



Board Meeting Minutes  
Bridges Preparatory Academy  
Monday, December 8, 2025

A meeting of the Board of Directors for Bridges Preparatory Academy, a California nonprofit corporation was held on Monday, December 8, 2025, in person and via a public Zoom conference from 10:43 a.m. to 11:33 a.m.

**CALL TO ORDER:** David Owen called the meeting to order at 10:43 a.m. P.S.T.

**ROLL CALL:**

- Present: David Owen, Laura Morikawa, Brian Lee, and Trena Spurlock
- Others Present: Evan Hodes, Alejandro Gomez

**ACTION ITEM:** Approval of October 14, 2025 Board Meeting minutes

- It was **moved** by Trena Spurlock and **seconded** by Brian Lee to approve the Board Minutes from October 14, 2025.
- **All in Favor:** David Owen, Laura Morikawa, Brian Lee, and Trena Spurlock

**ACTION ITEM:** Approval of the Agenda for December 8, 2025

- It was noted that the day of the week and the time was incorrect on the Agenda.
- It was **moved** by Trena Spurlock and **seconded** by Brian Lee to approve the agenda for Monday, December 8, 2025.
- **All in Favor:** David Owen, Laura Morikawa, Brian Lee, and Trena Spurlock

**INFORMATION ITEM:** Board Member Comments

- David Owen wishing Board Members happy holidays.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

- None

**INFORMATION ITEM:** LACOE Yearly Report

- Mr. Gomez presented the Board with an overview of LACOE's Yearly Report, noting that it covered the school's overall performance, a review of Board meetings, and included a recommendation for BPA to diversify its Board.

**DIRECTOR REPORT:** NWEA, Ethic & Brown training and LEA BOP

- Mr. Gomez reviewed the NWEA ELA results for the current school year, noting that sixth- and seventh-grade students demonstrated improvement, whereas eighth-grade students exhibited minimal or no growth between the Fall and Winter assessments. Also, Mr. Gomez stated that there is a strong plan to submit a renewal petition in Summer 2026, with the objective of obtaining a seven-year charter renewal.
- Board Members must be in compliance with the Brown Act and complete necessary course(s) before January 1, 2026.
- LEA BOP–Reimbursement to cover salaries that relate to SPED.

**ACTION ITEM:** Approval of October Financial Packet Exed

- It was **moved** by Brian Lee and **seconded** by Laura Morikawa to approve the October Packet Exed
- **All in Favor:** David Owen, Brian Lee, Laura Morikawa, and Trena Spurlock

**ACTION ITEM:** Approval of First Interim

- It was **moved** by Laura Morikawa and **seconded** by Brian Lee to approve the First Interim
- **All in Favor:** David Owen, Laura Morikawa, Brian Lee, and Trena Spurlock

**ACTION ITEM:** Approval of Actual Audit 2024-2025

- It was **moved** by Laura Morikawa and **seconded** by Brian Lee to approve the 2024-2025 Actual Audit
- **All in Favor:** David Owen, Laura Morikawa, Brian Lee, and Trena Spurlock

**ADJOURNMENT:**

- The meeting adjourned at 11:33 a.m. P.S.T. on December 8, 2025.

