



# **Living School**

# **Minutes**

# Living School Finance & Development Committee

#### **Date and Time**

Tuesday December 13, 2022 at 6:00 PM

#### Location

Living School, 6003 Bullard Ave., Ste. 16, New Orleans, LA 70128

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#### **Committee Members Present**

A. Odiduro (remote), B. Holmes-Nick, D. Mitchell, K. Mutepfa, R. Ashmore, T. Simon

#### **Committee Members Absent**

M. Davis, S. Porges

#### **Guests Present**

A. Winzy, M. Dunn, S. Pasternak, Whitney Dickerson

# I. Opening Items

A.

#### **Record Attendance and Guests**

# B. Call the Meeting to Order

T. Simon called a meeting of the Finance & Development Committee Committee of Living School to order on Tuesday Dec 13, 2022 at 6:23 PM.

#### C. Approve today's agenda

- D. Mitchell made a motion to Approve Agenda.
- R. Ashmore seconded the motion.

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

#### D. Approve Minutes

- D. Mitchell made a motion to approve the minutes from Living School Finance & Development Committee on 09-27-22.
- B. Holmes-Nick seconded the motion.

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

#### E. Approve old minutes

- R. Ashmore made a motion to approve the minutes from December 14, 2021 Living School Finance & Development Committee on 12-14-21.
- B. Holmes-Nick seconded the motion.

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

#### **II. Finance & Development Committee**

### A. Review FY23 Committee Description & Goals

Goals are attached to the agenda

#### **B.** Review Financial Documents

- M. Dunn provided an overview of operating results through October.
- R. Ashmore noted that priority must be given to the projected \$300K operating deficit that the school is currently facing.
- S. Pasternak indicated that the Leadership Team in conjunction with the Dunn Group will be working on a revised budget to address the projected deficit and the revised budget will be ready for review by the Finance & Development Committee and the full Board by the next monthly meeting in January.

# C. Development Updates

A new grant writer will be coming on board

#### D. NSNO Sustainability Update

Citywide enrollment is down. NSNO is conducting research into citywide enrollment effects.

# 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 7:02 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

T. Simon

# Documents used during the meeting

- Living School Financial Statements September 2022.pdf
- Living School 1st Quarterly Financial Report (QFR) with SOA.xlsx
- CEO Board Report 22.11.29.pdf
- Living School Financial Statements October 2022.pdf
- Living School Sustainability Profile from NSNO.xlsx
- School Sustainability Webinar for Charter Leaders.9.2.22.pdf