



MINUTES OF A MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
UNITY PREPARATORY CHARTER SCHOOL OF BROOKLYN
HELD: March 11, 2026

A meeting of the Board of Trustees (the “Board”) of Unity Preparatory Charter School of Brooklyn (the “School” or “Unity”), was held on March 11, 2026 commencing at 6:02 p.m., New York time. Four Trustees were present at the beginning of the meeting; quorum was met. Notice of the meeting was duly given to all Trustees, posted on the School’s website, and sent to the New York Times, the New York Daily News and the Brooklyn Daily.

The following Trustees were present at the beginning of the meeting at 584 Driggs Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11211, except otherwise noted:

Jim Ellsworth

(via videoconference at 88 Lexington Avenue, New York, NY 10016)

Misha Jemison

(via videoconference at 1084 Rogers Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11226)

Ram Shankar

(via videoconference at 101 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11211)

Sal Siddiqui

(via videoconference at 565 Putnam Ave, Brooklyn 11221)

Also in attendance were Joshua Beauregard, Christopher Dos Almas, Melissa Duphiney, and Kristin Johnson.

Mr. Ellsworth called the meeting to order and indicated that the purpose of the meeting was to consider the items set forth on the agenda previously distributed to the Trustees.

Mission Moment

Mr. Beauregard discussed Unity’s mission, including back-to-school programming.

Current Headlines

Mr. Beauregard provided updates regarding Unity’s academic and operations programming.

Data Dashboard

Mr. Beauregard and Ms. Duphiney provided updates regarding Unity's progress towards academic and operation goals and data dashboard.

Committee Reports

Ms. Duphiney led a discussion regarding updates from the Student Learning Committee.

Ms. Johnson led a discussion regarding updates from the Audit & Finance Committee.

Mr. Beauregard led a discussion regarding updates from the Governance Committee.

Mr. Beauregard led a discussion regarding updates from the Development Committee.

Minutes of Prior Meeting – January 28, 2026

The Trustees discussed and considered approval of the minutes of the January 28, 2026 meeting of the Board that were previously circulated to the Trustees. The Trustees present unanimously adopted the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the January 28, 2026 Board meeting minutes be, and hereby are, approved.

2025-26 Audit Engagement

The Trustees discussed and considered approval of the utilization of MMB+CO for audit services for the school. The terms of the services agreement were previously circulated to the Trustees. The Trustees present unanimously adopted the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that Joshua Beauregard be, and hereby is, authorized to cause the School to incur costs of up to \$40,200 for MMB+CO for audit services.

2025-26 Form 990

The Trustees discussed and considered approval of the draft Form 990, which was previously circulated to the Trustees. The Trustees present unanimously adopted the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that following any recommended updates by Sullivan & Cromwell, the School's 990, as presented, be and hereby is, approved.

Preview of Next Meeting

Mr. Beauregard discussed preliminary details of the upcoming board meeting, scheduled for April 29, 2026.

There being no further business to come before the Board, upon motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned and moved into executive session at approximately 7:36 p.m.

Jim Ellsworth, Chair