

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Board Members in Attendance:

- A. Monica Cutno, President
- □ Marla Mills-Wilson, Vice President
- Portia Scott, Secretary

- Ryan Cotterman, Treasurer
- Sonal Krishna
- Roland Lewis Jr.
- Holly MillerJosh RedlusDiego Torres

I. Call to Order

- A. Regular meeting of the Board of Directors was called to order at 6:30 PM by A. Monica Cutno.
- B. Mission and vision statements were read by the board president.
- C. Charter Renewal Visit canceled and to be rescheduled by the Office of Charter Schools.
- D. Board will not have a retreat this fiscal year.

II. Consent Agenda

- A. Draft minutes from 3/19/18 board meeting were presented by Portia Scott.
- B. Financial report was given by Ryan Cotterman.

Motion to approve consent agenda.		
Motion:	Diego Torres	
Second:	Sonal Krishna	
Discussion:	None	
Conflict of Interest:	None	
Vote:	Unanimously approved (8-0)	

III. Committee Reports

- A. Academic Committee report was given by Dr. Fuller
 - 1. NC Science Festival at ESA is on April 24th and open to the public.
 - 2. Upper school will use Google Classroom as learning management platform in 2018-19.
 - 3. iReady benchmark results looks good; data will be shared at next board meeting.
 - 4. EPA raised approximately \$15,600 from Boosterthon.
 - 5. Ms. Glace is organizing middle school trip to Panama next spring break through EF Tours.
 - 6. Ms. Murphy selected to participate in 2018-19 NSF-funded Engineering Research Experience for Teachers program; Ms. Byrd selected as 2018 North Carolina Teaching Fellow; Ms. Glace named one of top art teachers to follow on Instagram by The Art of Education online magazine.
- B. Finance Committee report was given by Ryan Cotterman.
 - 1. Increased some budget line items to cover unforeseen expenses, and decreased other lines where expenses were well managed.
 - 2. Debt coverage ratio and days cash on hand remain higher than covenant requirements.
- C. Governance Committee report given was given by A. Monica Cutno.
 - 1. Discussed amendments to EC policies needed for IDEA Fiscal Review on April 20, 2018.
 - 2. Policies Manual updated with administrative title changes.
 - 3. Reviewed policies, application, agreement, and fees pertaining to Facility Use.

Motion to accept amendments to EC policies.Motion:Roland Lewis Jr.Second:Ryan CottermanDiscussion:NoneConflict of Interest:NoneVote:Unanimously approved (8-0)Motion to approve title revisions in Policies Manual.Motion:Diego TorresSecond:Holly Miller

Second:Holly MillerDiscussion:NoneConflict of Interest:NoneVote:Unanimously approved (8-0)

Motion to approve all documents for Facility Use.Motion:Ryan CottermanSecond:Roland Lewis Jr.Discussion:NoneConflict of Interest:NoneVote:Unanimously approved (8-0)

IV. Public Comments

A. None

V. Closed Session

A. Board entered closed session at 6:56 PM to prevent the disclosure of confidential information pursuant to NC G.S. 143-318.11(a)(1) and to discuss specific personnel matters under NC G.S. 143-318.11(a)(6).

Motion to go into closed session.		
Motion:	Josh Redlus	
Second:	Diego Torres	
Discussion:	None	
Conflict of Interest:	None	
Vote:	Unanimously approved (8-0)	

B. Board exited closed session at 7:23 PM and resumed regular meeting.

Motion to end closed session.		
Motion:	Ryan Cotterman	
Second:	Diego Torres	
Discussion:	None	
Conflict of Interest:	None	
Vote:	Unanimously approved (8-0)	

VI. Actions

Motion to approve HR recommendation for Dean of Upper School.		
Motion:	Diego Torres	
Second:	Sonal Krishna	
Discussion:	None	
Conflict of Interest: None		

Vote:

VII. Adjournment

- A. Next regular board meeting is scheduled for Monday, May 21, 2018, 6:30-8:00 PM at Envision Science Academy, 590 Traditions Grande Blvd, Wake Forest.
- B. Board meeting was adjourned at 7:25 PM.

Motion to adjourn meeting.		
Motion:	Diego Torres	
Second:	Roland Lewis	
Discussion:	None	
Conflict of Interest:	None	
Vote:	Unanimously approved (8-0)	