

Antelope Valley Learning Academy

Regular Board Meeting

Operated by Antelope Valley Learning Academy Inc, A California Non-Profit Public
Benefit Corporation

Date and Time

Thursday June 5, 2025 at 10:00 AM PDT

Location

Meeting Location: 177 Holston Drive, Lancaster, CA 93535

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Please see the "Accommodations" notice below.

Agenda

Purpose	Presenter	Time
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I. Opening Items

10:00 AM

Opening Items

A.	Call the Meeting to Order	Claudette Beck
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B.	Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum	Claudette Beck
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Members of the Board Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum

Claudette Beck, Board President

Michael R. Adams, Board Secretary

Victoria Hancock, Board Member

John Dortch, Board Member

Carol Stanford, Board Member

Learning Centers Roll Call:

37212 47th Street East, Palmdale, CA 93552

533 E. Palmdale Blvd., Suites E, H-J, Palmdale, CA 93550

C.	Pledge of Allegiance	Claudette Beck
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D.	Staff Introductions	Claudette Beck
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At this time, staff members will be invited to state their names and titles.

E.	Approve Agenda for the June 5, 2025, Regular Public Meeting of the Board of Directors	Vote	Claudette Beck
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F.	Approve Minutes of the April 10, 2025, Regular Public Meeting of the Board of Directors	Approve Minutes	Claudette Beck
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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.

A.	Consent Agenda Items	Vote	Claudette Beck
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1. The Board will be asked to accept the Uniform Complaints Report for the 2024-2025 school year: 0 Complaints Received
2. The Board will be asked to approve the revised School Safety Plan

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.

A. Public Comment	FYI	Claudette Beck
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IV. School Reports and Information

A. Finance Update	FYI	Guita Sharifi
B. Area Superintendent Update	FYI	Victor Nardiello
C. Report on Mathematics Placement Results	FYI	Victor Nardiello
D. LCFF Local Indicators Report	FYI	Alex Morris
E. Annual IRS Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax and the California return for 2023, as filed	FYI	Guita Sharifi
F. 2025-2026 Board Meeting Dates	FYI	Claudette Beck

V. Public Hearing

A. Open Public Hearing	Vote	Claudette Beck
B. The Board will hold a public hearing to solicit the recommendations and comments of members of the public regarding the 2025-2026 Budget Overview for Parents (BOP) and the Local	Discuss	Alex Morris

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Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) for the 2025-2026 school year			
C. Close Public Hearing	Vote	Claudette Beck	

VI. Action Items

A. The Board will be asked to approve the 2025-2026 Budget Overview for Parents (BOP) and Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) for the 2025-2026 school year	Vote	Alex Morris	
B. The Board will be asked to confirm its acknowledgment that Claudette Beck, Michael R. Adams, Victoria Hancock, John Dortch and Carol Stanford have been reappointed as members of the Board of Directors by Educational Advancement Corporation, the sole member of Antelope Valley Learning Academy, Inc. for the term July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026	Vote	Bill Thompson	
C. The Board will be asked to approve entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Lancaster School District to provide instruction to students	Vote	Victor Nardiello	
D. The Board will be asked to approve entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Ojai Unified School District to provide instruction to students	Vote	Victor Nardiello	
E. The Board will be asked to approve entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Palmdale School District to provide instruction to students	Vote	Victor Nardiello	
F. The Board will be asked to approve entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Simi Valley Unified School District to provide instruction to students	Vote	Victor Nardiello	
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Ventura Unified School District to provide instruction to students			
H. The Board will be asked to approve the Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Annual Report for fiscal year 2024-25	Vote	Alex Morris	
I. The Board will be asked to approve revisions to Diploma Path 2 – Special Circumstances for students aged 19 or older who are at risk of not graduating due to extenuating life circumstances, and Diploma Path 3 – Special Programs for protected student populations (state minimum)	Vote	Victor Nardiello	
J. The Board will be asked to re-authorize the officers of the corporation to award discretionary incentives to employees at various sundry times	Vote	Victor Nardiello	
K. 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 to, contracts with vendors, employees, consultants and others	Vote	Claudette Beck	
L. The Board will be asked to approve the revised Charter School Accounting Manual	Vote	Guita Sharifi	
M. The Board will be asked to approve the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) for school year 2025-2026, which drives the primary source of funding for the charter school	Vote	Guita Sharifi	
N. The Board will be asked to approve the Education Protection Account (EPA) spending determinations	Vote	Guita Sharifi	
O. The Board will be asked to approve the Budget for the 2025-2026 fiscal year	Vote	Guita Sharifi	
P. The Board will be asked to approve the Consolidated Application process and	Vote	Victor Nardiello	

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submission for all reports required for the 2025-2026 school year			
Q. The Board will be requested to renew the Revolving Line of Credit (RLOC) with Hanmi Bank for the 2025-2026 school year, as necessary, to ensure sufficient cash flow in accordance with the RLOC terms and applicable interest rates	Vote	Guita Sharifi	
R. The Board will be requested to approve securing a revolving loan from Lifelong Learning Administration Corporation (LLAC) for the 2025-2026 school year, as necessary, to ensure sufficient cash flow, in accordance with the promissory note terms and applicable interest rates	Vote	Guita Sharifi	
S. The Board will be asked to approve the signers for all bank accounts	Vote	Claudette Beck	

VII. Additional Corporate Officers and Board Members' Observations and Comments

A. Observations and Comments	FYI	Claudette Beck
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VIII. Closed Session

A. Adjourn open public Board meeting to go into closed session	Vote	Claudette Beck
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1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL—ANTICIPATED LITIGATION
(Government Code section 54956.9(d)(2).): (1 matter)

2. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL—EXISTING LITIGATION
(Government Code section 54956.9(d)(1).)

Name of Case: Selena Villegas vs. Desert Sands Public Charter, Inc. et al.,
Los Angeles Superior Court Case Number: 22STCV24453

3. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION
(Government Code section 54957(b)(1).)

Title: Superintendent

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
B. Adjourn closed session and reconvene to open public Board meeting	Vote	Claudette Beck	
C. Report of action taken or recommendations made in closed session, if any	FYI	Claudette Beck	

IX. Closing Items

A. Next Regular Board Meeting Date: September 4, 2025, 11:00am	FYI	Claudette Beck	
B. Adjourn Meeting	Vote	Claudette Beck	

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