## **University YES Academy Board of Directors**

Date: Monday, June 26, 2023 Time: 6:00 p.m. Location: University Yes Academy, 14669 Curtis, Detroit, MI 48235

# **Organizational Board Meeting Minutes**

- 1. Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 6:37 pm by Board President Shield.
- 2. Roll call of Board members

Name	Present	<b>Excused Absence</b>
William Shield, President	X	
Christopher Leslie, Vice President/Treasurer	X	
James Hunter, Secretary		x
Kim Logan-Nowlin, Member	x	

### **NPFE Staff Present:**

Karen Brown, Business Manager Alicia Markham, Administrative Assistant Otilia Ross, Administrative Assistant LaTasha Tucker, Director of Operations

### **Others Present:**

Joseph Kopietz, Board Legal Counsel
Amy Zacharias, BMCC Representative (on the phone)

- 3. Approval of Agenda: Motion to approve the agenda moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Leslie, unanimously approved.
- 4. Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve the minutes moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Leslie, unanimously approved.
- 5. Public Comment (limited to agenda only): NONE
- 6. Organizational Action Items: Motion to nominate the officers moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Leslie, unanimously approved.
  - a. Nomination and election of Officers
    - i. President of the Board of Directors: William Shield
    - ii. Vice President of the Board of Directors: James Hunter

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- iii. Secretary of the Board of Directors: Dr. Kim Logan
- iv. Treasurer of the Board of Directors: Christopher Leslie

### Consent Agenda

- b. Resolution indicating Board will comply with all the laws, rules and regulations: *The Board agrees to comply with all the laws, rules, and regulations.*
- c. Resolution to designate the person responsible for posting regularly-scheduled and special board meeting notices: *NPFE staff member*
- d. Resolution setting date, time and place of regular board meetings and annual budget hearing: Fourth Monday of each month at 6 pm at University Yes Academy
- e. Resolution designating public places to post calendar and individual meeting notices of regularly scheduled board meeting notices: *Exterior doors, website, parent newsletter, and parent board*
- f. Adoption of Resolution Designating Depositories for Academy Funds and authorized signatures for funds and accounts: *Comerica Bank*
- g. Adoption of Resolution Designating Board member and Personnel eligible to sign Academy checks: *William Shield, Paris Hodge*
- h. Appointment of Legal Counsel: Evolutionary Law
- i. Appointment of External Auditor: Wilkerson and Associates
- j. Appointment of Chief Administrator Officer: Chief Financial Officer
- k. Appointment of AHERA contact person: Director of Operations
- Appointment of Homeless Liaison/McKinney Vento Act contact person: Student Support Specialist
- m. Appointment of Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) contact person: Building Principal
- n. Appointment of Sexual Harassment contact person: Chief Human Resources Officer
- o. Appointment of Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504, Civil Rights contact person: *Chief Administrative Officer*

End of Consent Agenda: Motion to approve items 6b through 60 by consent agenda moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Leslie, unanimously approved.

- 7. Board Action Items: Motion to approve board action items 7a through 7c moved by Mr. Shield, supported by Mr. Leslie, unanimously approved.
  - a. Final SY 2022-23 Budget
  - b. Proposed SY 2023-24 Budget
  - c. 2023-2024 Board Calendar
- 8. New Business/Correspondence: Motion to reappoint William Shield to the University Yes Academy Board of Directors moved by Mr. Leslie, supported by Dr. Logan, unanimously approved.
- 9. Authorizer Comments......Amy Zacharias, BMCC: Reminder to upload all items to Epicenter on time.
- 10. Board Comments

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- 11. Public Comment (non-agenda items)
- 12. Confirmation of next Board Meeting......Monday, July 24, 2023
- 13. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned by Board President Shield at 6:44 pm.

All meeting attendees are invited to make public comments after signing their name on the sign-up sheet immediately preceding the meeting. Comments must be limited to two minutes.

Board Secretary Signature

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