

Crescent Valley Public Charter School II

Regular Board Meeting

Operated by Desert Sands Public Charter, Inc., A California NonProfit Public Benefit Corporation

Date and Time

Tuesday April 21, 2026 at 5:00 PM PDT

Location

Meeting Location: 177 Holston Drive, Lancaster, CA 93535

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MEETING LOGISTICS

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REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION WILL BE PROVIDED FOR ANY INDIVIDUAL WITH A DISABILITY

Please see the "Accommodations" notice below.

REMINDER

As required by state law (SB 126), this meeting will be audio recorded and posted on the charter school's website.

Agenda

| | Purpose | Presenter | Time |
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I. Opening Items

5:00 PM

Opening Items

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| A. | Call the Meeting to Order | Michael Adams |
| B. | Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum | Michael Adams |

Members of the Board Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum

Michael R. Adams, Board President
 Ruth Escarcega Newell, Board Secretary
 Marvin D. Smith, Board Member
 Dana Clark, Board Member
 James Lott, Board Member

Learning Centers Roll Call:

116 E. Main Street, Visalia, CA 93291

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| C. | Pledge of Allegiance | Michael Adams |
| D. | Staff Introductions | Michael Adams |
| <i>At this time, staff members will be invited to state their names and titles.</i> | | |
| E. | Approve Agenda for the April 21, 2026, Regular Public Meeting of the Board of Directors | Vote Michael Adams |
| F. | Approve Minutes of the March 3, 2026 Regular Public Meeting of the Board of Directors | Approve Minutes Michael Adams |

II. Consent Agenda

All items listed under consent agenda are considered by the Board to be routine and consistent with approved policies and practices of the Charter School. The Board will be asked to approve all of the consent agenda items by a single vote unless requested by a Board member to be discussed and considered for action separately.

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| A. | Consent Agenda Items | Vote Michael Adams |
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1. The Board will be asked to approve the 2026-2027 Employee Handbook

2. The Board will be asked to approve the 2026-2027 Parent-Student Handbook

III. Public Comment

At this time, members of the public may address the Board on any item within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board, whether or not the item is on the agenda. The time allotted per presentation will not exceed three (3) minutes, unless a member of the public utilizes a translator, in which case the time allotted will not exceed six (6) minutes. In accordance with the Brown Act, no action may occur at this time, but it is the Board's prerogative to hold a brief discussion, provide information to the public, provide direction to staff, or schedule the matter for a future meeting.

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| A. Public Comment | FYI | Michael Adams |
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IV. School Reports and Information

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| A. Finance Update | FYI | Guita Sharifi |
| B. Principal Update | FYI | Christianna Percell |
| C. California Community Schools Partnership Program (CCSPP) Implementation Grant Update | FYI | Ricky White |
| D. Career Technical Education Incentive Grant (CTEIG) Update | FYI | Kitty Catania |
| E. Local Control and Accountability Plan Goals and Metrics | FYI | Rafael Aguilar |
| F. School Survey Report | FYI | Rafael Aguilar |
| G. CDE Notification of 2024-2025 Annual Determination Pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and Selection for 2025-2026 Special Education Monitoring Activities | FYI | Amy McIntosh |
| H. Current Vendor List | FYI | Gagendeep Gill |
| I. 2026-2027 Draft Board Meeting Dates | FYI | Michael Adams |

V. Action Items

| | Purpose | Presenter | Time |
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| A. The Board will be asked to approve the Charter School's renewal application and re-certification for Dashboard Alternative School Status | Vote | Gagendeep Gill | |
| B. The Board will be asked to approve the revised Charter School Accounting Manual | Vote | Guita Sharifi | |
| C. The Board will be asked to approve the Declaration of Need (DON) forms as a prerequisite to the issuance of an emergency permit and/or limited assignment permit for teachers at the School for the 2026-2027 School Year per California Code of Regulations §80026 | Vote | Gagendeep Gill | |
| VI. Additional Corporate Officers and Board Members' Observations and Comments | | | |
| A. Observations and Comments | FYI | Michael Adams | |
| VII. Closed Session | | | |
| A. Adjourn open public Board meeting to go into closed session PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION (Government Code section 54957(b)(1).) Title: Superintendent | Vote | Michael Adams | |
| B. Adjourn closed session and reconvene to open public Board meeting | Vote | Michael Adams | |
| C. Report of action taken or recommendations made in closed session, if any | FYI | Michael Adams | |
| VIII. Closing Items | | | |
| A. Next Regular Board Meeting Date: June 4, 2026, 4:00pm | FYI | Michael Adams | |
| B. Adjourn Meeting | Vote | Michael Adams | |

Accommodations. All meetings of the Board of Directors are held in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Requests for disability-related modifications or accommodations, or translation services,

in order to enable all individuals to participate in the Charter School's open and public meetings shall be made by contacting Soliman Villapando at (661) 272-1225 at least twenty four (24) hours before the scheduled meeting.

Non-Discrimination. The Charter School prohibits discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying based on the actual or perceived characteristics of disability, gender, gender identity, gender expression, nationality, national origin, ancestry, race or ethnicity, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, immigration status, potential or actual parental, family or marital status, age, or association with an individual who has any of the aforementioned characteristics, or any other basis protected by federal, state or local law.

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