



The Cottonwood School

Regular Scheduled Board Meeting

Date and Time

Tuesday October 20, 2020 at 6:00 PM PDT

Location

7006 Rossmore Lane
El Dorado Hills, CA 95762

Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/99125355655>

Meeting ID: 991 2535 5655
Join by Phone: +1 (669) 900-6833

Agenda

| | Purpose | Presenter | Time |
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| I. Opening Items | | | 6:00 PM |
| A. Record Attendance | | | 1 m |
| B. Call the Meeting to Order | | | 1 m |
| C. Public Comments | | | 2 m |
| Limited to Closed Session Agenda Items Only | | | |
| D. Closed Session - Public Employment | Vote | | 56 m |
| Title: Executive Director | | | |
| E. Announcement of Any Action Taken in Closed Session | Discuss | Dr. Norman Lorenz | 1 m |
| II. Open Session - Opening Items | | | 7:01 PM |
| A. Approval of the Agenda | Vote | | 1 m |
| B. Public Comments | FYI | | 2 m |
| C. Executive Director Contract, Salary, and Fringe Benefits | Vote | Dr. Norman Lorenz | 5 m |
| D. Executive Director's Report | FYI | Cindy Garcia | 10 m |
| E. Approve Minutes | Approve Minutes | | 1 m |
| Approve minutes for Regular Scheduled Board Meeting on September 15, 2020 | | | |
| F. Approve Minutes | Approve Minutes | | 1 m |
| Approve minutes for Special Board Meeting on September 29, 2020 | | | |

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| III. Academic Excellence | | | 7:21 PM |
| A. El Dorado Charter SELPA Local Plan Section B & Participation Agreement | Vote | Dr. Amanda Johnson | 5 m |
| B. Special Education Extended School Year (ESY) for 2020-2021 | Vote | Dr. Amanda Johnson | 5 m |
| C. Promotion, Acceleration, and Retention Policy | Vote | Cindy Garcia | 5 m |
| IV. Operations | | | 7:36 PM |
| A. Employee Handbook 2020-2021 | Vote | Cindy Garcia | 5 m |
| B. Job Description for Director of School Compliance and Accountability | Vote | Jodiann Beeson | 5 m |
| C. Uniform Complaint Policy and Procedures | Vote | Jodiann Beeson | 5 m |
| D. Policy for the Inspection of Public Records | Vote | Jodiann Beeson | 5 m |
| E. Teacher Induction Policy | Vote | Cindy Garcia | 5 m |
| V. Finance | | | 8:01 PM |
| A. September Financials | Discuss | Darlington Ahaiwe | 10 m |
| B. Mileage Reimbursement Policy | Vote | Cindy Garcia | 5 m |
| C. Updated Compensation Policy 2020-2021 | Vote | Jodiann Beeson | 5 m |
| VI. Closing Items | | | 8:21 PM |
| A. Board of Directors Comments & Requests | Discuss | | 5 m |
| B. Announcement of Next Regular Scheduled Board Meeting November 17, 2020 | FYI | | 1 m |
| • Closed Session: 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. | | | |
| • Open Session: 7:00 p.m. | | | |
| C. Adjourn Meeting | Vote | | |

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