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## Meeting Agenda Long - Final

Thursday, April 2, 2026

6:00 PM

Committee Room, KDOL TV Studio, B-237, Met West High School Entrance,  
314 East 10th Street, Oakland, CA 94606-2291, Internet - Zoom & Granicus;  
Broadcast - KDOL-TV (Comcast Channel 27 and AT&T Channel 99)

### Budget and Finance Committee

*Chair: Rachel Latta*

*Members: Jennifer Brouhard, Patrice Berry*

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### **A. Call to Order**

### **B. Roll Call**

## C. Speaker Request Cards/Modification(s) To Agenda

*A request to speak at this Committee Meeting, may be made in-person or virtually as stated in this Agenda.*

*Modification(s) to the Agenda, by the Budget and Finance Committee, allows for any change in the printed Order of Business including, but not limited to, an announcement that an Item or Legislative File will be considered out of Agenda printed order, that consideration of an Item has been withdrawn, postponed, rescheduled or "pulled" or taken off of the Committee General Consent Report for separate discussion and/or possible action.*

## D. Adoption of Committee Minutes

▣  D.-1  [26-0737](#)

### **Minutes - Budget and Finance Committee Regular Meeting - March 5, 2026**

Ratification by the Budget and Finance Committee of its Regular Meeting Minutes of March 5, 2026.

*Attachments:* [26-0737 - Minutes - Budget and Finance Committee Regular Meeting - March 5, 2026](#)

## E. Adoption of the Committee General Consent Report

*"Adoption of the Committee General Consent Report"  
"means that all items appearing under this topic are approved in one motion unless a Member of the Committee requests that an item be removed and voted on separately or otherwise acted upon. Generally, these items are routine in nature, and are acted upon in one motion to conserve time and permit focus on other-than-routine legislative items on the agenda.*

*None*

## F. Unfinished Business

*None*

## G. New Business

 G.-1  [26-0773](#)

### **Budget and Finance Committee - Attendance - Responsibilities - Investment**

Presentation to and discussion by the Budget and Finance Committee of attendance regarding:

- a. Current attendance strategies, investments, and outcomes
- b. FTEs, staff responsibilities (teachers, attendance specialists, CSMs, Principal/AP), tiered approach (absence versus chronically absent)
- c. What is the total investment? What is working?

**Attachments:** [26-0773 Presentation - Budget and Finance Committee - Attendance - Responsibilities - Investment](#)  
[26-0773 Memorandum - Budget and Finance Committee - Attendance - Responsibilities - Investment](#)

  G.-2  [26-0749](#)

### **Amendment, Board Policy 5113 - Absences and Excuses**

Discussion and possible adoption by the Budget and Finance Committee of a recommendation to the Board of Education - Amendment, Board Policy - 5113 Absence and Excuses, as delineated herein.

**Attachments:** [26-0749 Amendment, Board Policy 5113 - Absence and Excuses](#)

  G.-3  [26-0750](#)

### **Renaming and Amendment, Board Policy 5113.1 - Truancy to Chronic Absence**

Discussion and possible adoption by the Budget and Finance Committee of recommendation to the Board of Education - Renaming and Amendment, Board Policy 5113.1, Truancy to Chronic Absence, as delineated herein.

**Attachments:** [26-0750 Renaming and Amendment, Board Policy 5113.1 - Truancy to Chronic Absence](#)

## **H. Public Comments on All Non-Agenda Items Within the Subject Matter Jurisdiction of the Committee**

*This section of the agenda provides an opportunity for a member of the Public, for three minutes per person, or less, depending on the number of speakers, to directly address the Committee on any item of interest to a member of the Public that is not on the current agenda, but is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Committee. Minutes are not transferrable from speaker to speaker. This item is limited to a total of thirty (30) minutes. The Committee may not discuss or take any action on a non-agenda item not appearing on the posted agenda for this meeting, except the Committee or staff may briefly respond to a statement made or questions posed by a member of the public, as authorized by law. In addition, on their own initiative or in response to questions posed by the public, a member of the Committee or its staff may ask a question for clarification, make a brief announcement, or make a brief report of his or her own activities.*

H.-1  [26-0738](#)

### **Public Comment on All Non-Agenda Items Within the Subject Matter Jurisdiction of the Committee - Up to 30 Minutes - April 2, 2026**

Public Comment on All Non-Agenda Items Within the Subject Matter Jurisdiction of the Committee - Up to 30 Minutes - April 2, 2026.

## **I. Introduction of New Legislative Matter**

*This section of the Agenda is devoted to the introduction of new legislative matter within the subject matter jurisdiction of the committee by a Committee member or Members of the Public.*

## **J. Adjournment**