

MEETING MINUTES

1. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Shannon Beck and carried by a vote of 6 to 0 to approve the agenda with changes. Item number three: Annual Organization of the Board, was moved to after, item number 10: Personnel. 6 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Aye Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

a. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Amber Solorzano, Board President at 5:39pm.

Welcome to Guest

Roll Call

Board Members Present:

Amber Solorzano

Angela Helton

David McGovern

Sarah Hayworth (via Zoom from Redlands)

Shannon Beck

Kristy DeMatte

Administrative Present:

Dena Kiouses - Executive Director

Pledge of Allegiance/Minute of Silence

Amber Solorzano, Board President led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments

3. ANNUAL ORGANIZATION OF THE BOARD

a. Administration of Oath of Office

The Administration of Oath of Office was administered by Dena Kiouses, Executive Director, for all board members.

b. Election of Governing Board Officers

Board President: Amber Solorzano

Board Vice President: Angela Helton

Board Secretary: Shannon Beck

Board Treasure: David McGovern

Board Member at Large: Sarah Hayworth
Board Member at Large: Kristy DeMatte
Board Authorized Representative: Dena Kiouses

A motion was made by Angela Helton, second by Kristy DeMatte and carried by a vote of 6 to 0 to approve the following positions for the 2026 calendar year. 6 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Aye Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

c. Regular Board Meeting Schedule

February 12, 2026
March 12, 2026
April 9, 2026
May 14, 2026
June 11, 2026
June 19, 2026
August 13, 2026
September 10, 2026
October 8, 2026
November 12, 2026
December 10, 2026

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Shannon Beck and carried by a vote of 6 to 0 to approve the listed Board Meeting Calendar and set a time for 5:30pm, for Regular Board Meetings to be held at the Santa Clarita Resource Center, 16530 Lost Canyon Road, Santa Clarita, CA. 6 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Aye Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

4. CLOSED SESSION

Amber Solorzano, Board President adjourned to closed session at 5:41pm.

a. Personnel Action - Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release (§ 54957)

5. RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

President Amber Solorzano reconvened to open session at 6:40pm. No report was given.

6. CONSENT AGENDA

**a. Approval of Minutes
November 13, 2025**

**b. Payment of Bills: November 2025
November 2025 (GLC SBSC)
November 2025 (GLC)**

**c. Payroll: November 2025
Payroll November 2025
Payroll November 2025 – Extra Duty Stipends**

A motion was made by Angela Helton, seconded by Shannon Beck, and carried by a vote of 6 to 0 to approve Consent Agenda as presented. 6 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Aye Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

7. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

Executive Director, Dena Kiouses gave a report to the board and guests.

8. CURRICULUM

a. Enrollment & Average Daily Attendance (ADA) Reports

Enrollment & Daily Average Attendance – GLC SBSC (LP 4)

Enrollment & Daily Average Attendance – GL (LP 4)

b. GLC ASB Constitution and By Laws

A motion was made by Angela Helton, seconded by Kristy DeMatte, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve the GLC ASB Constitution and By Laws. 6 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Aye Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

Board Member, Sarah Hayworth left the board meeting at 6:49pm.

c. English Language (EL) Reclassification Criteria

A motion was made by Kristy DeMatte, seconded by Angela Helton, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve the English Language (EL) Reclassification Criteria as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

d. Title I Overview 2025-26 SY

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Angela Helton, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve Title I Overview 2025-26 for the school year as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

9. FINANCE AND BUSINESS

a. GLC: 2025-26 1st Interim Report

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Angela Helton, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve the 2025-26 1st Interim Reports for GLC as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

b. GLC SB/SC: 2025-26 1st Interim Report

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Kristy DeMatte, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 approve the 2025-26 1st Interim Reports for GLC SB/SC as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

c. GLC: Resolution No. 25-12-01 Education Protection Account (EPA)

A motion was made by Kristy DeMatte, seconded by Shannon Beck, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve GLC: Resolution No. 25-12-01 Education Protection Account (EPA) for GLC as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

d. GLC SBSC: Resolution No. 25-12-02 Education Protection Account (EPA)

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Shannon Beck, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve Resolution No. 25-12-02 Education Protection Account (EPA) for GLC as presented. 5 AYES.

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

e. External Audit Report for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2025

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Shannon Beck, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve External Audit Report for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2025, as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

f. Classified Salary Schedule

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Angela Helton, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to Ratify the approval of the Classified Salary Schedule as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

g. Classified Management Salary Schedule

A motion was made by Kristy DeMatte, seconded by Shannon Beck, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to Ratify the approval of the Classified Management Salary Schedule as presented. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

h. Agreement: Campus Culture Consulting

A motion was made by Kristy DeMatte, seconded by Angela Helton, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve the agreement between Campus Culture Consulting and GLCN not to exceed \$75,000/school year. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

i. Lease: Antelope Valley Registration Office

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Kristy DeMatte, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve discussion and consider a new lease for Antelope Valley Registration Office Lease. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

j. New Account: Home2 Suites by Hilton

A motion was made by David McGovern, seconded by Angela Helton, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to approve opening a business account with Home2 Suites by Hilton. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

10. PERSONNEL

a. Certificated Employment

N/A

b. Certificated Separations of Employment

N/A

c. Classified Employment

A motion was made by Shannon Beck, seconded by Kristy DeMatte, and carried by a vote of 5 to 0 to Ratify the separation from employment of Employee #0949 as Para-educator II (9 hours/day; 140 days/year; Alternative Workweek Schedule) effective November 14, 2025. 5 AYES

Vote: Beck-Aye DeMatte-Aye Hayworth-Absent Helton-Aye McGovern-Aye Solorzano-Aye

d. Classified Separations of Employment

N/A

11. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next scheduled Regular Board Meeting January 8, 2026

12. BOARD COMMENTS

No comments made

13. ADJOURNMENT

Amber Solorzano, Board President, adjourned the meeting at 7:19pm



Shannon Beck, Board Clerk

