

## Board of Trustees Emergency Meeting North Metro Flex Academy 2350 Helen Street North St. Paul, MN 55109

## December 16, 2020 Emergency Board Meeting 10:30AM

# <u>Minutes</u>

**Our mission** is to prepare a diverse community of elementary and middle school students to be successful in high school, college and in their chosen vocation through a flexible, individualized learning experience that develops analytical, compassionate, disciplined and self-directed learners.

## Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, this Board meeting is being held virtually via Zoom.

The meeting was called to order at 10:34AM with a quorum present.

## Call to Order and Roll Call

- Board Members Present: Mike Leary, Pam Albrecht, Ember Russell, Dave Isaacson
- Board Members Absent: None
- ACCEL Team Members: None
- Public Present: Cindy Lavorato
- NEO Representative: None
- Finance Representative: None

## Approval of the Agenda

Motion to approve the agenda was made by Pam Albrecht. Second: Mike Leary Roll Call Vote: Albrecht: aye Leary: aye Isaacson: aye Russell: aye Motion Passed

## **Conflict of Interest Declaration**

After reading the agenda, do any Board members have any real or perceived conflict of interest with any agenda item. Albrecht: None Leary: None Isaacson: None Russell: None

## Public Comment - NA

Finance - NA

Consent Agenda - NA

#### **Board Training Update - NA**

### **NEO Points of Business** - NA

#### **ACCEL Points of Business** - NA

- RVP Report
- School Expansion
- Costs for curriculum, furniture, technology, lockers, etc.
- Marketing Plan
- Curriculum and Services Agreement Exhibit E/ New Agreement
- School Report

#### COVID-19 Discussion Topics - NA

#### Old Business - NA

A motion to go into closed session at 10:36AM to discuss litigation against the CMO pursuant to M.S. Sec. 13D.05 sub. 2 was made by Pam Albrecht.

Second: Dave Isaacson Roll Call Vote: Albrecht: aye Isaacson: aye Russell: aye Leary: aye Motion Passed

#### **New Business**

• Litigation – Discussion was held with Cindy Lavorato, legal counsel for NMFA. We reviewed the NEO responses to the revised management agreement, the recent Accel attorney letter and NEO renewal request documents.

A motion to go out of closed session at 11:45PM was made by Pam Albrecht. Second: Mike Leary Roll Call Vote: Albrecht: Isaacson: Russell: Leary: Motion:

## Adjourn

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:47AM was made by Dave Isaacson. Second: Ember Russell Roll Call Vote: Albrecht: aye Isaacson: aye Russell: aye Leary: aye Motion Passed

## Next Board Meeting: December 16, 2020, 5:00 PM