

July 14, 2026 at 5:30 PM - Los Alamos Public Schools Board Meeting

Final Minutes

1. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Call to Order

3. Roll Call

President Wyman, Here

Vice-President Coupland, Here

Secretary Colgan, Here

Member Jaurigue, Here

Member Baker, Here

Superintendent Guy

Recording Secretary Brugh

4. Routine Business/Approval of Agenda

The board agreed to delete Item 13. Closed Executive Session and Item 14. Open Session from the agenda this evening.

Member Colgan: I MOVE the School Board approve the agenda for July 14, 2026, with the amendments as presented.

All in Favor, AYE

Motion Carries

5. Recognition by the Board – None

6. a. Student Liaison Representatives - None

b. Superintendent's Report – Not at this time

c. Public Comment for items not on the agenda - None

7. Routine Business/Consent Agenda items

Adjusting Entries Report

Draft Minutes from June 25, 2026

Member Jaurigue: I MOVE the School Board approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

All in Favor, AYE

Motion Carries

8. Lease Agreement Between The Board of Education of the Los Alamos Public Schools and Carla Jaramillo, dba "Hair Experts" and Resolution for 2101 Trinity, Suite S

Ms. Thornton presented the lease agreement for Hair Experts. This is a new type of business for our suites. They will have hair stations and will need to add a water supply line. This tenant improvement will have a permit and be inspected by the state.

Vice President Coupland: I MOVE the School Board approve the Lease Agreement and Resolution for Carla Jaramillo dba Hair Experts as presented.

All in Favor, AYE

Motion Carries

9. Recommendation Request for Proposal 26-B-02 for HVAC Installation Project

Superintendent Guy explained that additional modifications were needed in the music rooms and wood shop. Teachers and administration were concerned about dust and dirt and the effects this would have on the acoustics, instruments and tools in the classrooms. Out of an “abundance of caution”, an RFP was put out to vendors that expanded the scope of work.

LAPS has worked with the contractor before and has found them to very thorough and reliable.

Secretary Colgan: I MOVE the School Board approve the Request for Proposal 26-B-02 for the HVAC Installation Project as presented.

All in Favor, AYE

Motion Carries

10. School Construction Updates at Pinon Elementary School and Chamisa Elementary School

Superintendent Guy informed the Board that the majority of work at Pinon Elementary will be complete by July 30 and at Chamisa Elementary by August 3. The minor work at Chamisa will be completed by August 30.

Both campuses now feature freshly installed sod and native landscaping. These areas are protected by temporary fencing with irrigation running on automatic timers. Open areas at both schools are planted with a native, waterwise seed mix. This mix is the same specification used by Los Alamos National Laboratory. Each site has a state-required retaining pond. The Board expressed safety concerns regarding the ponds. Superintendent Guy will send more detailed information to board members.

11. Board Committees Update

Board members did not have any updates for committee meetings at this time.

12. Future Business

Mon, August 10, First Day of School

Tues, August 11, LAPS Board Meeting, LAPS Board Room

Thurs, August 27, LAPS Board Meeting, Pinon Elementary

Tues, Sept 8, LAPS Board Meeting, LAPS Board Room

Thurs, Sept. 24, LAPS Board Meeting, Chamisa Elementary

Items 13 and 14 were deleted from the agenda this evening. See Agenda Item 4.13.

15. Adjournment

Member Baker: I MOVE we adjourn this meeting.

All in Favor, AYE

Motion Carries

Meeting ended at 6:20 pm

