Weber State University Charter Academy Board of Directors Retreat
Minutes for June 25, 2020 2:00-3:30pm
Zoom Meeting Link

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Preparation. Please review all materials prior to the meeting. For the board training we will discuss the boards role in address COVID-19 and racial equity. Review:

Video: Bettina Love on co-conspirators https://www.c-span.org/video/?c4804332/user-clip-conspirators
Read: Creating caring classroom and Ally and Accomplish handouts with meeting materials

2:00 Call to order & welcome – Sheila (Chair)
➢ In attendance by zoom Brittany, Camie, Letitia, Jeremy, Stephanie, Alex and Angela Page

2:10 Consent Items
- Britney (Secretary): VOTE Approval of March (pdf attached)
- Stephanie (Treasurer): VOTE Approval of May Budget Report (pdfs attached)
  ➢ Brittany motioned to approve both March minutes and May Budget Report, Alex seconded. Approved

2:15 Board Business
➢ Introduction of Angela Page a nurse practitioner student here at the University who is doing a project on “Community and School Based Health” and will be Consulting with the Charter Academy and the MSL Children’s School ie.
  o Hearing
  o Sight (if Friends for Sight are not able to do it this year)
  o Speech and Language help
  o Follow-ups being implemented
  o Immunizations and helping get us into USSIS to follow up on immunizations.
  o Community Nursing Services to come in and help.
  o Consultations with really sick children
  o Mental Health

-Board Training - Sheila (Chair). COVID-19 and Equity Response. What is the board's role in addressing gaps highlighted by COVID-19 and death of George Floyd? Do we need a subcommittee to move this work forward? Examples of transparent commitments:
  ➢ Camie gave over view:
    o USBE expects schools to open in the yellow or new normal.
    o Will be meeting as a class team to start implementation of required steps. Going over what has to be implemented and what is recommended.
    o Distant Learning Form has to be filled out and to USBE by June 30th if plans are to do on line school instead of classroom teaching/learning.
    o Reached out to the Covid -19 Committee here on campus to make sure they are including the children that are here on campus in their decision making.
    o The Boards role will be to give feedback and approve the Covid Re-opening Plan
Issues on Racism “Equality and the gap”
   - Alex has some expertise in this area and will go over some of the points and issues that need to be addressed.
   - She starts off by saying her research was mainly disability, but happened to be in a lower income area in Washington DC, so did deal with minorities. Alex then started talking about the videos above.
   - As a board we need to look at the different materials being used in the classroom for diversity
   - Brittany wants to look at how we advertise our Charter and make sure it is to a wide diverse demographics.
   - Commitment to the Transparency of our Charter
   - Covid Plan and Equality need to go hand in hand
   - Alex will draft a Statement of Commitments

Action Item 2nd week in July to look at the Draft of Statement of Commitment.

-Executive Summary/ Legislative update /Strategic Recommendations-Camie (Principal, pdf attached)
   - Camie states that everything is the same since March. No end of year data was available due to Covid-19 and the soft closure. Because of this, was not able to be compare data from the beginning, mid and end of the year to see classroom and individual growth.
   - No vote for now on the Reopening Plan until USBE has finalized theirs.

-Annual Report - Sheila (Chair)
   - Jeremy motioned to approve, Brittany seconded. Approved

-2019-2020 Strategic Priorities – Brittany (Secretary, pdf attached)
   - Just reviewed keeping same as last year as goals were for the end of the year and were not all met due to Covid and the soft closure.

-Financial Report – Stephanie (Treasurer): VOTE Approval of 2020-2021 School Year Budget (pdf attached)
   - Not much changed and we are in a good place, in the positive.
   - Looking at hiring a 2nd Para Professional for 20-21 and there is funding to do this.
   - Talk of new technology and curriculum if we have to go back to online teaching/learning.
   - Cleaning and sanitizing products may need to add a little more to this budget.
     - Angela said she has a list of approved and sanitizers she will send to us
   - Cares Act funding was denied, but some things have changed due to Covid, so Abel is following up on this.
   - Stephanie motioned to approve, Alex seconded. Approved

-Tentative 2020-2021 Schedule -Sheila (Chair, see p. 2-3): Feedback and suggestions?
   - Board will vote on in August when we have our new Parent Board Member/s in attendance.
3:10 Service Recognition Presentation- Sheila (Chair)
   ➢ Sheila thanked everyone for their time and service for the year!

3:20
- Open Public Comment: Sign-up sheet available prior to the board meeting
- Other Business/ Items
- Next Meeting: TBA

Adjournment
   ➢ Stephanie motioned to adjourn, Jeremy seconded. Approved

2020-2021 WSUCA BOD Work Plan & Meeting Schedule DRAFT

July
- Welcome and orient new Provost and board members
- Revise Annual report format
- Policy revisions to address legislative updates
- Update strategic plan and progress indicators
- Personnel

August Retreat
- Approve year end report, strategic plan (curriculum and assessment, marketing, professional development, family engagement, evaluation), policy revisions to address legislative requirements
- Training – roles and responsibilities, Annual Conflict of Interest Statement
- Principal Executive Summary
- Plan and coordinate principal support needed

September
Beginning of Year Principal evaluation subcommittee conference (Sheila, Stephanie, Brittney)

October
- Minutes & Budget
- Principal Executive Summary with beginning or year progress indicators
- Family Involvement Committee report
- Open public meeting training

December: Holiday Social

January
Minutes & Budget
Principal Executive Summary with mid-year progress indicators
Principal Evaluation Subcommittee Midyear progress review (Sheila, Stephanie, Brittney)

March
Lottery
Minutes & Budget
Principal Executive Summary
2020-2021 Calendar
Land Trust Committee recommendation approval

May 2nd attend Charter Academy Opera 6:00 pm. (tentative)

June Year End Board Retreat
- Approval of Annual Report & 2020-2021 Budget
- Principal Report Year End Summary and Strategic Plan Recommendations
- Strategic Planning & mission statement review
- Teacher and student success plan