

# **BOARD MEETING MINUTES:** ASPIRA OF DELAWARE CHARTER OPERATIONS INC. (ADCO)

DATE: 03/28/2019

ASPIRA OF DELAWARE CHARTER OPERATIONS, INC. LOCATION: Conference Room Las Americas ASPIRA Academy (LAAA) Charter School 326 Ruthar Drive, Newark DE 19711-8017

**Directors Present:**, Donald Patton, Younes Haboussi, Dr. Lourdes Puig, Serah Jo Pesce, Luis Santiago, Tiffany Burton, Dr. Rosalie Dow

Others Present: Margie Lopez Waite (Head of School), Greg Panchisin (Chief Operating Officer) Absent: Benjamin Esparza, Fred West, Crystal Mayfield Future Meeting Date: 05/02/2018

### Call to Order

Puig called the regular meeting to order at 5:15 PM, noting that there was quorum.

#### Move to Executive Session

Santiago moved to enter executive session, Patton Seconded and the Board Entered Executive Session by unanimous vote.

#### **End of Executive Session**

Haboussi moved to return to public meeting at 6:00 pm, Santiago seconded and the Board entered public meeting by unanimous vote.

#### **Action Items**

Santiago Moved to approve motion to sign letter of intent, Patton seconded. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

### **Public Comment**

No Public Comment

### **Approval of Agenda**

Santiago moved to approve March Agenda (with no Development Update), Haboussi seconded. Agenda was approved by unanimous vote. Younes moved to approve February meeting minutes, Pesce seconded. Meeting minutes approved by unanimous vote.

### New Business

Santiago moved to approve new school calendar, Burton seconded the motion and the new calendar was approved by unanimous vote of the Board.

Patton moved to approve changed to parental leave policy, Haboussi seconded the motion and the policy changes were approved by unanimous vote of the Board

### Finance Committee Reports (FOC) as reported by Greg Panchisin

Panchisin presented and led discussion regarding the February 2019 financial reports. The full reports are available on the FOC portion of <u>www.aspiraacademy.org</u>. Haboussi moved to approve the financial reports. Pesce seconded the motion and the financial reports was approved by unanimous vote of the Board.

## **Operations Committee Update** as reported by Tiffany Burton

Review last year's survey then fine tune the new survey. Adding new survey for staff. Adding two bus routes for next years.

## Head of School Report as reported by Margie Lopez Waite

Lopez Presented Enrollment Update Lopez Presented Culture and Climate Update Lopez Presented Visual and Performing Arts Update Lopez Presented Athletics Update Lopez Presented Academic Excellence Update

## **Other Business**

Changing Next meeting from 04/18/2019 to 05/02/2019.

## <u>Adjourn</u>

The meeting adjourned by unanimous consent.