LinkEd Public Schools (LPS) Board Meeting
Central Academy of Arts and Technology

LPS Board of Directors Meeting
Board Meeting

Date and Time of Meeting
Tuesday October 27, 2026 at 1:00 PM

Location
1701 18th Street
Bakersfield, CA 93301

Virtual Meeting Information:
Join Zoom Meeting
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83868086112
Meeting ID: 831 3586 5007
Passcode: iKhn6Q

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRESENTATIONS TO
THE BOARD BY PARENTS AND CITIZENS

LinkEd Public Schools welcomes your participation at the Board meetings. The purpose of a public meeting of the Board of Directors ("Board") is to conduct the affairs of the school in public. Your participation assures us of continuing community interest in our School. To assist you in the ease of speaking/participating in our meetings, the following guidelines are provided:

1. Agendas are available to all audience members. Email: berenice.parra@linkedps.org for an agenda.

2. Individuals wishing to provide public comment at this Board meeting may send their comments in writing to info@linkedps.org or provide comments during the Oral Communications of the meeting, or prior to the discussion of the agenda item during the meeting –comments received after that point in the meeting will not become part of the record. In your email, please include whether you are commenting on non-agenda items or a specific agenda item (reference the agenda item number). Comments submitted by email will be read aloud during the Board meeting for up to three (3) minutes. If comments are in Spanish or another language, they will be translated to English and such comments will be limited to six (6) minutes. The Board of Directors may limit the total time for public comment to a reasonable time.

3. With regard to specific agenda items, you may specify that agenda item in your email and

you will be given an opportunity to speak for up to five (5) minutes when the Board discusses that item. When addressing the Board, speakers are requested to state their name and adhere to the time limits set forth. Any public records relating to an agenda item for an open session of the Board which are distributed to all, or a majority of all, of the Board members, shall be available for public inspection.

Agenda

I. Opening Items

1.1. Call the Meeting to Order
1.2. Flag Salute
1.3. Record Attendance
1.4. Changes to Agenda
1.5. Public Comments

Non-agenda items: No individual presentation shall be for more than three (3) minutes and the total time for this purpose. Non-English speakers will have six (6) minutes to present. Ordinarily, Board members will not respond to presentations and no action can be taken. However, the Board may give directions to staff following a presentation. Please state your name and address for the record.

2. Consent Agenda Purpose

Vote

2.1-Approval of August 25th board meeting minutes
2.2- Approval of the September 10th special board meeting minutes
2.3- Approval of August check register
2.4- Approval of September 29th board meeting minutes
2.5- Approval of September check register

The Consent Agenda consists of items that in the staff's opinion are routine and noncontroversial. These items are approved in one motion unless a Board Member removes a particular item.

3. Closed Session

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4. Open Session

Report of Closed Session, includes the vote or abstention of every member present.

4.1- Presentation of September Financials

4.1 Review and Approve contract with Margarita Sanchez, LMFT for student counseling services.

4.2 Review and approve resolution in support of Caat application to San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District Alternative Fuel Vehicle Purchase Grant Program

5. Communication

5.1 Superintendent report

- Review 2025-26 School Dashboard Data

5.2 CEO report

7. Closing Items Vote

A. Meeting Adjournment

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