

REGULAR MEETING OF SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL (SSC)

Latino College Prep Academy
PUBLIC MEETING #1
GOOGLE MEET VIDEO CONFERENCING
LCPA School Site Council #1 (Virtual)
Tuesday, September 15- 4:00 pm
Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/hfp-arcj-npf>
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Date: Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Time: 4:00 PM

AGENDA & MINUTES

START OF MEETING: 4:01 pm - Rescheduled for September 22, 2026

1.01 Roll Call of School Site Council Members (1 Minutes).

Designation	Name	Attendance
Principal	Mr. Jesus Rios	Yes ▾
Assistant Principal	Christina Azevedo	Yes ▾
Educator	Maria Humildad	Yes ▾
Educator	Celina Escobedo	Yes ▾
Educator	Graciela Juarez	Yes ▾
Non-Teaching Staff	Hilda Peralta	Yes ▾
Parent #1	Patricia Ortiz	Yes ▾
Parent #2 (Guardian)	Araceli Ortiz	Yes ▾
Parent #3	Rosaura Ucan	Yes ▾
Student #1	Allison Rosales	Attendance ▾
Parent/Guardian/Student		Attendance ▾
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1.02 Public Comment.

Individuals wishing to address the School Site Council (SSC) on agenda items, and/or other items, may do so at this time. There will be a 2-minute limit per person; and the total allotted time will not exceed 15-minutes.

Araceli Ortiz noted that she needed to receive the form link again; the public Comment period was the opened and closed, subject to established time limits.

Starting time: 4:02 PM

Ending time: 4:06 PM

2.01 Welcome and Introductions (5 mins)

- Opening remarks
- Introduction of members
- Overview of the School Site Council's purpose and goals
- It introduced the first School Council meeting for the 2026-2027 year and explained the importance of family and school community participation.

3.01 Review of Meeting Agenda (4 minutes)

- Overview of the agenda items
- Adjustments or additions to the agenda
- Agenda items were reviewed, including reports, the budget, school goals, pending business, and announcements.

3.02 Approval of Agenda for SSC Meeting September 15, 2026 (1 Minute).

- Motion to Approve: Christina Azevedo
- Second: Hilda Peralta
- In Favor: All

4.01 Overview of Roles and Responsibilities of SSC Members (10 minutes)

- Explanation of individual roles and responsibilities
- Discussion on member expectations and contributions
- Nomination and elections
- The School Council's responsibilities regarding academic performance, the school plan, expenditures, evaluation, and support for English learners were outlined. The required composition of the council was also explained, and the final members would be determined at the following month's meeting.

5.01 Budget Report

- Review school budget update
 - Discussion of Budget items from June 2, 2026 - October 31, 2026

- The committee reviewed expenditures for summer school, school preparation, field trips, meals for a district committee, coffee, pastries, and fuel. Hilda Peralta clarified that the school would cover a portion of a trip and that students had already paid their share of the fare.
- Student transportation and projected budget
- The use of Clipper cards and the increase in participating students—from 22 in August to 28 in September—were explained. Jesus Rios then presented projected expenses for meetings, meals, clipper cards for 30 students, and the AP trip to the Monterey Bay Aquarium; the floor was opened for questions.
- Motions to Approve: Christina Azevedo
- Second: Hilda Peralta
- In Favor: All

6.01 Committee Report - Overview of School Goals and Objectives/Review of School Improvement Plan Documents (10 minutes)

- LCPS SPSA is the LCAP
- Presentation of the School Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA)/LCAP
- LCAP Written Narrative and Goals
- Review and Discussion
- The SPSA and LCAP goals for 2026-2027 were presented, focusing on academic performance, A-G requirements, English learner progress, and a positive school culture. It was also explained that the three-year LCAP would include goals, actions, services, and expenditures, and would be updated annually with input from educational partners.

6.02 Committee Report - 3 Year LCAP

- Review 3 Year LCAP plan for 26-27
- Discussion and Questions
- It was clarified that the information shown corresponds to an activity timeline and the district will soon request family input to define priorities for the third year of the LCAP.

7.01 Unfinished business

- Review of action items and unfinished assignments
- Summary of decisions and next steps
- Next meeting will be on October 20, 2026

8.01 New business/Open Forum (10 minutes)

- Opportunity for members to raise additional topics or concerns

- Q&A session
- Patricia Ortiz Medina and Araceli Ortiz questioned including long presentations during Cafecito, noting that they make meetings run too long and have contributed to lower attendance. It was recommended keeping the Cafecito focused on school matters and scheduling resource presentations separately.
- Araceli Ortiz asked that progress updates on English Learners and the LCAP be discussed in forums open to a wider range of families. She also proposed providing better explanations of what the LCAP is, how its funds are used, and how parents who are not formal committee members can participate.
- Jesus Rios inquired about moving resource presentations to 6:00 PM meetings; Rosaura Ucan (parent) supported the proposal, stating that it would make the Cafecito shorter and more relevant for families. For the next Cafecito, the group considered moving or canceling a morning presentation to reserve time for Peter Ortiz to speak about school resources and needs.
- A proposal was raised to request a traffic light in front of the school because of morning traffic difficulties. The importance of bringing parents together to show support for Peter Ortiz's proposal was also highlighted.
- An incident was recounted in which unmarked vehicles were mistaken for ICE units near the school. A subsequent investigation confirmed that they were undercover County Sheriff's deputies.
- Araceli Ortiz explained the context of undercover police activity in the area and its possible causes. She recommended staying calm, verifying information with authorities, and avoiding collective anxiety among families and students.

9.01 Announcements

- * Jesus Rios read the activities and events performed by Latino College Preparatory Academy during the month of September.

10.01 Adjournment (5 minutes)

- Closing remarks
- Meeting adjournment
- Motion to adjourn : Christina Azevedo
- Second: Araceli Ortiz
- In Favor: All
- **End of Meeting: 4:55 pm**