

# Merrick Academy Charter School

## **Minutes**

## Monthly Board Meeting

## **Date and Time**

Tuesday June 11, 2019 at 5:30 PM

#### Location

136-25 218th Street Springfield Garden, NY

#### **Trustees Present**

C. Dalgetty-Jarvis, G. Karikari, J. Ding (remote), L. Johnson, M. MUNOZ (remote), T. Boothe, T. Pierre-Louis (remote)

#### **Trustees Absent**

None

## **Guests Present**

A. Manuel (remote), S. Pugh, T. Miller

## I. Opening Items

## A. Record Attendance and Guests

## B. Call the Meeting to Order

G. Karikari called a meeting of the board of trustees of Merrick Academy Charter School to order on Tuesday Jun 11, 2019 at 5:30 PM.

## C. Approve Minutes

- L. Johnson made a motion to approve minutes from the Monthly Board Meeting on 05-28-19 Monthly Board Meeting on 05-28-19.
- C. Dalgetty-Jarvis seconded the motion.

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

#### Roll Call

T. Boothe Aye
C. Dalgetty-Jarvis Aye
L. Johnson Aye
T. Pierre-Louis Aye
J. Ding Aye
G. Karikari Aye
M. MUNOZ Aye

## **II. Executive Director's Report**

## A. Executive Director's Report

No report for this period.

## **III. Chief Academic Officer's Report**

## A. Chief Academic Officer's Report

- We have been accepted as an IB candidate school. "IB Candidate" to all school forms will need to be added. Leaders will begin training 2019-20.
- 6/11- Last PD for the year. Currently working on 2019- 20 teacher positions and school schedule. Plans for 2019-20 school year: Teacher comes in 10 min before students. Dismissal for a shorten day every other day.
- Almost all formal observations are done (6 left). Then move to Post Ops.
- Interviewing for 3 position vacancies
- New students: All incoming students currently being screened.
- I ready results in the top percentile for growth in NYC. K 100% will be ready for 1st. Exceeded our typical growth in multiple grades. We lowered our intervention percentage among grades. We lowered our intervention percentage among grades.
- Graduations and 4th grade field day upcoming, prom, spirit week, LIONS Ball.

## IV. Director of Operation's Report

## A. Director of Operations Report

No report for this period.

## V. PTO President's Report

## A. PTO President Report

- No revote for president. Joann Cummings will be the 2019-20 PTO President
- She will talk to parents with concerns and work to connect the PTO members to move towards a positive upcoming year.

## **VI. Committee Reports**

#### A. Academic Committee

- · Concerns about IReady results and CSI visits
- Comments about CSI; they don't necessarily report any positive things but focus on growth. State exams will come out late July. CSI will revisit in Sept.

#### **B.** HR Committee

#### HR Committee- C. Jarvis

- HR Committee did not meet yet this month.
- Recruitment firm working to bring in new talent.
- Coaching structure work needed; PD needed for coaches.
- HR committee will meet in the upcoming weeks.

## C. Finance Committee

No report for this period.

#### **D.** Operations Committee

- · Finalizing the school's budget.
- Ops Main Concerns: Building walkthrough with new D.O.O, Capital improvements, Fire Alarm appointment.

## VII. Action Items

## A. Approval of the 2019-2020 Budget

- T. Pierre-Louis made a motion to approval of the 2019-2020 Budget.
- C. Dalgetty-Jarvis seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

J. Ding Aye
C. Dalgetty-Jarvis Aye
T. Boothe Aye
G. Karikari Aye
L. Johnson Aye
M. MUNOZ Absent
T. Pierre-Louis Aye

## B. Approval of the MOU for ANET

- L. Johnson made a motion to approval of the MOU for ANET.
- J. Ding seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

M. MUNOZ Absent
J. Ding Aye
T. Boothe Aye
C. Dalgetty-Jarvis Aye
T. Pierre-Louis Aye
L. Johnson Aye
G. Karikari Aye

## VIII. Comments from the public

## A. Public Comment

There was an average turnout from the parent population, who participated in a vibrant discussion.

## IX. Executive Session

#### A. Motion to enter Executive Session

- C. Dalgetty-Jarvis made a motion to to enter executive session to discuss the medical, financial, credit, or employment history of a particular person or corporation, or matters leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal, or removal of a particular person or corporation.
- J. Ding seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

G. Karikari Aye
J. Ding Aye
T. Pierre-Louis Aye
M. MUNOZ Absent

#### Roll Call

L. Johnson AyeC. Dalgetty-Jarvis AyeT. Boothe Aye

#### **B.** Motion to exit Executive Session

- T. Pierre-Louis made a motion to exit executive session.
- J. Ding seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

C. Dalgetty-Jarvis Aye
J. Ding Aye
G. Karikari Aye
L. Johnson Aye
T. Boothe Aye
T. Pierre-Louis Aye
M. MUNOZ Absent

## X. Closing Items

## A. Adjourn Meeting

- C. Dalgetty-Jarvis made a motion to adjourn the meeting.
- J. Ding seconded the motion.

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

## Roll Call

G. Karikari Aye
J. Ding Aye
T. Pierre-Louis Aye
M. MUNOZ Absent
T. Boothe Aye
C. Dalgetty-Jarvis Aye
L. Johnson Aye

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 7:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

T. Miller