

## **Oakland School for the Arts**

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## Board of Directors Strategic Plan Working Meeting Minutes October 29, 2020, 5:30 PM Oakland School for the Arts

TIME	TOPIC	WHO
5:30	Board Chair Elise Darwish is starting the meeting with student artwork related to voting.  Call to order/Roll Call Attendance Present: Ms. Alvarado Mena, Ms. Barnes, Mr. Barr, Mr. Borg, Ms. Darwish, Mr. Dharmapalan, Dr. Reimann, Mr. Walton, Dr. Woods. There is a quorum.	Ms. Darwish
5:32	Public Comment No public comment	Ms. Darwish
5:33	Strategic Plan Working Meetings:  Statement from ED Lisa Sherman-Colt, Phase One rollout for this school year. January school presents to board to increase equity, monitor student progress, support students. In Feb she will present with Finance Dept a 3 year budget. She meets weekly with Finance & Advancement. Phase One is finance, losing auditions.  Phase Two is designing a process plan which includes all members of the school community - map & present to board. Begin August 2021- June 2024. Strategic Plan must cover all aspects of school. Begin with leadership team, come to board for edits. End school year with a solid document which will embed all the transitions taking place this year such as WASC, the yearlong equity work, all of which should be implemented into a strategic plan. WASC was postponed twice due to COVID and will take place this spring.  Mr. Walton - what metrics can we measure throughout the year? Lisa - January & February planned reporting. Feb will cover sustainability (three year budget) and arts programming with loss of 6 <sup>th</sup> grade auditions.	Ms. Darwish

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Ms. Alvarado Mena - WASC assessment - will a delay in the Strategic Plan impact the WASC? Response - no, WASC is a self-study and the visitors assess the self-study, goals and whether it can it achieve the plan for growth.

Meeting will cover phase one - Jamboard for group submission: 'What questions do you want the Strategic Plan to Answer?'

Board members posted questions across several pages related to the pillars of the Strategic Plan (Equity, Sustainability, Academics and Arts).