

Foster Elementary Charter School

Charter Board Meeting Agenda



Date: ~~1.14.25~~ 2.11.25

Time: 06:00 PM

Location: Foster LMC & Online

<p><u>Mission</u></p> <p>Stephen Foster Elementary Charter School creates partnerships among students, staff, parents and community members to serve a diverse population of learners comprised of neighborhood and open enrolled students in grades 4K-5.</p>	<p><u>Vision</u></p> <p>Stephen Foster Elementary Charter School develops independent learners who: honor diversity; show respect for themselves, others and the environment; and seek to use their unique strengths to lead efforts to improve the world around them.</p>
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To join the meeting via Google Meet link:

<https://meet.google.com/pyr-vtfj-jhr>

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Linked Documents & Media –

[December Charter Board Minutes](#)

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TOPIC		FACILITATOR
Attendance Present	Absent	Cortney
<p>Announcements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The January meeting was cancelled due to board members not being able to attend. The online makeup meeting was also cancelled due to no school. 		Susie
<p>Call to Order</p> <p>Approval of Minutes (see Linked Documents & Media)</p> <p>Changes/Additions? Yes/No</p> <p>Motion to approve by: Seconded by:</p> <p>Result of Vote: Carried/Failed/Tabled</p>		Susie
Administrator Report		Kelsi, Cortney

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Celebrations ● General <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Staffing - retirement of Mary Welhouse, new paraprofessional hired Amy Popp ○ Literacy Updates - Personal Reading Plan ● Future Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hiring Timeline <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1/16 - Kelsi will receive enrollment projections & FTE allocation ▪ 1/21 - Preference/Input Forms for educators shared ▪ 1/31 - Preference/Input Forms due to evaluator ▪ 1/31 - Postings for Sandy Slope Elementary (internal only) on Frontline ▪ 2/10 - Deadline for educators to request contract change ▪ 2/14 - Elementary Configurations due to Leadership Team ▪ 2/17 - Deadline for educators to notify the District of intent to retire ▪ 2/21 - Deadline for principals to notify educators of potential layoff, TWA status, and/or initial assignment ▪ 2/22 - AASD Recruitment Event @ Appleton North ○ Currently, will be posting 1.0 special education and 1.0 special education paraprofessional ○  Foster Future Lock-In Planning ○  Plan for Foster Elementary Charter School Renewal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪  Charter Renewal Agenda ○ Adding class size caps for charter applicants to bylaws governance board handbook <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ examples: Highlands and Fulton 	
<p><u>Programs & Services Committee</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 	Cortney, Sarah
<p>Business Services Committee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 	Kraig/Jamie
<p>Policy Review Committee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 	Kraig
<p>Old Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Adding class size caps for charter applicants to bylaws ● iReady Data Share Out ● January-Discuss naming proposal ● Yard Signs 	Susie, Jamie

New Business- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Possibly combine sub committees • 	<p style="text-align: center;">Jamie, Susie</p>
Adjournment Motion to adjourn by: Seconded by: Result of Vote: Carried/Failed/Tabled	Minutes submitted by: Cortney Dvorachek
Topics for Future Meetings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, March 11, 2025, at 06:00, **Foster LMC & Zoom**

The Foster Charter Board generally meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month except July, unless there are conflicts with the school calendar or activities, or when the Board's work requires additional meeting time. An Important Dates document is published at the beginning of each school year; any deviations from this schedule are recorded in Board Agendas & Minutes. (Emergency schedule changes are communicated by the most efficient method available at the time.)

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