



# Wesley International Academy

# Minutes

Governance Committee Meeting

Date and Time Monday July 20, 2020 at 4:30 PM

Location Governance Committee Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84999022607?pwd=QkhVZIJnUVFtYnNqai8vbFR1MWJNUT09 Meeting ID: 849 9902 2607 Password: governance One tap mobile +16465588656,84999022607#,,#,622562# US (New York) Dial by phone +1 646 558 8656 Meeting ID: 849 9902 2607 Password: 622562

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## **Committee Members Present**

D. Hrabe (remote), J. Marshall (remote), M. Guertin (remote), T. Ryan-Lawrence (remote), T. Tidwell (remote)

## **Committee Members Absent**

F. Carroll, J. Hansen

#### **Guests Present**

A. Pullen (remote), D. Johnson (remote), D. Mason (remote), D. Satterfield (remote), brett goodman, lisa price

## I. Opening Items

#### A. Record Attendance

#### B. Call the Meeting to Order

T. Tidwell called a meeting of the Governance Committee of Wesley International Academy to order on Monday Jul 20, 2020 at 4:36 PM.

#### C. Approve Minutes

T. Tidwell made a motion to approve the minutes from Governance Committee Meeting on 06-15-20.

T. Ryan-Lawrence seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

#### D. Elect new chairperson

T. Tidwell made a motion to elect Doug Hrabe as chair.

T. Ryan-Lawrence seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

#### II. Governance

## A. Board Goals for 20-21

Last year's goal of white paper on school climate is only major goal not completed. Also need to vote on staff and parent handbook in August full board meeting.

New Goals Increase board engagement Look at succession plan for board and admin leadership board recruitment will be important Look at leadership key training, need to make sure we have someone from add goal around getting clarity around what APS and DOE require regarding virtual and hybrid models

# B. Review of Board Duties and Responsibilities

## III. Other Board Business

## A. Review of Plans for Fall Semester 2020-2021

Robust discussion about what role the Board should play in oversight over Admin's decisions on how to operate school in light of the pandemic.

Jason provided an update on current plans for school opening on August 4th. Today was first day back for teachers. Everything went really well, particularly in light of current circumstances.

We need to keep an eye on enrollment and how it will be calcuated.

## **IV. 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 5:53 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, T. Tidwell