## Weber State University Charter Academy Board of Directors Meeting Tentative Agenda June 4, 2013

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Minute
  - a. May 7, 2013
  - b. May 13, 2013 Training
- 3. Ends
  - a. Executive Summary (attached)
- 4. Limitations
  - a. Grant update continued
  - b. Fingerprinting procedure
  - c. Amended and Restated Bylaws
    - i. Read before coming (section 3 of Board Handbook)
  - d. Charter Academy Agreement
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- 5. Assessment and Development
  - a. Budget Training
    - i. Ron Smith WSU Controller
  - b. WSU Charter Academy Budget Review/Approval for 2013-2014 (to be given out at meeting or emailed when received)
- 6. Other Business/Items
  - a. Executive Board Meeting Date
- 7. Next Meeting
  - a. July 2, 2013 5:00 p.m.

## WSU Charter Academy Board of Directors' Meeting

June 7, 2013

Attending:

Jack Rasmussen, Dean, Moyes College of Education

Chloe Merrill, Chair BOD, Asso. Dean, MCOE Wei Qiu, Secretary, Child & Family Studies

James Zagrodnik, Board Treasurer, HPHP Member

Jenny Kokai, Arts & Humanities Member

Jessica Hunter, Student Member Sara Gailey, Parent Member Kimberly Hearn, Parent Member Camie Bearden, Asst. Director, CFCE

Carol VandenAkker, WSUCA Secretary/Business Administrator

Attending by Skype: Natalie Williams, Vice Chair BOD, Special Education Member *UCA* <u>52-4-7.8</u>. *Electronic meetings -- Authorization -- Requirements* 

Guest:

Letitia Teneau-Sword, new teacher

Excused:

Bonnie Hofland, Teacher Education Member

Claudia Eliason, Community Member

- 1. Welcome new Charter Academy teacher
  - Introduction of Letitia Teneau-Sword
  - Introduced Board of Directors
- 2. Meeting Minutes
  - a. May 7, 2013, Minutes
    - i. J. Zagrdonik made the motion to accept the minutes as written.
    - ii. J. Kokai seconded the motion.
    - iii. There was no discussion. Motion Passed.
  - b. May 17, 2013, Minutes
    - i. Correction was made to add Jessica Hunter to list of attendees.
    - N. Williams made the motion to accept the minutes with correction.
    - iii. S. Gailey seconded the motion.
    - iv. There was no discussion. Motion Passed.
- 3. Ends
  - a. Executive Summary
    - i. Academy will have only one student with disabilities.
    - ii. Currently have 21 students in both afternoon and morning.
    - iii. Furniture is in and will be set up on Friday.
    - iv. Started ordering curriculum.
    - v. Mini ipads, charging/syncing station/observation room computers have arrived.
    - vi. There is a problem with the height of the computer table/writing center on the back wall of the classroom.
      - 1. It is currently 26" tall but should be only 22" tall.

2. Looking to see what options are available because space is not usable for most kindergarten students.

## 4. Limitation

- a. Grants
  - i. WSU auditors didn't think our grant items could be moved from item to item
    - C. Merrill sent grant changes to M. Burns with explanations and asked her to send permission to move line items within grant.
    - 2. M. Burns sent approval.
    - 3. Copy of state approval was sent to Roxann King at WSU
  - ii. Applied to extension to July 31, 2013.
    - 1. Extension approved.
    - 2. Try to complete expenditures by June 30, 2013.
- b. Fingerprinting Procedure
  - i. C. Bearden met with Brent Horn and figured out a rubric for volunteers
  - ii. Use Roberts' Rules of Order or Carver's Model
    - 1. Keep same
    - 2. Agree with majority of charter schools less confusion with other charters
    - 3. Would have to look at training in Carver's Model
- c. Amended and restated bylaws in section 3
  - i. Do we want to adopt all, none or mix items in bylaws
  - ii. Rotation of Board members/length of term is decided by Dean
  - "College of Humanities" on page 2 Section 3.3 should be "College of Arts & Humanities
- d. Charter Academy Agreement
  - i. Made with WSU as authorizer
  - ii. Details what Academy is held to by University
  - iii. Each year must write a report for fiscal year ending June 30
  - iv. Page 3 has requirements for Board
  - v. The Executive Committee will write the report the first time.
- e. We will know about liability, insurance and bonding for the Board by the end of the month.
- f. Dr. Wei Qiu will be the chair of Strategic Planning.
- 5. Assessment & Development
  - a. Budget Training Ron Smith, WSU Controller
    - Public education has different funding model than higher education
      - Based on WPU which is based on minimum school program
      - 2. Calculations re-evaluated yearly
      - 3. WPU for 2013-14 is \$2,899/student
        - a. 55/pupil for half-day kindergarten
  - b. Reviewed line items for 2013-14 Charter Academy Budget
  - c. Questions for discussion?

- i. How does surplus impact us next year?
  - 1. Money will be moved into a replacement account but wouldn't affect stated funding
- ii. WSU is putting in quite a bit of money into Academy
- iii. Who will fund professional development for teacher?
  - 1. Add \$5—to line 42 of budget
- iv. Where is money for substitute teacher?
  - 1. Add \$2,000 from reserve to line 27 of budget
- d. J. Hunter made the motion to accept the 2013-14 budget with the suggested changes.
  - i. J. Kokai seconded the motion.
  - ii. There was no discussion. Motion Passed.
- e. Budget will be uploaded to state on June 11, 2013.
- f. Need to remember that some things that have been supplied by the grant will need to be supplied by WPU.
- g. We are at close to capacity. Enrollment will not be increasing.
- h. Best not to have parents drive students on field trips because of liability issues.
- i. Redacted information handed out for Administration & Staff and Board Members.
- 6. Other Business/Items
  - a. Executive Board Meeting will be Tuesday, June 25, 2013, at 2 p.m.

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- 7. Next Meeting
  - a. July 2, 2013 5 p.m.

Meeting adjourned 6:29 p.m.