

Journey School
A California Public Charter School

Thursday, August 27, 2026

7:00 p.m.

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

NOTE: This meeting will be held in person on the Journey School campus and will be live streamed via Zoom. Members of the public are welcome to attend in person or online. Join Zoom Meeting:
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BOARD MEMBERS:

Michael Allbee, Council President
Margaret Moodian, Vice President
Cassie Kauwling, Council Treasurer
Jeannie Lee, Council Secretary
Lisa Murray, Council Member

ADVISORY POSITIONS:

Parent Cabinet Advisor, TBD
Faculty Advisor, Stacy Kinney

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRESENTATIONS TO THE COUNCIL BY PARENTS AND CITIZENS

Journey School welcomes your participation at the school's Council meetings. The purpose of a public meeting of the Council is to conduct the affairs of Journey School in public. We are pleased that you are in attendance. To assist you in the ease of speaking/participating in our meetings, the following guidelines are provided:

- 1. Agendas are available to audience members during the meeting and on the school website.*
- 2. "Request to Speak" cards are available for all audience members who wish to speak prior to an agenda item or under the general category of "Public Comment." "Public Comment" time is set aside for members of the audience to raise issues that are not specifically on the agenda. However, due to public meeting laws, the Council can only listen to your issue, not discuss your issue, respond in substance or take action. These presentations are limited to five (5) minutes (ten (10) minutes if a translator is needed) and total time allotted to non-agenda items will not exceed thirty (30) minutes. The Council may give direction to staff to respond to your concern.*
- 3. With regard to items that are on the agenda, you may specify that agenda item on your "Request to Speak" card and submit the card prior to an agenda item. The public comment period precedes presentations on that agenda item by staff and/or school committees, Council discussion, and deliberation. You will be given an opportunity to speak for up to five (5) minutes (ten (10) minutes if a translator is needed).*
- 4. When addressing the Council, speakers are requested to state their name and adhere to the time limits set forth.*
- 5. Audience members attending a meeting virtually are required to follow the guidelines specified in points 1 through 4 with the following exception noted: In lieu of a "Request to Speak" card, an audience member may utilize the chat function to indicate their name and a request to speak under the general category of*

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“Public Comment” or at a specific agenda item. All other comments, questions, and dialogue entered into the chat will not be entered into public record and will not be responded to/addressed.

Notices: Journey does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission or access to, or treatment in employment in its programs or activities. Please notify the office at (949) 448-7232 twenty-four (24) hours prior to the date of the meeting for disability accommodations necessary in order to participate. Per California Government Code section 54957.5(b), Journey shall make materials that are part of the regular agenda packet available in the office and/or on the school's website www.journeyschool.net, without delay and at the same time, they are distributed to the Council.

	AGENDA ITEM	SPONSOR	EST. TIME
1	Call to Order	Michael Allbee	7:00
2	Inspirational Passage	Margaret Moodian	7:05
3	Approval of Agenda* NOTE: The order of the agenda may be changed without prior notice to the public.	Michael Allbee	7:10
4	PUBLIC COMMENT: Members of the public may contribute public comment. Reminder: See policy above for time guidelines.	Michael Allbee	7:15
5	CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS: Items on Consent Agenda may be approved with one motion and vote for all but without discussion. If an item is to be discussed, it is removed from the Consent Agenda and moved to an Action Item immediately following the Consent Items. A. Approval of Minutes*: Minutes from regular meeting of June 15, 2026. B. Earthroots Contract*: Renewal of contract with Earthroots for 26-27 school year for EcoLiteracy program C. Recurring Expenses*: Approval of list of recurring vendors for payment in 2026-27 in accordance with fiscal policies. D. Limited Use Agreement with AVCA for park space*: Ratification of agreement to use Aliso Viejo community spaces E. 2025-26 Unaudited Actuals Report*: Approval of report F. CUSD Food and Nutrition Contract*: Ratification of contract with CUSD as our food vendor for the 26-27 school year. G. Stepping Stones Counseling Contract*: Ratification of contract with Stepping Stones (ERA Psychological Services, Inc to supplement counseling services on campus for 26-27 school year; 100% funded by The Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative (CYBHI) H. Orange County Department of Education*: Ratification of 26-27 business services agreement for purposes of CalSTRS/CalPERS retirement accounts.	Gavin Keller	7:25

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6	BOARD DEVELOPMENT and OVERSIGHT (Discussion/Action): A. Schedule of Council Meetings* B. Required Training: Mandated Reporter Training	Michael Allbee	7:35
7	INFORMATION ITEMS: Reports A. Faculty Update: Update on Faculty activities. B. Parent Cabinet Update: Update on Parent Cabinet activities C. Administrative Update: Report from School Director, including enrollment, AB 126 trailer bill, summer projects, ELOP summer programming, staff professional development over summer and start of school activities. D. Financial Update*: Report on 2025-2026 year end close of financial statements, plus any budget updates for 2026-2027 school year.	Stacy Kinney TBD Gavin Keller Larry Tamayo	7:45
8	SCHOOL OPERATIONS: Discussion/Action A. Staffing Plan 2026-27*: Staffing Plan update for the start of school B. Executive Director Review Cycle*: Presentation and discussion of goals for the 2026-2027 school year C. CUSD Oversight Report*: Presentation and discussion of 2025-2026 report	Gavin Keller	8:30
9	CLOSED SESSION: The meeting will now convene to closed session to discuss the matter described below: 1. Pursuant to Government Code § 54956.9: Regarding anticipated litigation. One case, against the school.	Michael Allbee	8:45
10	Adjournment	Michael Allbee	9:00

Agenda publicly posted on the school website at www.journeyschool.net on August 24, 2026.

**Items that are expected to have back up materials provided prior to or at the meeting are indicated with an asterisk. Other items may also have back up materials provided.*