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Minutes

Finance Committee Meeting

Date and Time

Wednesday December 10, 2025 at 12:00 PM

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Committee Members Present

C. Marie (remote), C. Whitford (remote), D. Draper (remote), D. Mitchell (remote), G. LeFave (remote), K. Kuse (remote)

Committee Members Absent

None

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

C. Whitford called a meeting of the Finance & Facilities Committee of River Valley Charter School to order on Wednesday Dec 10, 2025 at 12:00 PM.

G. LeFave made a motion to Approve the minutes from 10-08-2025 Finance Committee Meeting on 10-08-25.

D. Mitchell seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

C. Marie Aye

D. Mitchell Aye

D. Draper Aye

G. LeFave Aye

K. Kuse Aye

C. Whitford Aye

II. Finance

A. Review Year-to-Date Financial Results

Cynthia Marie reviewed the financial results through November 2025. Specific items included:

- Tuition is coming in slightly higher than projected.
- Interest on cash balances is double our projection. We will have further discussions with ECCF regarding potential investment opportunities to maximize yield. We will also review FDIC limits and options to protect cash.
- Staffing expense is down slightly. Executive Director would like to discuss the need for administrative assistance within the previously approved salary budget.

- We expect to receive the \$150,000 from Newburyport CPC in January 2026. Will need to make a few entries to ensure cash is in the appropriate general ledger line items related to Grounds Redesign.

B. Grounds Redesign Tracking

We discussed the current grounds redesign financial analysis:

- Central Source will combine the budget file with any change orders, and layer in the actual expenses. Currently appear to be on budget for Phase 1. However, original Phase 1 was earmarked for a slightly higher amount than the final budgeted projects.
- We discussed the start of Phase 2, and how to get that off the ground. There is funding available so the need to start planning is there.
- Karen is submitting 2026 CPC requests later this week.

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 12:41 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
C. Whitford

Documents used during the meeting

- November Financials (1).xlsx
- River Valley Charter School_Transaction Report (2).xlsx
- RVCS Play Only Budget.pdf

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