



The Cottonwood School

Special Board Meeting

Date and Time

Wednesday January 27, 2021 at 6:00 PM PST

Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/98527202649>

Meeting ID: 985 2720 2649

Join by Phone: (669) 900-6833

Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			6:00 PM
A. Record Attendance			1 m
B. Call the Meeting to Order			1 m
C. Approval of the Agenda	Vote		1 m
D. Public Comments			2 m
E. Executive Director Report		Cindy Garcia	10 m
II. Finance			6:15 PM
A. Fiscal Year 20-21 Projections Based on the Board's Strategic Planning	Discuss	Darlington Ahaiwe	10 m
III. Operations			6:25 PM
A. The 21-22 Cottonwood Organization Chart	Vote	Cindy Garcia	5 m
B. Compensation Policy	Vote	Cindy Garcia	5 m
C. Public Random Drawing / Lottery Policy	Vote	Cindy Garcia	5 m
D. Disposal of Surplus, Obsolete, or Unneeded Books, Equipment and Supplies Policy	Vote	Ann Buxton	5 m

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E. COVID-19 Prevention Program	Vote	Ann Buxton	5 m
F. Covid 19 School Guidance Checklist	Vote	Ann Buxton	5 m
IV. Academic Excellence			6:55 PM
A. Policy and Procedure for Opting Out of State Testing	Vote	Cindy Garcia & Kristie Nicosia	5 m
V. Closing Items			7:00 PM
A. Board of Directors Comments & Requests	Discuss		2 m
B. Announcement of Next Regular Scheduled Board Meeting	FYI		1 m
February 16, 2021			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed Session: 6:00 p.m. • Open Session: 7:00 p.m. 			
C. Adjourn Meeting	Vote		

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