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Atlanta Neighborhood Charter School

Minutes

Educational Excellence Committee Meeting

Date and Time
Thursday November 14, 2024 at 8:30 AM

Location
Elementary Campus - Meeting Trailer
688 Grant Street
Atlanta, GA 30315

Attendees may join in-person or via Zoom.

In accordance with Georgia's open meetings requirements, notice of this meeting has been posted at both campuses and on the ANCS website.

Committee Members Present
Bethany Greenley (remote), Daron Joffe (remote), Emily Hansen (remote), LaNiesha Cobb Sanders, Lara Zelski, Mark Sanders, Rhiannen Laurent

Committee Members Absent
Mark Boswell, Shannon Rutledge

Guests Present
Alastair Pullen

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B.

Call the Meeting to Order

LaNiesha Cobb Sanders called a meeting of the Educational Excellence Committee of Atlanta Neighborhood Charter School to order on Thursday Nov 14, 2024 at 8:33 AM.

C. Approve Minutes from October Meeting

Emily Hansen made a motion to approve the minutes from Educational Excellence Committee Meeting on 10-10-24.
Bethany Greenley seconded the motion.
The committee **VOTED** to approve the motion.

II. Educational Excellence

A. Agenda

News
ANCS (both EC and MC) has been recognized as Math Leader Schools by the Georgia Department of Education

Charter Renewal Process
Kristin Moody shared the timeline and overview of the charter renewal process. Kristin will work as a consultant to ensure that we are able to submit a strong charter renewal. The approval will primarily report on charter accountability (assessment scores, attendance, culture data, etc) and innovative programs (farm, IB, etc). There are some new requirements given shift to SESE. In January, APS will go over updated application with Dr. Pullen and leadership team. Renewal is due in August. We aim to approve at the June Board meeting. The draft will go through the committee likely in May.

Innovative Programs

- Conscious Discipline. Lara and Mark shared the conscious discipline model as well as the inspirational texts that help to inform the schools' approach to discipline.
- Farm Program. Nicole shared overview of farm program across both campuses. This included curriculum, extra curricular activities, and community/family engagement.

III. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 9:27 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

LaNiesha Cobb Sanders