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Pensar Academy Governing Board Meeting
March 13, 2026
10:00am

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Location

Pensar Academy
6135 N Black Canyon Hwy
Phoenix, AZ 85015

Board Members Present (at location):

Sandra Zupetz

Board Members Absent:

NONE

Board Members Present (Zoom):

Martin Zupetz
David Pearsall
Antonio "Tony" Reyes

Member of the Public Present:

Daniela Medina
Gerry Garcia

Quorum: Established. Present board members: 4; Absent board members: 0.

Minutes taken by: Sandra Zupetz

Call to order of the Pensar Academy Governing Board:

Meeting was called to order at 10:00am by S. Zupetz.

Adoption of the Agenda: Motion to adopt agenda: Pearsall, Second: Reyes. Motion passes unanimously.

Agenda Item 1: Consideration of Meeting Minutes for January 13, 2026: Motion to approve: Pearsall, Second: Reyes. Motion passes unanimously.

Agenda Item 2: The Governing Board will review and consider approval of the following policies updated for compliance with Arizona statutory requirements:

Motion to approve the Updated Gifted Policy: D. Pearsall, Second: A. Reyes. Motion passes unanimously.

Motion to approve the Updated Accounting/Fiscal Management Policies: Zupetz, Second: D. Pearsall. Motion passes unanimously.

Motion to approve the Updated Enrollment Policy: Zupetz, Second: D. Pearsall. Motion passes unanimously.

Agenda 3: Consideration for Approval of FY27 School Calendar Agenda

Motion to approve the proposed FY27 Calendar: S. Zupetz, Second: M. Zupetz. Motion passes unanimously.

Agenda Item 4: Update of K-3 Expansion

K-3 Assistant Principal Daniela Medina presented the board with a report that highlighted strong enrollment numbers, strong teacher hiring, and facility changes expected.

Principal Report:

10-year Arizona State Board for Charter Schools is in the process of being completed.

FY25 Annual Bond Report delivered no additional questions.

Governing Board requested information (time and date) of the 8th Grade Promotion.

Governing Board requested that Principal conduct a Data Dig of chronic absenteeism.

Meeting Adjourned:

Motion to adjourn-S. Zupetz; Second-M. Zupetz. Motion passes unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 10:18am

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