



GOVERNING BOARD MINUTES – Regular Board Meeting

Meeting of Friday, April 25, 2025 at 5:30PM

5465 El Cajon Blvd., San Diego, CA 92115 (Library)

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“Providing a strong educational foundation to all students who are in need of direction and support in learning English and finding their way in a new culture.”

Mission: Iftin Charter School provides students in grades TK-8 an academically rigorous, common core aligned curriculum, 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.

Approval of Agenda: Dr. Joseph Johnson

WELCOME GUESTS / CALL TO ORDER 5:30 AM

Roll Call

Dr. Joseph Johnson_____	President present
Rahmo Abdi_____	Secretary present
Mulki Hersi_____	Treasurer present
Faisal Ali_____	Member present
Ibrahim Hassan_____	Member present
Shuayb Mumin_____	Member present
Rashid Mursal_____	Member present

Call to Order and Establishment of Quorum

- Dr. Joseph Johnsons called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT

PUBLIC COMMENT— Anyone wishing to address the Board on agenda, non–agenda, and/or Closed Session items may do so. Individual speakers will be limited to three (3) minutes. Total public input on any one subject may be limited to fifteen (15) minutes, and may be extended at the discretion of the Board Chairperson. Comments on an agenda item may be taken when the agenda item is discussed by the Board. Comments on non–agenda items will be heard before the Consent Motion.

*No public comments were submitted or presented.

CONSENT ITEMS

None



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Discussion Items

A) CEO Report

CEO Maslah Yussuf presented updates, including continued strong enrollment trends, ongoing instructional focus, and highlights from parent engagement efforts. He emphasized preparations for CAASPP testing and expressed appreciation for the Board’s continued leadership.

B) Summer School 2025

The Board reviewed the 2025 Summer Institute plan titled “*Shine bright this summer!*”, which will operate from June 9 to July 22. The program will run 9 hours per day and serve incoming 1st–8th grade students. Activities will include academic instruction (ELA and Math Labs), physical education, and enrichment clubs. The program will observe holidays on **Juneteenth (June 19)** and **Independence Day (July 4)**.

C) 2025–26 Instructional Calendar

The proposed academic calendar includes 180 instructional days, with school beginning on August 11, 2025, and ending on June 5, 2026. Holidays, non-instructional days, and professional development days were reviewed. The calendar aligns with compliance and state instructional time requirements.

Action Items

A) Approve 2025–26 Instructional Calendar

Motion: Mumin | **Second:** Ali

Vote: Ayes – Johnson, Abdi, Hersi, Ali, Hassan, Mumin, Mursal | Nays – None | Abstain – None |

Motion Passed

B) Approve Summer School 2025 Plan

Motion: Abdi | **Second:** Hersi

Vote: Ayes – Johnson, Abdi, Hersi, Ali, Hassan, Mumin, Mursal | Nays – None | Abstain – None |

Motion Passed

C) Approve Board Membership Renewals (2-Year Terms: June 26, 2025 – June 25, 2027)

i. Dr. Joseph Johnson

ii. Mulki Hersi

iii. Rahmo Abdi

iv. Faisal Ali

v. Shuayb Mumin

Motion: Hassan | **Second:** Mursal

Vote: Ayes – Johnson, Abdi, Hersi, Ali, Hassan, Mumin, Mursal | Nays – None | Abstain – None |

Motion Passed

Closed Session

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957(b)(1):

Public Employee Performance Evaluation – Position: Chief Executive Officer



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Report to Open Session

Reportable Action: None

Advance Planning

The next regularly scheduled Governing Board Meeting is to be held **on Friday May 30, 2025 at 5:30pm**

Adjournment. 8:10pm

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