

# Diego Valley East Public Charter School

## Regular Board Meeting

Operated by Diego Plus Education Corporation, A California Non-Profit Public Benefit Corporation

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### Date and Time

Monday June 3, 2024 at 1:00 PM PDT

### Location

Meeting Location: 4348 54th Street, San Diego, CA 92115

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### MEETING LOGISTICS

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### REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION WILL BE PROVIDED FOR ANY INDIVIDUAL WITH A DISABILITY

Please see the "Accommodations" notice below.

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### Agenda

**I. Opening Items**

**1:00 PM**

Opening Items

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| <b>A.</b> Call the Meeting to Order             |  | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |  |
| <b>B.</b> Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum |  | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |  |

**Members of the Board Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum**

Ruth Escarcega Newell, Board President  
 Carol Stanford, Board Secretary  
 Victoria Hancock, Board Member  
 Jacqueline R. Reynoso, Board Member  
 Susan L. Alderson, Board Member

**Learning Centers Roll Call:**

511 North 2nd Street, El Cajon, CA 92021

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| <b>C.</b> Pledge of Allegiance |  | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |  |
| <b>D.</b> Staff Introductions  |  | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |  |

*At this time, staff members will be invited to state their names and titles.*

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| <b>E.</b> Approve Agenda for the June 3, 2024, Regular<br>Public Meeting of the Board of Directors  | Vote               | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |  |
| <b>F.</b> Approve Minutes of the April 8, 2024, Regular<br>Public Meeting of the Board of Directors | Approve<br>Minutes | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |  |

**II. Consent Agenda**

*All items listed under consent agenda are considered by the Board to be routine and consistent with approved policies and practices of the Charter School. The Board will be asked to approve all of the consent agenda items by a single vote unless requested by a Board member to be discussed and considered for action separately.*

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| <b>A.</b> Consent Agenda Items | Vote | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |  |
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1. The Board will be asked to accept the Uniform Complaints Report for the 2023-2024 school year: 0 Complaints Received
2. The Board will be asked to repeal the Area Superintendent Evaluation Policy and Procedures effective July 1, 2023

**III. Public Comment**

*At this time, members of the public may address the Board on any item within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board, whether or not the item is on the agenda. The time allotted per presentation will not exceed three (3) minutes, unless a member of the public utilizes a translator, in which case the time allotted will not exceed six (6) minutes. In accordance with the Brown Act, no action may occur at this time, but it is the Board's prerogative to hold a brief discussion, provide information to the public, provide direction to staff, or schedule the matter for a future meeting.*

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| A. Public Comment | FYI | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |
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**IV. School Reports and Information**

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| A. Area Superintendent Update  | FYI | Lindsay Reese            |
| B. Principal Update  | FYI | Lisa Youngflesh          |
| C. Finance Update  | FYI | Guita Sharifi            |
| D. Report on Mathematics Placement Results   | FYI | Lindsay Reese            |
| E. LCFF Local Indicators Report  | FYI | Lindsay Reese            |
| F. Annual IRS Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax and the California return for 2022, as filed | FYI | Guita Sharifi            |
| G. 2024-2025 Board Meeting Dates   | FYI | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |

**V. Public Hearing**

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| A. Open Public Hearing | Vote | Ruth Escarcega<br>Newell |
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	Purpose	Presenter	Time
<b>B.</b> The Board will hold a public hearing to solicit the recommendations and comments of members of the public regarding the 2024-2025 Budget Overview for Parents, 2023-2024 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) Annual Update, and the LCAP with Comprehensive Support and Improvement Plan for the 2024-2025 school year	Discuss	Lindsay Reese	

<b>C.</b> Close Public Hearing	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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## VI. Action Items

<b>A.</b> The Board will be asked to approve Carol Stanford to serve on the Board of Directors for the term July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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<b>B.</b> The Board will be asked to approve Victoria Hancock to serve on the Board of Directors for the term July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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<b>C.</b> The Board will be asked to approve Jacqueline R. Reynoso to serve on the Board of Directors for the term July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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<b>D.</b> The Board will be asked to approve Susan L. Alderson to serve on the Board of Directors for the term July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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<b>E.</b> The Board will be asked to approve Ruth Escarcega Newell to serve on the Board of Directors for the term July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025	Vote	Carol Stanford	
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<b>F.</b> The Board will be asked to approve the Propostion 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Annual Report for fiscal year 2023-24	Vote	Lindsay Reese	
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<b>G.</b> The Board will be asked to reauthorize the Corporate Officers and Senior Administration to make all reasonable and necessary business arrangements, and enter into all reasonable and necessary transactions, including but not limited	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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	to, contracts with vendors, employees, consultants and others		
<b>H.</b>	The Board will be asked to reauthorize the Corporate Officers to award discretionary incentives to employees at various sundry times	Vote	Lindsay Reese
<b>I.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve the revised Charter School Accounting Manual	Vote	Guita Sharifi
<b>J.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) for school year 2024-2025, which drives the primary source of funding for the charter school	Vote	Guita Sharifi
<b>K.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve the Education Protection Account (EPA) spending determinations	Vote	Guita Sharifi
<b>L.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve the Budget for the 2024-2025 fiscal year	Vote	Guita Sharifi
<b>M.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve the 2024-2025 Budget Overview for Parents, 2023-2024 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) Annual Update, and the LCAP with Comprehensive Support and Improvement Plan for the 2024-2025 school year	Vote	Lindsay Reese
<b>N.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve the revised Expanded Learning Opportunities Grant (ELO-G) Plan for the school	Vote	Lindsay Reese
<b>O.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve the Consolidated Application process and submission for all reports required for the 2024-2025 school year	Vote	Lindsay Reese
<b>P.</b>	The Board will be asked to renew a Revolving Line of Credit (RLOC) from Hanmi Bank for the 2024-2025 school year, as needed, to maintain adequate cash flow pursuant to the RLOC provisions	Vote	Guita Sharifi
<b>Q.</b>	The Board will be asked to approve obtaining a loan from Lifelong Learning Administration	Vote	Guita Sharifi

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
Corporation (LLAC) during the 2024-2025 fiscal year, as needed to maintain adequate cash flow, pursuant to promissory note provisions with applicable interest			

<b>R.</b> The Board will be asked to approve the signers for all bank accounts	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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**VII. Additional Corporate Officers and Board Members' Observations and Comments**

<b>A.</b> Observations and Comments	FYI	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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**VIII. Closed Session**

<b>A.</b> Adjourn open public Board meeting to go into closed session	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL—EXISTING LITIGATION  
(Government Code section 54956.9(d)(1).)  
Name of Case: Grossmont Union High School District vs. Julian Union School District,  
San Diego County Case Number: 37-2015-00033720-CU-WM-CTL

2. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION  
(Government Code section 54957(b)(1).)  
Title: Superintendent

<b>B.</b> Adjourn closed session and reconvene to open Board meeting	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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<b>C.</b> Report of action taken or recommendations made in closed session, if any	FYI	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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**IX. Closing Items**

<b>A.</b> Next Regular Board Meeting Date: August 26, 2024, 2:00pm	FYI	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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<b>B.</b> Adjourn Meeting	Vote	Ruth Escarcega Newell	
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