



## GOVERNING BOARD AGENDA - Special Meeting Board Walk

Meeting of Wednesday, January 29, 2020, 10 AM  
Iftin Charter School Library  
5465 El Cajon Blvd. San Diego CA 92115

*“Provide all students with personalized, challenging, academic programs, which develop 21st Century skills necessary to become active and effective global citizens via a caring, interactive, project-based learning environment that emphasizes culture, character, compassion, and personal values.”*

**Mission:** Iftin Charter School provides students in grades TK-8 an academically rigorous, common core aligned curricula, supplemented with a technology intensive program in a student centered, safe and caring learning environment. ICS addresses the needs of a diverse group of students, their families and communities by building on the strengths of the students’ cultural heritage and life experiences. ICS students are educated and enlightened to become successful, lifelong learners and valuable members of the global community.

### WELCOME GUESTS / CALL TO ORDER 10:15 AM

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#### Roll Call

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Abdulkarim Warsame _____	President present
Joe Udall _____	Secretary present
Mulki Hersi _____	Treasurer present
Rahmo Abdi _____	Member present
Faisal Ali _____	Member absent
Ibrahim Hassan _____	Member present

### PUBLIC HEARING

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This is the appropriate point in the meeting for any members of the audience to speak on matters only on this special agenda. If they wish to address the Board, they are requested, prior to the meeting, to submit to the Secretary of the Board their names and the subject on which they wish to speak. Time is limited to three minutes for each individual. Individuals wishing to comment on items on the present agenda may do so during this portion of the meeting. Complaints about specific personnel are not appropriate for public session. Please submit any complaints to the Board Secretary in writing.

No speakers present.

### REGULAR SESSION

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#### I. School Presentation

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A. Administration Presentation on LCAP, PBIS, Special Education, Attendance, and Staff Development. Administration welcomed ICS Board, and informed them that last night SD Unified Board of Directors voted 5-0 for Iftin’s Prop 39 funding on building construction. Enrollment this year has increased from 338 in September to 366 today. Parents are joining Iftin because they know it’s a safe campus, with zero incidents of smoking, and a major decrease of suspensions. The ADA is at 96%, which could be higher if families traveling or leaving San Diego was noted sooner. There are 18 students enrolled in the Special Education program, with each student receiving their allotted times, and accommodations. PBIS is still a work-in-progress, and administration is looking for more teacher and student buy-in. Finally, staff development continues through San Diego State NCUST, where teachers chose “North Star” standards that will have the best impact on student performance.



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### **B. Board Walk of ICS Campus**

A tour of all classrooms took place, with extended conversations with Ifin's Ed Specialist, ELD Specialist, and Somali Language instructor. The new parent's room is near completion, with materials written in parents' native language.

### **II. Feedback**

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The board convened for lunch, and thanked administration for their progress this year, and will individually give their suggestions based on what they saw.

### **III. Adjournment 12:45 pm**

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