

University YES Academy Board of Directors

Date: December 15, 2025 Time: 6:00 p.m. Location: University Yes Academy, 14669 Curtis, Detroit, MI 48235

Regular Board Meeting Minutes

1. Call to Order: Meeting called to order by Board President Shield 6:08 pm.
2. Roll call of Board members

Name	Present	Excused Absence
William Shield, President	X	
James Hunter, Vice President/Secretary	X	
Christopher Leslie, Treasurer	X	
Kim Logan-Nowlin, Member-At-Large	X	

NPFE Staff Present:

Jacqueline Ervin, Business Manager
Robert Hines, University Yes Academy's Principal
Paris Hodge, Chief Financial Officer
Otilia Ross, Administrative Assistant
LaTasha Tucker, Director of Operations

Others Present:

Amy Zacharias, BMCC Representative

3. Approval of Agenda: Motion to approve the agenda moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Leslie, unanimously approved.
4. Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve the minutes moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Leslie, unanimously approved.
5. Public Comment (limited to agenda only): None
6. Board Action Item(s)
 - a. Emergency Operations Plan: Motion to approve the Emergency Operations Plan moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Hunter, unanimously approved.
7. Administrative Report


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- a. Financial Report.....Paris Hodge: The new amended budget will be presented at the January 2026 meeting.
- b. Principal's Report.....Robert Hines: Enrollment is up by 100 students this year from last year. UYA has created incentives to boost attendance. UYA is now fully staffed, but is looking for two interventionists for elementary.
8. New Business/Correspondence
9. Board Comments: None
10. Authorizer Comments.....Amy Zacharias, BMCC Representative
11. Public Comment (non-agenda items): None
12. Confirmation of next Board Meeting.....January 26, 2026 CONFIRMED
13. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned by Board President Shield at 6:51 pm.

All meeting attendees are invited to make public comments after signing their name on the sign-up sheet immediately preceding the meeting. Comments must be limited to two minutes.


Board Secretary Signature


Date

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