# FIT ACADEMY - May BOARD MEETING Minutes

Board of Directors Regular Board Meeting Agenda May 10, 2017, 6:00pm – FIT Academy School Site

**Mission:** To prepare the whole student to lead a fulfilling, responsible, and successful life by purposefully integrating the three developmental areas of Fitness & Health, Intellectual Development, and Teamwork and Character into the educational experience.

**Vision:** We will provide a balanced approach to student growth that embraces diversity and individuality by promoting open minded inquiry and valuing respectful interactions

I. Call to Order (Chair)- the meeting was called to order at 6:02pm

### II. Roll Call of Members (Secretary)

Ken Thielman (Chair)-Present Paul Anderson-Present Ed Cassidy- Present Mark Cotton- Present

Nancy Schneider- Present at 6:20 Ex-Officio: Claud Allaire, Executive Director-Present

Angie Halama - Present

III. Approval of Agenda

Moved: Paul Second: Ed Vote: 5-0

- IV. Declaration of Conflict of Interest- no conflicts of interest were expressed
- V. Open Forum- None
- VI. Approval of Meeting Minutes
  - a. April Meeting Minutes (review & approval)

Moved: Ed Second: Angie Vote: 5-0

- VII. Chair's Report: Ken- None
- VIII. Director's Report: Claud
  - a. Open Houses- May 9th open house had about 100 attendees, 8 partners attended, we picked up about 15 new enrolled students and others took applications home- upcoming open houses on May 25th and June 15th
  - b. Building- hoping to be about 3 weeks away from completion and the ability to set up classrooms
  - c. Update on Ready to Open- on track about 15 students away from our needed enrollment to open
  - d. Community Partners- Claud is setting up additional partnerships in the areas of leadership, health, and music for our students

### IX. Committee Reports / Planning

- a. Facility None
- b. **Finance** April Financials
- c. Academic Angie presented on sample unit on theme based learning for the middle school model
- d. Marketing & Recruitment We have an upcoming open houses on May 25th and June 15th, a billboard going up on HWY 35W Southbound, advertisement in the newspaper, and park events planned starting on May 26th
- e. Policy Committee None

### X. Old Business

- a. Second review for approval the following policies (review & approval)
- 612 Development of Parental Involvement Policies for Title I

- 616 School District System Accountability
- 801 Equal Access to School Facilities
- 806 Crisis Management Policy
- 807 Health and Safety Policy
- 506 Student Discipline

Moved to approve policies 612, 616, 801, 806, 807, and 506: Ed

Vote: 6-0

b. - Approval of changes to Policy 430 Employment & Hiring Policy

Moved to approve changes to policy 430: Ed Second: Paul Vote:6-0

#### XI. New Business

a. Personnel: Approval of termination of Jessica Anderson (office manager) effective 4/26/17. Approval of the following agreements: Ed Cassidy, Teacher & Athletic Director effective August 1 (\$53,164), Elizabeth Honkanen, Teacher & 3-5 Lead Teacher effective August 1(\$45,000); Approval of temporary Spring & Summer Hires: Tamra Paschall as Dean of Students effective May 8 through June 30 (\$750 per week); Whitney Sperry effective May 22 through June 30 (\$19 per hour); Katie Hanson effective June 19 through August 1 (\$18 per hour)

Second: Angie

Moved: Paul Second: Mark Vote: 6-0

b. First review for approval of the Employment Handbook

Moved to approve 1st review: Angie Second: Paul Vote: 6-0

c. Approval of Lancer catering contract

Moved: Ed Second: Mark Vote: 6-0

- d. Lease aid application signatures- all board members expressed no connection to our lease partner
- e. Approval of service contracts: Aspen Waste & Recycling; Universal Cleaning Services Moved: Angie Second: Paul Vote: 6-0
- f. Approval of Partner contract with Sylvan Learning Center to provide after school STEM program & JK Movement to provide a Leadership in A Diverse Community group

Moved to accept Sylvan: Mark Second: Nancy Vote: 6-0

Moved to accept JK Movement:Ed Second: Nancy Vote: 6-0

G. Approval of 2017-2018 budget revision to 150 students

Moved- Angie Second: Paul Vote- 6-0

## XII. Next Meeting

a. Date & Time: 6/14/17b. Location: FIT Academy

c. Agenda Items:

#### XIII. Adjournment

a. Board Evaluation

b. Motion to Adjourn- 6:53pm

Moved: Mark Second- Paul Vote 6-0