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Rainier Valley Leadership Academy

Minutes

Board Meeting

January

Date and Time

Tuesday January 28, 2025 at 4:30 PM

Location

RVLA is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Join Zoom Meeting

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In Person Option: 6020 Rainier Ave S, Seattle WA 98118

Rainier Valley Leadership Academy October Board Meeting

This is a virtual Board Meeting open to the public.

Use this [link](#) to join.

Meeting is from 4:30-5:30 PM

6020 Rainier Ave S, Seattle WA 98118

Directors Present

E. Forde (remote), R. Bembry (remote), T. Marsh (remote)

Directors Absent

M. Dyal, V. Hsu

Guests Present

A. Thomas (remote), B. Coleman, C. Catchings, Keith Clark (remote), L. Reisberg

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance and Guests

B. Call the Meeting to Order

T. Marsh called a meeting of the board of directors of Rainier Valley Leadership Academy to order on Tuesday Jan 28, 2025 at 4:30 PM.

II. Public Testimony

A. Call for public testimony.

N/A

III. Consent Agenda

A. Board Meeting Minutes June 25th, 2024

R. Bembry made a motion to approve the minutes from RVLA Board Meeting on 06-25-24.

E. Forde seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

V. Hsu Absent

E. Forde Aye

T. Marsh Aye

R. Bembry Aye

M. Dyal Absent

B. December 2024 Payroll & Claim Vouchers

Payments have been audited and certified by the Auditing Officer as required by RCW 42.24.080, and those expense reimbursement claims certified as required by RCW 42.24.090. Those payments have been recorded on a listing which has been made available to the board.

As of January 21, 2025, the Board, by a unanimous vote, approves payments, totaling \$335,945.31, and/or voids (cancellations), totaling \$0.00. The payments and/or voids are further identified in this document.

Total by Payment Type: ACH/Warrants - Public

Direct Deposit Numbers 9000003140 through 9000003179, totaling \$184,718.58

Payments have been audited and certified by the Auditing Officer as required by RCW 42.24.080, and those expense reimbursement claims certified as required by RCW 42.24.090. Those payments have been recorded on a listing which has been made available to the board.

As of January 21, 2025, the Board, by unanimous vote, approves payments, totaling \$69,459.78, and/or voids (cancellations), totaling \$0.00. The payments and/or voids are further identified in this document.

Total by Payment Type: ACH/Warrants - Public

Warrant Numbers 102507 through 102519, totaling \$47,538.23

AP ACH Numbers 9000003124 through 9000003139, totaling \$21,921.55

Payments have been audited and certified by the Auditing Officer as required by RCW 42.24.080, and those expense reimbursement claims certified as required by RCW 42.24.090. Those payments have been recorded on a listing which has been made available to the board.

As of January 21, 2025, the Board, by a unanimous vote, approves payments, totaling \$6,546.82, and/or voids (cancellations), totaling \$0.00. The payments and/or voids are further identified in this document.

Total by Payment Type: WIRE-PRIVATE

Wire Transfer Payments 201900007 through 201900007, totaling \$6,546.82

Payments have been audited and certified by the Auditing Officer as required by RCW 42.24.080, and those expense reimbursement claims certified as required by RCW 42.24.090. Those payments have been recorded on a listing which has been made available to the board.

As of January 21, 2025, the Board, by a unanimous vote, approves payments, totaling \$361.68, and/or voids (cancellations), totaling \$0.00. The payments and/or voids are further identified in this document.

Total by Payment Type: WIRE-PUBLIC

Wire Transfer Payments 201900201 through 201900201, totaling \$361.68

C. August 27th, 2024 Board Meeting Minutes

R. Bembry made a motion to approve the minutes from RVLA Board Meeting on 08-27-24.

E. Forde seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

R. Bembry Aye

V. Hsu Absent

E. Forde Aye

M. Dyal Absent

T. Marsh Aye

D.

January 6th, 2025 Board Meeting Minutes

R. Bembry made a motion to approve the minutes from Board Meeting on 01-06-25.

E. Forde seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

M. Dyal Absent

V. Hsu Absent

E. Forde Aye

R. Bembry Aye

T. Marsh Aye

E. Out of Endorsement Teacher Placements

R. Bembry made a motion to Approve.

E. Forde seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

V. Hsu Absent

M. Dyal Absent

E. Forde Aye

R. Bembry Aye

T. Marsh Aye

IV. Updates

A. Development

Year to date fundraising amount.

Gates contract update.

B. Finance Update

Projected enrollment & re-enrollment update from Dean of Community Engagement and Recruitment, Lenny Emperado. Numbers are looking really good so far. Compared to last year at this time there is a big difference.

CFOO Chastity Catchings finance update. Monthly budget update expense & revenue.

C. Academics

Principal Angela Thomas reviewed MAP Growth data. Still have a little testing left to do with Running Start and absent scholars. Significant improvement in many areas from Fall. Grade & GPA review.

V. Executive Session

A. As Needed

Per RCW [42.30.110](#), Executive Session. Board Members, CEO, & CFOO will be considering information regarding staff privileges for the District Office.

Starting at 5:03pm and will go for 22 mins to return at 5:25pm.

Extended 2 mins and returned at 5:27pm.

No decisions have been made.

VI. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

R. Bembry made a motion to Adjourn.

E. Forde seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

R. Bembry Aye

V. Hsu Absent

M. Dyal Absent

E. Forde Aye

T. Marsh Aye

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 5:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. Reisberg

Documents used during the meeting

- Resolution January 28 2025 Minutes for June 25 2024.docx.pdf
- AP Check Summary Report with Board Certification 12.3.pdf
- AP Check Summary Report with Board Certification 12.11.pdf
- AP Check Summary Report with Board Certification 12.16.pdf
- Payroll Check Summary with Board Certification 12.31.pdf
- Resolution Jan 28 2025 for December 2024 Vouchers & Payments.pdf
- Resolution January 28 2025 Minutes for August 27 2024.docx.pdf
- Resolution January 28 2025 Minutes for January 6 2025.docx (1).pdf
- Board Resolution (Out of Endorsement Placement) - January 2025.docx.pdf