YUBA ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE CHARTER ACADEMY   
 REGULAR MEETING

COUNCIL OF DIRECTORS

9841 Texas Hill Rd.

Oregon House, CA

Thursday, January 26, 2017   
 3:30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRESENTATIONS TO   
THE COUNCIL BY PARENTS AND CITIZENS

The Yuba Environmental Science Charter Academy (“YES Charter Academy”) welcomes your participation at the

School’s Council meetings. The purpose of a public meeting of the Council of Directors (“Council”) is to conduct the affairs of the School in public. We are pleased that you are in attendance and hope that you will visit these meetings often. 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 at the door to the meeting.

2. Blue “Request to Speak” forms are available to all audience members who wish to speak on any agenda items or

under the general category of “Oral Communications.”

3. “Oral Communications” is set aside for members of the audience to raise issues that are not specifically on the

agenda. However, due to public meeting laws, the Council can only listen to your issue, not respond or take

action. These presentations are limited to three (3) minutes and total time allotted to non-agenda items will not exceed fifteen (15) minutes. The Council may give direction to staff to respond to your concern or you may be offered the option of returning with a citizen-requested item.

4. With regard to items that are on the agenda, you may specify that agenda item on your blue request form and you will be given an opportunity to speak for up to five (5) minutes when the Council discusses that item.

5. When addressing the Council, speakers are requested to state their name and address from the podium and adhere

to the time limits set forth.

6. Citizens may request that a topic related to school business be placed on a future agenda in accordance with

the guidelines in the School’s Council Policy. Once such an item is properly agendized and publicly noticed, the Council can respond, interact, and act upon the item.

7. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and upon request, the School may furnish

reasonable auxiliary aids and services to qualified individuals with disabilities. Individuals who require

appropriate alternative modification of the agenda in order to participate in Council meetings are invited to contact the Principal’s office.

I. PRELIMINARY

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL/ESTABLISH QUORUM

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| President/Chair | Jackie Stanfill |  |

Vice President Open

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| Chief Financial Officer | Paul McGovern |  |

Secretary Open

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| Staff Representative | Tena Brown |  |

Director Jessica Shier

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| Director | Freja Nelson |  |

Director Open

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| Director | Open |  |

C. Adopt Minutes from Previous Meeting

D. Reading of Vision/Mission/Core Values:

Mission: YES CHARTER ACADEMY educates K-8 students in a school culture that values the scientific

method and a curricular focus on environmental studies. The highest Common Core State Standards, as well as high standards of moral conduct, are emphasized.

The vision of the YES CHARTER ACADEMY is to educate K - 8 students of the Sierra Foothills through a self-motivating, individualized, and comprehensive curriculum that connects learners with learning via a program, teaching staff, and school culture that value scientific methods of inquiry.

YES Charter Academy Students Are: Environmental Stewards, Positive Team Members, Academic Masters, Resourceful, Responsible Citizens, Kind!

II. PUBLIC SESSION

A. For Information/Action:

Living Building Challenge overview by Susan Rainier

B. For Information/Action:

LCAP Planning document

C. For Information/Action:

Academic Mastery planning progress

D. For Information:

*Budget Update*: and. Update on Grants and Fundraising

E/ For Information/Action:

update agenda to include old business/new business

F. For Discussion/Action:

Lease agreement and grant deed

G. For Discussion/Action:

YCOE MOU - report waitlisting children?

H. For Discussion/Action:

Prop 39 progress and status

I. Closed session: Personnel compensation/coverage

J. Report out Closed session

I. Calendar and Coming Events:

J. ADJOURNMENT