



The Neighborhood Charter Network

Minutes

NCN December Board Meeting

Date and Time Wednesday December 20, 2023 at 3:30 PM

Location

Enlace Academy: Media Center 3725 N Kiel Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46224

The Neighborhood Charter Network is hosting a board meeting on the third Thursday of each month.

Directors Present

A. Segarra-Hansen (remote), B. Delk, J. Servaas, J. VanDeWalle, K. Britt (remote), R. Zavaleta (remote), T. Baker

Directors Absent C. Byczko, P. Castaneda, R. Hall

Guests Present D. Castellanos

I. Opening Items

A. Record Attendance

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Call the Meeting to Order

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II. Governance Committee

A. Executive Director Search Committee

Dennis Casey led the Executive Director Search Committee that began looking for an ED since July of 2023.

- The ED role was posted on educational and non-educational sites.
- A total of 16 candidates applied for the positions. Amazing candidates applied. After a thorough review of the resumes, the committee moved forward 5 candidates for Zoom interviews.
- Two finalist candidates were selected, external candidate Dr. Camille Darden and internal candidate Katie Dulay. Both candidates met with students, family, and staff members. They all had an opportunity to ask the candidates questions. The stakeholder panels and ED committee were impressed with Dr. Darden's 28 years of experience. The majority of the panel feedback was fully supportive of Katie as the best choice for Enlace. The committee also believes that Katie is capable of running Enlace and expanding it. Kevin did a great job of exposing Katie to the role in the past 5 years.
- The committee made a unanimous vote to recommend Katie Dulay as the executive director.

K. Britt made a motion to select Katie Dulay as the Executive Director of Neighborhood Charter Network subsequent to the negotiations of her salary with the Executive Committee.

B. Delk seconded the motion.

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

Roll Call

P. Castaneda	Absent
R. Hall	Absent
K. Britt	Aye
C. Byczko	Absent
T. Baker	Aye
J. Servaas	Aye
B. Delk	Aye
J. VanDeWalle	Aye
R. Zavaleta	Aye
A. Segarra-Hansen	Aye

Executive Director Compensation

Dennis Casey reviewed the salary information of the former executive Director Kevin Kubacki. He also took into consideration recommended the salary be competitive with what the market is for the position.

III. Closing Items

A. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 4:29 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, T. Baker