

Berkeley Charter Education Association Board of Directors Meeting Meeting Minutes April 28, 2022

**MEETING HELD AT:** Berkeley Preparatory Academy & Zoom

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

	PRESENT	NOT PRESENT	TERM EXPIRATION DATE
Stewart Weinberg   President	Х		May 2022
Cheryl Hollis   Vice-President	Х		May 2023
Brian Williams   Treasurer	Х		May 2023
Danielle Statler   Secretary	Х		May 2023
Joseph Bowers   Director	Zoom		May 2022
Henry Brown   Director	Zoom		May 2022
Alicia Patton   Director	Х		May 2023

#### NON-BOARD MEMBERS ATTENDING:

- 1. Brenda Coyle, Principal Mevers School of Excellence
- 2. Dr. Corbet Wilson VP of Educational Accountability & Strategy CSUSA
- 3. Lisanne Morton, State Finance Director CSUSA
- 4. Bill Roach, State Director & Founding principal of BPA CSUSA
- 5. Jessica Brown, Assistant Principal of BPA Berkeley Preparatory Academy
- 6. Susan Gibson, SC Grants Coordinator SC State Team
- 7. Paula Jackson, Director of Gov. Relations & Development CSUSA

# I. ADMINISTRATIVE

- CALL TO ORDER Pursuant to public notice, Board President, Dr. Stewart Weinberg called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.
- ROLL CALL Roll call was held, and quorum was established.
- PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

# II. SPECIAL PRESENTATION

- Recognition of Sandy Hightower and Samuel Rivers
- Dr. Weinberg recognized Brenda Coyle for presenting at a Charter School event.
- Recognition of MSE and BPA Student of the Year, Volunteer of the Year and Teacher of the Year. MSE – Amia Gadsden/Maria Duvall/Erin Coward. BPA -Jace Bronniman/Paul & Margaret Nutt/Gina Dippolito.
- Recognition of Ms. Maul for saving a student's life at school.
- Dr. Roach was recognized by Brenda Coyle and Jessica Brown and presented the Greatest Role Model award for his mentorship.



### III. EXECUTIVE SESSION

#### APPROVAL

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Danielle</u> and seconded by <u>Bo</u> to go into executive session to discuss legal matters and personnel.

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Alicia</u> and seconded by <u>Bo</u> to come out of executive session. Motion passed unanimously.

### IV. ADMINISTRATIVE

• APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Danielle</u> and seconded by <u>Cheryl</u> to approve the agenda. Motion passed unanimously.

• APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 24, 2022, AMENDED MEETING MINUTES

MOTION: Motion was made by <u>Brian</u> and seconded by <u>Bo</u> to approve the March 24, 2022, amended meeting minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

• APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 31, 2022, AMENDED MEETING MINUTES

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Brian</u> and seconded by <u>Bo</u> to approve the March 31, 2022, amended meeting minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

• APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 21, 2022, AMENDED MEETING MINUTES

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Brian</u> and seconded by <u>Bo</u> to approve the April 21, 2022, amended meeting minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

### V. CSUSA REPORTS

- Mevers Principal Report
  - Mrs. Coyle gave an update on MSE marketing, teacher vacancies, testing, COVID numbers, staff updates, recent hires, and enrollment.
- Berkeley Preparatory Academy Principal Report
  - Ms. Brown gave an update on BPA marketing, teacher vacancies, testing, COVID numbers, staff updates, recent hires, and enrollment.
- Special Education Updates were included in the packet.
- Grants Susan Gibson gave updates for both MSE & BPA.



 Financials The Board was updated on Financials for both schools.

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Brian</u> and seconded by <u>Danielle</u> to approve the financials for March for Mevers. Motion passed unanimously.

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Brian</u> and seconded by <u>Danielle</u> to approve the amended financials for March for Berkeley Prep. Motion passed unanimously.

# VI. BOARD DISCUSSION ITEMS

• Take action, if any from Executive Session

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Bo</u> and seconded by <u>Brian</u> to commence negotiations with the construction group (BCCG) pursuant to the RFP previously issued by the Board for the development of The Charter School in Orangeburg, SC.

- . Motion passed unanimously.
- 2022 Board Election Process

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Cheryl</u> and seconded by <u>Danielle</u> to approve the recommended motion to

- . Motion passed unanimously.
- National Teacher Appreciation Week, May 2-6

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Brian</u> and seconded by <u>Alicia</u> to approve the recommended motion to put a total of \$2,500 towards a Teacher Appreciation gift for MSE & BPA. . Motion passed unanimously.

### VII. PUBLIC COMMENTS

• No public comments

### VIII. ADJOURNMENT

<u>MOTION</u>: Motion was made by <u>Cheryl</u> and seconded by <u>Alicia</u> to adjourn the meeting of the Berkeley Charter Education Association. The meeting adjourned at <u>7:14</u>.

### NEXT MEETING:

Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. Berkeley Preparatory Academy



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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING April 28, 2022 5:45 p.m. – Executive Session 6:30 p.m. – Regular Meeting Berkeley Preparatory Academy

Attendance		
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4. Logan Bronniman	har Brann	
5. Sandra Hichtower	Sid	
6. Amiyah Gadsden	Anyan Gadsden	
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8. Maria DuVall	MEDUDURP	
. Jada Jenkins	fl JB	
10. Kapen Jenkins	Karen Leokins	
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