R. Magana Aye

**B. Approval of March 2023 Financial Report**

I. Rapier made a motion to approve the March 2023 financial report.  
R. Magana seconded the motion.  
The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

**Roll Call**

C. Sutton Aye

**Roll Call**

R. Magana Aye  
I. Rapier Aye  
R. Hunt Absent

**C. Approval of Contract with ICON School Management for the 2023-24 fiscal year**

I. Rapier made a motion to approve the contract with ICON School Management for the 2023-24 year.

R. Magana seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

I. Rapier Aye  
R. Magana Aye  
R. Hunt Absent  
C. Sutton Aye

**D. Approval of Board Resolution 2023-01 (Bank Signatories)**

I. Rapier made a motion to approve Board Resolution 2023-01 (Bank Signatories).

R. Magana seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

R. Magana Aye  
C. Sutton Aye  
I. Rapier Aye  
R. Hunt Absent

**IV. Staff Reports**

**A. Executive Director's Report**

Dr. Bow provided an oral report on the student restroom renovation project and staffing, introducing Patricia Alaimalo as the incoming Director of Operations and Finance.

**B. Principal's Report**

Dr. Adriaan provided an oral report on the following:

**State testing:** We have already reached a 90% test administration rate, with make up tests in progress. Grades tested are 7, 8, and 11. A handful of families opted out of testing.

**College Acceptances:** Fourteen students with acceptance letters and scholarships so far.

**2023-24 Staffing:** Introduced Gabriel Rico as our new Spanish teacher, and a new School Psychologist.

**C. Staff Liaison Report**

Ms. Del Sole provided a written and oral report on:

Student testing, other schools attending daytime shows of *Into the Woods*, end of year school events, planning for the 2023-24 year.

**V. Adjourn to Closed Session**

**A. Reconvene from closed session**

Returned to Open Session at 8:43 p.m.

The Board took the following action in closed session:

**1. Case No: 041923-01--approve recommendation for expulsion**

R. Magana: AYE

I. Rapier: AYE

C. Sutton: AYE

**2. Case No: 042023-01--deny recommendation for expulsion**

R. Magana: AYE

I. Rapier: AYE

C. Sutton: AYE

**VI. Closing Items**

**A. Adjourn Meeting**

I. Rapier made a motion to adjourn the meeting.

R. Magana seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

R. Magana Aye

C. Sutton Aye

R. Hunt Absent

I. Rapier Aye

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 8:44 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

S. Bow

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