

ASPIRA OF DELAWARE CHARTER OPERATIONS, INC.

REGULAR MEETING

BOARD MEETING MINUTES: ASPIRA OF DELAWARE

CHARTER OPERATIONS INC. (ADCO)

DATE: 09/26/12 LOCATION: Las Americas

ASPIRA Academy Charter School

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START TIME: 6:00 PM END TIME: 8:00 PM

Directors Present: John Laznik, Lois D. Heesters, EJ Bliey, Daniel Segui, Lilia Meredith **Directors Present on phone:** Jamie "Gus" Rivera (Chair), Monica Gonzalez-Gillespie (Vice

Chair), Maribeth Welch

Others Present: Margie Lopez Waite (Head of School)

Others Present on phone: Greg Panchisin (Business Manager)

Absent: Aaron R. Goldstein (Leave of absence)

Call to Order

Gus Rivera called the public session to order at 6:04 PM.

Officer and Committee Chair Reports

Finance Committee Report *as reported by Greg Panchisin (Business Manager)* Greg reviewed the final monthly financial report for July 31, 2012 and August 31, 2012.

- Building Hope partial repayment (Fall 2012)
- Audit for FY12 Financial Statement will be complete by end of October 2012

A motion by Monica Gonzalez-Gillespie, second by Gus Rivera that the ADCO Board approve the July 31, 2012 and the August 31, 2012 Financial Reports as presented. Final resolution was unanimous.

Head of School Report as reported by Margie Lopez Waite (Head of School)

Head of School Update – Start of School Year

- 338 students for 2012-13
- Anticipated that LAAA will be a Title I School for 2012-13 (> 40% Free/Reduced Lunch)
- 1st round of DCAS testing taking place
- Open enrollment for 2013-14 will be from October 1 November 30, 2012
- 2013-14 applications will be available on website
- 2013-14 will add 4 KG classrooms

• DOE school audit will occur in October

Facility Report as reported by Gus Rivera (Chairperson of the Board of Directors)

- Construction update Phase 2: 2013-14 & 2014-15
- Engineering report for HVAC system
- Kitchen design discussed

Adjourn

The meeting adjourned by unanimous consent at 7:55 PM.