Arlington School Board
Closed Meeting Minutes
October 8, 2026

The Arlington School Board convened on Thursday, October 8, 2026, at 6:02 p.m. at 2110 Washington Blvd., Arlington, Virginia.

Present Were:
Miranda Turner, Chair
Kathleen Clark, Vice Chair (Absent)
Monique "Moe" Bryant, Member
Zuraya Tapia-Hadley, Member
Bethany Zecher Sutton, Member (Participated virtually using Microsoft Teams from Arlington, Virginia due to medical reasons)

Also Present Were:
Dr. Francisco Durán, Superintendent
Brian Stockton, Chief of Staff
Corey Dotson, Assistant Superintendent, Human Resources

A. MEETING OPENING

B. CLOSED MEETING ON PERSONNEL ACTIONS

Ms. Turner called the meeting to order and *moved that the Board immediately convene in a closed meeting to consider as many as 12 appointments, 3 changes in position/salary, 6 resignations, 9 retirements, and 1 termination, as authorized by Virginia Code § 2.2-3711(A)(1).* The motion was seconded by Ms. Tapia-Hadley, and it was adopted in a vote of 4 – 0. The voting record is as follows: Ms. Bryant – Yes; Ms. Tapia-Hadley – Yes; Ms. Turner – Yes; and Ms. Zecher Sutton – Yes. Ms. Clark was absent at the time of the vote.

The closed meeting adjourned at 6:18 p.m. and the Board reconvened in an open meeting.

Ms. Turner moved to certify that pursuant to § 2.2-3712(D) of the Code of Virginia, to the best knowledge of each School Board member, only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements by Virginia law were discussed in the closed meeting just held, and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening this closed meeting were heard, discussed, or considered. The motion was seconded by Ms. Bryant and was adopted in a vote of 4 – 0. The voting record is as follows: Ms. Bryant – Yes; Ms. Tapia-Hadley – Yes; Ms. Turner – Yes; and Ms. Zecher Sutton – Yes. Ms. Clark was absent at the time of the vote.

C. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:18 p.m.

ATTEST:

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Miranda Turner, Chair
Arlington School Board

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Claudia Mercado, Clerk
Arlington School Board