

## EPLA Board Meeting Agenda

**Meeting Date:** Tuesday, December 7, 2021 at 12:00 PM

**Meeting location:** Virtual

### Notice of Regular Board Meeting

**A meeting of the Board of Directors of the El Paso Leadership Academy will be held on Tuesday, December 7 2021, beginning at 12:00 PM.**

Due to health and safety concerns related to the COVID-19 coronavirus, this meeting will be conducted by videoconference or telephone call. At least a quorum of the board will be participating by videoconference or telephone call in accordance with the provisions of Sections 551.125 or 551.127 of the Texas Government Code that have not been suspended by order of the governor.

**Members of the public may access this meeting as follows:**

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The Board will be allowing public comment / citizen participation to be made in an alternative format. If you wish to address the Board of Directors on either an item on the agenda or a non-agenda topic, you must contact Emily Levario at [elevario@epla.org](mailto:elevario@epla.org) or by calling 915-298-3912 by no later than one hour prior to the meeting (by 11:00 a.m.). In your email or voicemail, please state your name, provide a call back number, and state the agenda item for which you would like to provide a comment. When the Board reaches the Public Comment/Citizen Participation item on the agenda, a staff member will enable the videoconference or connect the telephone call for those individuals who previously signed up to speak.

The open portions of this meeting will be recorded and made available to the public upon request.

**I. Call to Order 12:00 PM**

**II. EPLA Open Forum 12:05-12:15 PM**

**III. Approval of Minutes 12:15 - 12:20 PM**

1. [Minutes of July 13, 2021](#)
2. [Minutes of August 12, 2021](#)
3. [Minutes of October 19, 2021](#)

**IV. Construction Update and Presentation of Change Orders (Heritage and Root Architects) 12:20 - 12:40**

**V. Recruitment Update 12:40-12:50**

**VI. Public Hearing Regarding Intent to Amend the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief III (ESSER III) Federal Grant 12:50-1:00**

1. Uses of Funds Plan - Amended
2. Memo on how Mentoring Minds will be used to address learning loss recovery

**VII. Hearing on Annual Financial Management Report - Charter First Rating 2020-2021 1:00-1:10 PM**

- [2020-2021 Charter First Rating](#)
- [2020-2021 Charter First Rating - Detail](#)
- 2020-2021 Financial Management Report

**VIII. Finance 1:10 - 1:20 PM**

A Information Items	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <a href="#">September 2021 Check Register</a></li> <li>2. <a href="#">October 2021 Check Register</a></li> </ol>
B Consent Agenda	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Approval of 2021-2022 District and Campus Improvement Plans           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <a href="#">District Improvement Plan</a></li> <li>b. <a href="#">Campus Improvement Plan - Flagship MS</a></li> <li>c. <a href="#">Campus Improvement Plan - East MS</a></li> <li>d. <a href="#">Campus Improvement Plan - East HS</a></li> </ol> </li> </ol>
C Action /Discussion Items	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bi-Monthly Financial Report</li> <li>2. Review of Contingency Funds and Approval of Change Orders</li> </ol>

**IX. CEO Report 1:20 - 1:30 PM**

A Information Items	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. CEO Updates</li> <li>2. Schedule Board Meetings for 2022</li> </ol>
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**X. Meeting Adjourned 1:30 PM**

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board of Directors should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the Board of Directors is required, then such closed or executive meeting or session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq., or Texas Government Code 418.183 (f), will be held by the School Board at the date, hour, and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this Notice as the School Board may conveniently meet in such closed or executive meeting or session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act. Before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section or sections of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes, actions, or decisions will be taken in open meeting.