



# **Brevard Academy**

# Minutes

Governance and Policy Committee Meeting

Date and Time Tuesday October 8, 2024 at 8:30 AM

## Location

Conference Room.

## Mission:

The Mission of Brevard Academy is to prepare its students to achieve academic excellence through the Core Knowledge Sequence. Through a partnership involving students, teachers, and parents the school strives to create citizens with strong moral character and active intellectual inquiry.

## Vision:

Brevard Academy: A Challenge Foundation Academy (BA-CFA) a K-8 public charter school develops and encourages motivated, intellectually curious students who are skilled in critical thinking, individual expression, and problem-solving. From their diverse backgrounds, students accept our challenge to pursue personal and academic excellence. Through this pursuit, they become confident members of their community who lead by serving others.

## Strategic Goals For the this committee:

- 1. Ensure Academic Success for Every Student
- 2. Recruit, Hire and Retain Highly Effective Personnel
- 3. Engage Our Communities

#### **Committee Members Present**

Abe Pallas, Jennifer Iden, Michelle Peterson, Ted Duncan

#### **Committee Members Absent**

Jamie Atkinson, Jennifer Kelly, Lisa Busche, Michael Terry

#### Committee Members who arrived after the meeting opened

Jennifer Iden

#### I. Opening Items

#### A. Record Attendance

#### B. Call the Meeting to Order

Michelle Peterson called a meeting of the Governance and Policy Committee of Brevard Academy to order on Tuesday Oct 8, 2024 at 8:33 AM.

#### C. Approve Minutes

Abe Pallas made a motion to approve the minutes from Governance and Policy Committee Meeting on 09-10-24. Michelle Peterson seconded the motion. The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

#### **II. Policies and Actions for BOD Approval**

#### A. Policies for BOD Approval

The committee made the recommendation to approve policies for approval from last meeting.

## **III. Policies for First Read**

#### A. First Read Policies

Political Activity Policy and Expression--Dr. Pallas discussed the policy. Mr. Duncan will add any language from the school's attorney.

Pre-K Agreement with SmartStart--Mr. Duncan discussed the idea of partnering with SmartStart.

### **IV. Other Business**

#### A. Review Old Business

Jennifer Iden arrived at 8:36 AM.

#### V. Closing Items

#### A. Set Next Meeting Date

November 12 at 8:30 am.

#### **B.** Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 8:48 AM.

Respectfully Submitted, Michelle Peterson

This meeting is a public meeting of the BA-CFA Policy Committee in public for the purpose of conducting the School Corporation's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting.