Board Meeting Agenda



Location: [Insert Location or Virtual Meeting Link]

Chairperson: [Insert Chairperson's Name]

Secretary: [Insert Secretary's Name]

This classic board meeting agenda is a tried and tested way for boards and committees to align, share reports and discuss old and new business before setting action items and adjourning. You'll find each agenda item attached to a block so you can easily overview and adjust the agenda if you need.

Depending on the maturity of your board, you may make this session longer or shorter than is designated here. Adjust the timing of each block to effectively time-box each agenda item and make your session flow.

You may also find your own board meeting has additional items, such as a space to reiterate mission and vision statements, discuss chair nominations or other items. Simply add new blocks or drag and drop existing ones to make this session work for your needs.

We've set each agenda item to have a task checklist attached so when running the meeting, you can simply check the item off so you know it's done!

Opening / closing Discussion Reports Business items

TIME	NAME	DESCRIPTION	ADDITIONAL INFO	
09:00 5m	Opening Remarks and Call to Order	 Welcome and greetings Roll call and establishment of Quorum 	 This is where you can welcome board members and set the tone for the meeting. The call to order signifies the official start of the proceedings. 	
09:05 5m	Approval of Previous Minutes	□ Review and approval of minutes from the last meeting	• Encourage board members to review the minutes from the last meeting in advance. This allows for a smoother approval process during the meeting. Ensure that minutes are accurate and comprehensive.	
09:10 5m	Changes to the Agenda	Review and discuss any requested changes to the agenda	Make this step easier by distributing your agenda in advance.	
		Reports		
09:15 15m	CEO Report	The executive committee or CEO gives a report	 Sharing slides or documents? Attach your materials to the relevant block to make it easy to find and present items during the meeting. 	
09:30 10m	Financial Report	The treasurer gives a financial report to the board	 The financial report is a critical component. Present financial data clearly, highlighting key figures and trends. Encourage questions and discussions on budgetary matters. 	
09:40 10m	Committee Reports	Committee chairs to give a brief report	 Request concise summaries from committee chairs. This ensures that reports are to the point and save time for in-depth discussions. 	
		Business items		
09:50 20m	Old Business	Discussion of unresolved matters from previous meetings	 Focus on high-priority unresolved matters from previous meetings. Allocate sufficient time for these topics, and encourage members to propose solutions. 	
10:10 20m	New Business	Presentation and discussion of new proposals or agenda items	 Add clear descriptions of any new proposals or agenda items to your meeting minutes. Encourage presenters to provide background information to expedite discussions and help shape any new projects or initiatives. 	
10:30 5m	Action Items	Review of tasks and actions board members need to complete before the next meeting		
10:35 10m	Announcements	Chair (and others) to make any special announcements		
10:45 10m	Open Floor	Open space for any other business or comments from board members	 Allocate time for members to voice their comments or questions. Encourage open and respectful dialogue. This section can lead to valuable insights and suggestions. 	
10:55 5m	Adjournment	Conclude the meeting	 Conclude the meeting with a brief recap of key points and set the date and time for the next board meeting. Try ending on a positive note or by asking board members to share something they're excited for in the coming week. 	

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11:00			

TOTAL LENGTH: 2h 00m

Board Meeting Agenda - block details

09:00 5m

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process during the meeting. Ensure that minutes are accurate and comprehensive.



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Reports

09:15 15m

CEO Report

The executive committee or CEO gives a report

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Financial Report

☐ The treasurer gives a financial report to the board

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The financial report is a critical component. Present financial data clearly, highlighting key figures and trends. Encourage
questions and discussions on budgetary matters.

09:40 10m Committee Reports

Committee chairs to give a brief report

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

 Request concise summaries from committee chairs. This ensures that reports are to the point and save time for in-depth discussions.

Business items



Old Business

Discussion of unresolved matters from previous meetings

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

 Focus on high-priority unresolved matters from previous meetings. Allocate sufficient time for these topics, and encourage members to propose solutions.

10:10 20m

New Business

Presentation and discussion of new proposals or agenda items

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Add clear descriptions of any new proposals or agenda items to your meeting minutes.
- Encourage presenters to provide background information to expedite discussions and help shape any new projects or initiatives.

10:30 5m

Action Items

Review of tasks and actions board members need to complete before the next meeting

10:35 10m

Announcements

Chair (and others) to make any special announcements

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION



Open Floor

Open space for any other business or comments from board members

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Adjournment

Conclude the meeting

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