Da Vinci Schools

Da Vinci Schools Regular Board Meeting

Date and Time
Wednesday April 26, 2023 at 6:00 PM PDT

Location
201 N. Douglas Street, El Segundo, CA 90245

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**Agenda**

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Opening Items

A. Call the Meeting to Order  
   Don Brann

B. Record Attendance and Guests  
   Alison Wohlwerth

C. Approval of Agenda  
   Vote  
   Don Brann  
   1 m

Call for any changes to the agenda before a motion to approve the agenda is made and seconded.

D. Public Comments  
   Don Brann  
   5 m

Please see Notice above.

**II. Information**  
6:06 PM

A. From the Board  
   FYI  
   Don Brann  
   5 m

B. From the CEO/Superintendent  
   FYI  
   Matthew Wunder  
   5 m

C. From the COO/Deputy Superintendent  
   FYI  
   Jennifer Hawn  
   5 m

D. Student Board Member Update  
   FYI  
   Student Board Members  
   10 m

E. Presentation: Institute Update  
   FYI  
   Steve Wallis, Crissel  
   20 m
• Real World Learning
• Project Leo

F. Financial Update FYI Michael Amato 15 m

• March Financial Statements
• P2 Attendance Update

G. Facilities Update FYI Vicente Bravo 10 m

• Café Update
• Cooling Tower Update
• Graduation Location

III. Approval of Minutes 7:16 PM

A. Approval of Minutes of the March 22, 2023 Da Vinci Schools Regular Board Meeting Approve Don Brann 1 m

IV. Consent Agenda 7:17 PM

A. Accept Da Vinci Schools Payment Register - March 2023 Vote Don Brann 1 m

Check and ACH transactions over $10K in the month of March, presented by management to the Board for approval, as previously agreed.

B. Approve Revised Pay Scale for Grants Finance & Accounting Manager Position Vote Don Brann 1 m

Staff recommend revising the pay scale for the Grants Finance & Accounting Position, reflective of the industry rate for this position.

C. Approve Revised Pay Scale for Senior Manager of Finance & Accounting Position Vote Don Brann 1 m
Staff recommend revising the pay scale for the Senior Manager of Finance & Accounting Position, reflective of the industry rate for this position.

D. Approve Revised Pay Scale for IT II, Webmaster, Full-Stack Developer Positions

Staff recommend revising the IT II, Webmaster, Full-Stack Developer pay scale to extend to 10 steps, which is the standard for other Classified pay scales.

E. Approve Doctoral Stipend for Administrators

Consistent with educational stipends offered to other certificated faculty, staff recommend approval of a $1,200 stipend for administrators who earn an Ed.D. or Ph.D. The CEO/Superintendent and COO/Deputy Superintendent are excluded from this stipend. Estimated financial impact: $7,200/year.

F. Approve Service Agreement with Non-Public Agency Champions Services Inc. for the 2023-24 School Year

The contract includes Adapted Physical Education services, IEP meeting attendance, and prep time at a rate of $155 per student/session. Nine students receiving services only one time per week at a cost of $1,395 per week for 38 weeks from August 14, 2023 to June 5, 2024. Total not to exceed $53,010.00.

G. Approve Varsity Boys' Basketball Overnight Tournament Trip Request

Request for approval of a tournament trip to San Diego from December 27 to 30, 2023 for the Varsity Boys Basketball team. All costs to be fundraised.

H. Approve 2023-2024 Calendar for Da Vinci Communications, Design, Science, and Connect

I. Approve Career-Connected Learning and Dual Enrollment Programs

Motion to authorize the CEO/Superintendent to develop and implement career-connected learning and dual enrollment programs at DV Connect, and to direct the CEO/Superintendent to include the costs of the programs in the annual budget.

V. Action Item(s) 7:26 PM

A. Approve Recommendation for Salary Increase for Chief Operating Officer/Deputy Superintendent

In line with the salary increase given to all other staff (except the CEO/Superintendent), the same 8% salary increase is also recommended for the Chief Operating Officer/Deputy Superintendent, retroactive to July 1, 2022.
VI. Closed Session

A. Conference with Legal Counsel

Discuss Don Brann 90 m

Conference with Legal Counsel

- Anticipated Litigation (Gov. Code section 54956.9(d)(2)): (2 matters)
- Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release (Gov. Code section 54957(b)): (1 matter)
- Student Discipline (Ed. Code section 48912(b)): (1 matter)

Conference with Real Property Negotiators (Gov. Code section 54956.8): 201 N. Douglas Street, El Segundo, CA 90245

VII. Closing Items

A. Reconvene for Public Session & Closed Session Reporting

FYI Don Brann 1 m

B. Adjourn Meeting

FYI Don Brann 1 m

In honor of Kenneth A. Brown.

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