



Liberty STEAM Charter

Minutes

LSC BOARD OF DIRECTORS GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

NOTIFICATION OF REGULARLY SCHEDULED MONTHLY MEETING

Date and Time Friday January 19, 2024 at 10:00 AM

Location 100 N. MAIN STREET SUMTER, SC 29150

This meeting is held in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act. A copy of the agenda has been made available to the local media & general public.

Mission: Liberty STEAM Charter (LSC) works to provide all students equal access to a worldclass PK-12 education in an academically rigorous & student-centered learning environment, creating graduates to be thoughtful & engaged citizens prepared to take on the leadership challenges of the 21st century.

Vision: In partnership with our families & the community, Sumter STEAM Charter (SSC) will provide interdisciplinary, real-world, personalized, and project-based learning experiences through a STEAM-based academic program where graduates become the next generation of leaders, employers, and employees who contribute to the economic well-being of their communities and families.

Committee Members Present

Cameron Chandler, Greg Thompson, Kimberly Rauschenbach

Committee Members Absent

None

Guests Present

Tiffany Rhodes (remote), Trevor Ivey

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

B. Call the Meeting to Order

Greg Thompson called a meeting of the Governance Committee Committee of Liberty STEAM Charter to order on Friday Jan 19, 2024 at 10:00 AM.

C. Invocation

Mr. Thompson provided an invocation.

D. Pledge of Allegiance

Ms. Rauschenbach led the group in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

E. Reading of the Mission Statement

Ms. Rauschenbach read aloud the Mission Statement.

F. Reading of the Vision Statement

Ms. Chandler read aloud the Vision Statement.

G. Approve Agenda

Kimberly Rauschenbach made a motion to approve the agenda as presented by staff. Cameron Chandler seconded the motion. The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

H. Approval of Previous Minutes

Cameron Chandler made a motion to approve the minutes from LSC BOARD OF DIRECTORS GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE on 11-30-23. Greg Thompson seconded the motion. The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

II. Committee Updates

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Committee Updates

- The Governance Committee engaged in a conversation with the Executive Director regarding the Board Committee election that will take place in March. The Executive Director will begin prep for the three elected seats and the two appointed seats. All five seats will expire in March, 2025.
 - Mr. Thompson, Mr. Davis, and Ms. Rauschenbach hold the three appointed seats.
 - Ms. Knopf and Rev. Newton hold the two elected seats.
- Mr. Davis and Ms. Rauschenbach hold two of the three currently appointed seats. They have both expressed their interest in remaining a part of the Board
- Ms. Knopf and Rev. Newton have both expressed their interest in running again for the two elected seats.

III. Other Business

A. Agenda Items from Committee Members

None at this time.

IV. Executive Session

A. Purposes of a Discussion of Personnel Matters

Not needed at this time.

B. Purposes of Discussion of Negotiations Incident to Proposed Contractual Arrangement

Not needed at this time.

V. Actions Related to Executive Session

A. Action from Discussion of Personnel Matters

None at this time.

B. Action Related to Discuss of Negotiations Incident to Proposed Contractual Arrangement

None at this time.

VI. Closing Items

A. Next Steps

None at this time.

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Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 AM.

Respectfully Submitted, Greg Thompson