



Valley Oaks Charter School (VOCS) Governing Board Agenda
May 18, 2026
VOCS Classroom 8
3401 Chester Ave

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. PRELIMINARY ITEMS

2.1 Welcome/Introductions

2.2 Board Members Roll Call

- Desiree Von Flue, VOCS Charter Board Chair
- Becky Bartz, VOCS Senior Director
- Lora Brown, Fairfax School District Superintendent
- Remedios Rueda, VOCS Principal – Bakersfield High School
- Adam Sanchez, VOCS TK – 8 Teacher – Tehachapi
- Matt Purdy, VOCS 9 – 12 Teacher – Bakersfield & Tehachapi
- Stacey Winders, VOCS TK – 8 Teacher – Bakersfield
- Valerie Shick, VOPTAC Bakersfield TK – 8 Parent
- Maria Demayo, VOPTAC Bakersfield TK – 8 Parent
- Tom Karnes, VOPTAC Tehachapi TK – 12 Parent
- Debra See, Community Representative
- Tiffany Edgerle, Alternate VOPTAC Board Member

2.3 Administrative Staff Roll Call

- Donna Smith, Principal – VOCS Principal – Bakersfield Elementary, Frazier Park, KRV, Taft
- Kristi Henry, Principal – VOCS TK – 12 Tehachapi
- Samantha Bryant, Vice Principal – VOCS TK – 12 Bakersfield
- Kiley Barton, Vice Principal – VOCS TK – 12 Tehachapi

2.4 Adoption of Agenda (att. 1)

This item is provided as an opportunity for Board members, through consensus, to approve, re-sequence or table agenda topics.

2.5 Minutes (att. 2)

Minutes from the Board meeting on **May 11, 2026**, will be reviewed and considered for approval.

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Those in the audience desiring to address the Board regarding items not on the agenda may do so at this time. Each person will have three (3) minutes to address the Board and make a brief statement, express his/her/their viewpoint, or ask a question regarding matters related to VOCS. Please understand that the Board does not take action on items that are not on the agenda.

4. INSTRUCTIONAL ITEMS

These items are provided to the Board for information, discussion, and/or action.
These items are informational reports and will highlight school and student events and successes.

4.1 2026-2027 LCAP Report and The Budget Overview for Parents (att. 3)

The Board will review and discuss the proposed LCAP Report and The Budget Overview for Parents for the 2026-27 school year and consider a recommendation for approval.

4.2 2025-2026 Local Indicators (att. 4)

The Board will review and discuss the proposed Local Indicators for the 2025-26 school year.

5. FISCAL AND FACILITIES ITEMS

These items are provided to the Board for information, discussion, and/or action.

5.1 VOCS 2026-2027 Proposed Budget (att. 5-6)

The Board will review the 2026-2027 proposed budget and consider a recommendation for approval.

6. INSTRUCTIONAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

These items are provided to the Board for information, discussion, and/or action.

6.1 Future Board Meeting Dates

The Board will review the proposed Board meeting dates for the 2026-27 school year and consider a recommendation for approval.

- Monday, September 14, 2026 @ 2:00pm
- Monday, November 16, 2026 @ 2:00pm
- Monday, January 25, 2027 @ 2:00pm
- Monday, March 15, 2027 @ 2:00pm
- Monday, May 10, 2027 @ 2:00pm
- Monday, May 17, 2027 @ 2:00pm

7. ADJOURNMENT

The next board meeting will be on Monday, September 14, at 2:00 p.m.