



# Kairos Academies

# **Minutes**

# Kairos Academies Board Meeting

Cycle 2

# **Date and Time**

Thursday November 2, 2023 at 6:00 PM

### Location

Kairos Academies 3449 S Jefferson Avenue St. Louis, MO 63118

We invite you join us at this Zoom link. This notice was published at www.kairosacademies.org/board at least one day prior to the meeting.

#### **Directors Present**

A. Sullivan (remote), H. Eastwood (remote), K. Kerr (remote), K. Owen (remote), W. Young (remote)

### **Directors Absent**

A. Jackson, M. Vachow, N. Plair

### **Ex Officio Members Present**

K. Graham (remote)

# **Non Voting Members Present**

K. Graham (remote)

#### **Guests Present**

Adaure Nduka (remote), B. Jackson (remote), J. Krewson (remote), M. Chavers (remote), N. Jacobs (remote)

# I. Opening Items

### A. Record Attendance

## B. Call the Meeting to Order

W. Young called a meeting of the board of directors of Kairos Academies to order on Thursday Nov 2, 2023 at 6:01 PM.

#### C. Public Comment

no public comment

#### D. Mission Statement

recited mission statement

### E. Vision Statement

recited vision statement

# **II. Program Committee**

# A. Committee Goals Update

no update

# B. GPTW Overview (Schools)

HS: 85%, MS: 38% for the most recent GPTW survey

staff retention is in the mid-90%. student retention is in the high-90%. ADA is in the low-90%.

# C. School Review Synopsis

Liked the data driven approach and alignment with strategic plan.

8-10th grade is doing well overall. 5-7th is an area of focus.

Katie Owen joined at 6.18pm CT

D.

# **Local SPED Compliance**

Student support services team is following the DESE recommended compliance document.

#### **III. Finance Committee**

### A. Finance Committee Goals Update

update: 32 days cash on hand. \$910k month end cash balance. year end cash balance expected to be \$356k.

goals: 60-120 days cash on hand, review and approve necessary audit periods, 20-40% proportion of assets financed

# **B.** Enrollment Update

total enrollment is around 520

# C. Staff Human Resources Update

## D. Revenue- ADA Tracker and Updates

Averaging high-80%

# E. Expenses

There will be some downward revisions prior to budget approval in December

# IV. Governance Committee Updates

# A. Governance Committee goals update

build board succession plan, training curriculum, annual review board policies, monitoring board committee goals

## **B.** Board Member Succession Plan

we will cover this next month

# C. CEO Succession Plan

Khalil submitted an initial draft. The board will review for approval next month.

## D. Charter Renewal Update

Renewal packet will be submitted to the board for a vote in December.

# V. Facilities Committee Update

## A. Closed Session

A. Sullivan made a motion to enter executive session IAW 610.021.(2).

K. Kerr seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

N. Plair AbsentA. Sullivan AyeK. Kerr AyeA. Jackson AbsentM. Vachow AbsentH. Eastwood AbsentW. Young Aye

W. Young made a motion to exit executive session IAW 610.021.(2).

K. Kerr seconded the motion.

Aye

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

#### **Roll Call**

K. Owen

A. Jackson Absent
W. Young Aye
H. Eastwood Aye
M. Vachow Absent
N. Plair Absent
A. Sullivan Aye
K. Owen Aye
K. Kerr Aye

### **B.** Current Facilities Update

CPH can hold 780 students for 24-25 school year but this will be max capacity.

# C. Facilities Goals Update

new facility acquisition, safety standards according to MCPSC, continued learning for facilities committees members

## D. Facilities resolution for board consideration (vote)

W. Young made a motion to authorize Jack Krewson or Khalil Graham to sign for the acquisition loan on the condition we receive charter renewal.

H. Eastwood seconded the motion.

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

# VI. 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, K. Kerr

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