# HORIZON ACADEMY WEST GOVERNING COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

February 22, 2024, In-Person, 6201 Jefferson NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109, at 9:00 a.m.

### Officers:

Storm Gonzalez, President Christen Hagemann, Vice President **Members**:

Anthony Jaramillo, Member Donna Predika, Member Gabriel Valenzuela, Member <sup>™</sup>Non-voting

### **Guests:**

Carissa Cantrell, Director<sup>®</sup>
Sue Fox, Esq. for HAW Administration<sup>®</sup>
Andrea Gallegos, Dean of Students<sup>®</sup>
Yvette, Mowery<sup>®</sup>
Ruth Rivera<sup>®</sup>
Julie Beatty, Court Reporter <sup>®</sup>

- 1. CALL TO ORDER: Storm Gonzalez 8:55 a.m.
- 2. ROLL CALL Storm Gonzalez: Members Present-Storm Gonzalez, Christen Hagemann, Anthony Jaramillo, Donna Predika, and Gabriel Valenzuela
- 3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA\*: Christen Hagemann motioned to approve the Agenda and Anthony Jaramillo 2<sup>nd</sup> the Motion. All in favor, unanimous approval.
- 4. Executive Closed Session: Closed Session regarding Limited Personnel Matters/Employee Discharge (Pursuant to NMSA 1978 § 10-15-1H(4) and Pursuant to NMSA 1978 § 22-10A-27) and no votes taken during Closed Session. Testimony and evidence taken during Closed Session. Exhibits A and B for HAW Administration were admitted during the Closed Session.
- 5. Action Item from Closed Session on Limited Personnel Matters\*:

Christen Hagemann motioned for a finding of just cause for termination of employment regarding Limited Personnel Matters/Employee Discharge and Donna Predika 2<sup>nd</sup> the Motion. All in favor, unanimous approval.

Christen Hagemann motioned for a finding of yes, there was just cause for termination of employment regarding Limited Personnel Matters/Employee Discharge and Donna Predika 2<sup>nd</sup> the Motion. All in favor, unanimous approval.

- 6. CONCLUDING BUSINESS
  - a. Adjournment: Special Meeting adjourned 12:23 p.m.

### \*ACTION ITEM

## ©TIMED ITEM

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