



REGULAR MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BOARD AGENDA

Date: **Thursday, March 18, 2021**

Venue: Some members of the Board have chosen to meet face-to-face at the Nicolaus Board room and will follow social distancing practices. Other Board members, presenters and attendees may join with zoom as usual.

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REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING 4:30 P.M. START

1. CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

- HCS Governing Board President/Education Representative: Joe Dutra
- Parent Representative: Elaine Palmer
- Parent Representative: Maria (Nina) Schwarz
- Parent Representative: Alexis Spiva
- Western Placer Unified School District, Community Representative: Jim Trimble

2. COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC

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4:35 P.M.

3. CLOSED SESSION

- 3.01 CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS (Government Code Section 54956.8)
Horizon Learning Center Negotiators:
Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/Chief Executive Officer
Kevin Sheehan, Kidder & Matthews
- 3.02 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL: Appoint, Employment, Evaluation of Performance, Discipline or Dismissal/Release of Public Employee (Government Code Section 54957)
CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL- POTENTIAL LITIGATION (Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1))
Paul Thompson, ESQ, Fagen, Friedman, & Fulfroost, LLP
Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/Chief Executive Officer
- 3.03 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL: Appoint, Employment, Evaluation of Performance, Discipline or Dismissal/Release of Public Employee (Government Code Section 54957)
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Charter Safe - Nationwide Insurance
Lindsay Moore, ESQ, Kingsley Bogard, LLP
Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/Chief Executive Officer
- 3.04 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS (Government Code Section 54957.6) Labor Negotiations- HCEA (Horizon Certificated Employees Association)
Lindsay Moore, ESQ, Kingsley Bogard, LLP
Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/ Chief Executive Officer
- 3.05 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATORS (Government Code Section 54957.6) Labor Negotiations- HCSCA/CTA/NEA (Horizon Charter Schools Classified Association/California Teachers Association/National Education Association)
Lindsay Moore, ESQ, Kingsley Bogard, LLP
Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/Chief Executive Officer
- 3.06 POLICY 3.4: MONITORING CEO PERFORMANCE (Government Code Section 54957)
Horizon Charter Schools Governing Board
Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/ Chief Executive Officer

6:30 P.M.

4. ADJOURN TO OPEN SESSION

The Governing Board will disclose any action taken in Closed Session regarding the following:

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Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/ Chief Executive Officer

5. STUDENT PRESENTATION

- 5.01 Student Presentation – [Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics \(STEM\) Club – \[fact sheet\]](#) - Carin Contreras, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services/Chief Academic Officer; Gabe Robert, Guidance Counselor

6. REPORTS AND COMMUNICATION

- 6.01 Communication from the Public

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- 6.02 HCEA (Horizon Certificated Employees Association)

- No statement submitted.

- 6.03 HCSCA/CTA/NEA (Horizon Charter Schools Classified Association/California Teachers Association/National Education Association)

- No statement submitted.

6.04 Assistant Superintendent, Business Services/Chief Business Official; Jay Stewart

6.05 Superintendent/ Chief Executive Officer – Cynthia Wood, EdD

7. CONSENT AGENDA

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

All items on the Consent Agenda will be approved with one motion, which is not debatable and requires a unanimous vote for passage. If any member of the Board, Superintendent, or the public so request, items may be removed from this section and placed in the regular order of business following the approval of the consent agenda.

7.01 Consideration and approval of Meeting Minutes [[fact sheet](#)]

- [February 18, 2021 Regular Meeting Minutes](#)
- [February 25, 2021 Governing Board Workshop Minutes](#)
- [March 4, 2021 Special Meeting Minutes](#)

7.02 Consideration and approval of the [Enrollment Report](#) [[fact sheet](#)] – Jay Stewart, Assistant Superintendent, Business Services/Chief Business Official

7.03 Consideration and approval of the [Warrant Report](#) [[fact sheet](#)] – Jay Stewart, Assistant Superintendent, Business Services/Chief Business Official

7.04 Consideration and approval of the [Certificated Personnel Report](#) [[fact sheet](#)] – Roxanne Regules, ED.d., Assistant Superintendent, Administrative Services/Chief Operations Officer

7.05 Consideration and approval of the [Classified Personnel Report](#) [[fact sheet](#)] – Roxanne Regules, ED.d., Assistant Superintendent, Administrative Services/Chief Operations Officer

7.06 Ratification of MOU's, Contracts, and, Agreements - None

7.07 Consideration and approval of the Horizon Charter School [2021/2022 School Calendar](#) – [[fact sheet](#)] Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/Chief Executive Officer

8. INFORMATION/DISCUSSION/ACTION

“ACTION”: *Indicates items the Board has seen previously*

“Action”: *Indicates items the Board is seeing for the first time*

8.01 Information/Discussion/Action

Consideration and approval of the [Science Monitoring Report](#) – [[fact sheet](#)] – Carin Contreras, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services/Chief Academic Officer;

8.02 Information/Discussion/Action

Consideration and approval of the [2020/2021 Second Interim Report](#) [[fact sheet](#)] - Jay Stewart, Assistant Superintendent, Business Services/Chief Business Official

8.03 Information/Discussion/Action

Consideration of Future Agenda Items [[fact sheet](#)] - Horizon Charter School Governing Board

9. INFORMATION/ DISCUSSION

- 9.01 [Finance and Budget \[fact sheet\]](#) - Cynthia Wood, EdD, Superintendent/Chief Executive Officer; Jay Stewart, Assistant Superintendent, Business Services/Chief Business Official
- 9.02 Information/Discussion
[Math Pilot Update \[fact sheet\]](#) - Carin Contreras, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services/Chief Academic Officer; Caitlin Hartman, Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Professional Learning
- 9.03 Information/Discussion
[English Language Arts & Mathematics Update \[fact sheet\]](#) - Carin Contreras, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services/Chief Academic Officer;

10. GOVERNING BOARD

10.01 BOARD MEMBER REPORTS/COMMENT

- The Board Self-Evaluation Survey will be sent to Board Members after the Board meeting.

10.02 FUTURE MEETING DATES

- April 15, 2021 – Regular Meeting of the Governing Board
- May 20, 2021 – Regular Meeting of the Governing Board
- June 17, 2021 – Regular Meeting of the Governing Board

11. ADJOURNMENT

Information for the Public

Members of the public wishing to comment on any items should complete a Speaker's Card. Speaker's Cards are located at the entrance to the Board Room. Speaker's Cards are to be submitted to the Board Secretary prior to the start of the Meeting.

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Horizon Charter School Board Secretary

PO Box 489000

Lincoln, CA 95648

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Via U.S. Mail at: Horizon Governing Board, P.O. Box 489000, Lincoln, CA 95648

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*Please note: items on the Agenda may not be addressed in the order they are scheduled. Board may alter the order at their discretion.