School Board Minutes

June 27, 2023

Members Present: N. Donnay, R. Hajlo, D. Keyes, K. Denzer, A. Galati, M. Stiles, R.

Thorson

Members Absent: A. Melendres

Ex-officio Members Present: J. Gutierrez

1 Public Hearing on Student Fees - 6:00 PM

• K. Gutierrez explained the process.

- B. Grubish explained further and answered questions from the board.
- FY24 Class Fees Analysis: <u>https://drive.google.com/file/d/119KZXBxSs7QY8gkRtjOGvu8AuUcMJZHY/vie</u> w?usp=drive link
- FY24 Class Fee Discussion and Recommendation: https://drive.google.com/file/d/119wVaQOxnNx1x5hMBs88ezKLWtu-vvh/view?usp=drive link

2 Call to Order

R. Hajlo called the meeting to order at 6:14 PM.

3. Open Forum

None

4 - Consent Agenda

- A. Board Minutes May 16, 2023
- B. Executive Director report
- Motion to Approve: A. Galati
- Second: M. StilesApproved: All
- C. Governance Committee
 - a. Pledge of Allegiance policy review 1st reading
 - b. Student Medication policy review 1st reading
 - c. Mandated Reporting of Child Maltreatment policy review 1st reading
 - d. Protection and Privacy of Pupil Records policy review 1st reading
 - e. Hazing Prohibition policy review 1st reading

- D. Governance Board Governance Manual Approval
 - a. Updated staff members from 125 to 170
 - b. Added Succession Committee Planning Description
 - c. Changed "CFO" and "COO" to EDFO Executive Director of Finance and Operations
- E. Update Calendars and Employee Handbook to include Juneteenth June 19th declared a national holiday by the MN Legislature.
- F. 2023-2024 Family Handbook first reading.
 - a. Note:
 - i. We will be changing the phone policy so they will not be allowed outside of lockers during the school day:
 - ii. We are considering minimum attendance requirements for US, maybe MS, to reduce the large number of absences students/families are taking;
 - iii. We will be adding a grid for fees due to vandalism, which unfortunately is on the rise.

5 - Agenda

- A. 2023-2024 Student Fees Approval
- Motion to Approve: K. Denzer
- Second: M. StilesApproved: All
- B. Read Well by Third Grade
 - a. J. Karetov
 - i. The form remains the same from last year.
 - ii. Added: We have been tracking data for the past three years and will be analyzing results now that we have a history. This will assist in addressing, what may need to change, be added, etc.
 - 1. Step scores
 - 2. Fluency
 - 3. MCA scores
 - iii. If a student does not meet, a letter goes home to families.
 - iv. We applied to be a Minnesota School of Excellence (Lower School).
 - b. Link to Report:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/11G8umL1CmufXh8W_8p9vdVZC1CbWw9il/view?usp=drive_link

Motion to Approve: K. Denzer

Second: D. KeyesApproved: All

- C. Resolution for 2023-2024 Approval of IOwA) -- Identified Official with Authority
- Motion to Approve: K. Denzer

Second: M. StilesApproved: All

- D. 2023-2024 Annual Designations
- Motion to Approve: K. Denzer

Second: A. GalatiApproved: All

- E. 2023 -2024 E-Learning Days
 - a. J. Gutierrez explained the proposal of 3 e-learning days.
- Motion to Approve: D. Keyes
- Second: N. Donnay
- Approved: All
- F. Parent Board Appointment Recommendation to appoint Jeff Johnson
 - a. By Laws (section):
 https://drive.google.com/file/d/11N3YaOJseXx44ULFIOAcnopimdUpD_ UP/view?usp=drive_link
 - b. Voting Results 2023: https://drive.google.com/file/d/11N_pXMW3npbilBI4BxVU8IxNMXELF1-U/view?usp=drive_link
- Motion to Approve: D. Keyes

Second: M. StilesApproved: All

- G. SCPA Capital Assets Capitalization Policy
 - a. K. Denzer explained the increased capitalization proposal to the board. Proposed increase from \$500 to \$2500.
 - b. Link: https://drive.google.com/file/d/11azwGzVJW6dkTZLbuOu6VelZAJP2w b3h/view?usp=drive link

- Motion to Approve: A. Galati
- Second: R. Thorson
- Approved: All
- H. Approve Adjusted Budget
 - a. K. Gutierrez Walked through the May financial report.
 - b. Link: 2023 May Financial Report

Proposal to Approve:

- To adopt the 2022-2023 revised budget as presented:
 - General Fund Revenues of \$16,791,897 and Expenditures of \$16,626,407
 - Food Service Fund Revenues of \$539,700 and Expenditures \$512,579
 - Community Service Fund Revenues of \$190,000 and Expenditures \$190,000
- Motion to Approve: K. Denzer
- Second: M. StilesApproved: All
- Succession Planning -- Rebar Leadership -- Statement of Work Review/Approval
 - a. SCPA Succession Planning Meeting Minutes June 14, 2023 Link: https://drive.google.com/file/d/11skCL9i7evY3FjWYU1qvymRzRwHUDh Fd/view?usp=drive link
 - b. SCPA Statement of Work Link: https://drive.google.com/file/d/11vsDZujSfZI9CShtxlWZ899r7n82Zfg/view?usp=drive_link

Note: The next board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 15, 2023 (no July meeting).

- Motion to Approve to cancel the July 2023 meeting and move the agenda items to August: R. Thorson
- Second: A. Galati
- Approved: All

Adjournment: - 7:07 PM

- Motion to adjourn: A. Galati
- Second: K. Denzer

• Approved: All

Respectfully Submitted by A Galati, St. Croix Preparatory Academy Board Clerk