



Making Waves Academy

Minutes

Special Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Advisory Committee

Date and Time

Thursday June 3, 2021 at 10:15 AM

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 - Comment on items on the agenda
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Committee Members Present

Alton B. Nelson Jr. (remote), Jessica Laughlin (remote)

Committee Members Absent

None

Guests Present

Ashley Yarbrough (remote), Danilo Garcia (remote), Elizabeth Martinez (remote), Kassandre Harper-Cotton (remote), Michelle Chan (remote), Tiffany Hoang (Circle Up Education) (remote)

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance and Guests

B. Call the Meeting to Order

Elizabeth Martinez called a meeting of the Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Advisory Committee of Making Waves Academy to order on Thursday Jun 3, 2021 at 10:15 AM.

II. Committee Items

A. Check In

Group answered a check-in question.

B. Review Progress to Date

Facilitators shared progress made since the last meeting.

C. Working Group Proposals Discussion

Working Group Facilitators shared proposals for each working group:

- Teaching and Learning
- Family and Community Engagement
- HR Operations and Staff Culture
- Student Culture and Climate

III. Closing Items

A. Prepare for Upcoming Board Meeting

E. Martinez to create a board update to be shared on Jun 17, 2021.

B. Public Comment

No public comments were made.

C. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 12:10 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Elizabeth Martinez