CASA ACADEMY

Minutes

Board Meeting

Date and Time

Wednesday October 6, 2021 at 6:00 PM

Location

CASA Academy 8047 N 35th Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85051

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Trustees Present

D. Brown, E. Gould, E. Hunt, G. Collier, K. Evans, K. Holmes, M. Campillo, M. Tucker, S. Brown (remote), T. Wee (remote)

Trustees Absent

M. Major

Trustees who arrived after the meeting opened

K. Evans

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance and Guests

B. Call the Meeting to Order

M. Tucker called a meeting of the board of trustees of CASA ACADEMY to order on Wednesday Oct 6, 2021 at 6:10 PM.

K. Evans arrived at 6:13 PM.

C. Approve Minutes

- E. Hunt made a motion to approve the minutes from Board Meeting on 09-08-21.
- G. Collier seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

- E. Hunt Aye
- S. Brown Absent
- M. Tucker Aye
- D. Brown Aye
- G. Collier Aye
- T. Wee Aye
- M. Campillo Aye
- E. Gould Aye
- K. Holmes Aye
- M. Major Absent
- K. Evans Aye

D. Introduction of Lisa Osselaer

The board Chair introduced Lisa Osselaer and Ms. Osselaer gave the Board her background and qualifications for the Board. The Board then introduced themeselves and discussed their reasons for being on the Board.

II. CEO Update

A. CEO Update

CASA CEO provided an update of school metrics for CASA Academy. CASA CEO provided updates for enrollment, staff culture, property tax exemption dispute update, and academics.

III. Committee Updates

A. Finance Committee Update

Finance Committee Chair, Tia Wee, provided an update of the Committee's activities.

B. Marketing/Fundraising Committee Update

The Committee Chair provided an update on planning for the fundraiser and for promoting CASA Academy.

C. Culture & Engagement Committee Update

Board Chari Hunt provided an update.

D.

Governance Committee Update

No update - the Committee did not meet this past month.

IV. New Business

A. Vote on Emily Jeffries as Secretary of the Board of Directors

Board Chair Tucker introduced and nominated Emily Jeffries for the position of Secretary of the Board.

E. Hunt made a motion to approved Ms. Jeffries for the position of Secretary.

M. Tucker seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

T. Wee Aye

M. Tucker Aye

S. Brown Aye

D. Brown Aye

E. Gould Abstain

M. Major Absent

E. Hunt Aye

G. Collier Aye

K. Holmes Aye

M. Campillo Aye

K. Evans Aye

B. Director Responsibilities update

C. Vote on COVID-19 Leave Policy

School CEO presented proposed updated COVID-19 Leave Policy.

- E. Gould made a motion to approve COVID-19 Leave Policy.
- S. Brown seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

M. Tucker Aye

D. Brown Aye

E. Gould Aye

K. Holmes Aye

M. Major Absent

S. Brown Aye

G. Collier Aye

M. Campillo Aye

K. Evans Aye

E. Hunt Aye

T. Wee Aye

D. Vote on Charter Educational Professional Services Agreement with Teach For America

School CEO updated progress on proposed agreement with Teach for America.

E. Hunt made a motion to approve Charter Educational Professional Services Agreement with Teach For America.

K. Holmes seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

- D. Brown Aye
- E. Gould Aye
- S. Brown Aye
- M. Major Absent
- E. Hunt Aye
- G. Collier Aye
- M. Tucker Aye
- M. Campillo Aye
- T. Wee Aye
- K. Holmes Aye
- K. Evans Aye

V. Closing Items

A. Strategic Planning Session October 23rd and 24th

Board Chair presented an update for the strategic planning session.

B. Adjourn Meeting

- D. Brown made a motion to adjorn.
- E. Hunt seconded the motion.

The board **VOTED** to approve the motion.

Roll Call

- M. Campillo Aye
- M. Major Absent
- D. Brown Aye
- K. Evans Aye
- S. Brown Aye
- E. Hunt Aye
- K. Holmes Aye
- E. Gould Aye
- M. Tucker Aye
- G. Collier Aye
- T. Wee Aye

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 7:13 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, M. Campillo