



Ridgeview Charter Middle School Governance Council
MINUTES

Members: Ellen Woodard, Elected Parent (2024); Niger Harrold, Elected Staff Member (2025); Laney Hudson, Elected Staff Member (2024); Justin Pauly, Elected Parent (2025); Eldrecus Warren, Elected Parent (2025); Jordan Viera, Appointed Staff Member (2024); James Hulett, Appointed Staff Member (2025); Becky Neece, Nominated Community Member (2024); Jessica Lawrence, Nominated Community Member (2025); Thomas Garrett, Principal (non-voting member)

Thursday, July 20, 2023
 Virtual on Microsoft Teams – 9 a.m.

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Members in Attendance: Becky Neece, Niger Harrold, Laney Hudson, Justin Pauly, Eldrecus Warren, James Hulett, Jessica Lawrence, Thomas Garrett

Members Absent: Ellen Woodard, Jordan Viera

Time	Detail	Responsible Party
9:00 am	Call to Order	Neece
	Action Item: “May I have a motion to approve the meeting agenda.” Motion to approve: Justin Pauly Seconded: Laney Hudson Unanimously approved	Neece
	Action Item: “May I have a motion to approve the previous meeting minutes.” Motion to approve: Laney Hudson Seconded: Harrold Niger Unanimously approved	Neece
	Discussion: (2 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher Laney Hudson has been appointed to fulfill the remaining 1-year through June 2024 of a term vacated by elected teacher Charlene Suarez.” 	Neece
	Discussion: (2 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Counselor James Hulett has been appointed to a 2-year appointed staff member term through June 2025. 	Neece
	Discussion: (2 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parent Mr. Justin Pauly has been appointed to a 2-year elected parent term through June 2025 (vacated after elections by former election winner Misty Boachie). 	Neece
	Action Item: I need a nomination from the council to nominate Jessica Lawrence, parent, to a 2-year through	Neece

	<p>June 2025 community member role (which per SGC guidelines parents can fill): Now, “May I have a motion to accept Jessica Lawrence as a council member in the community role through a June 2025 term.” Motion to approve: Niger Harrold Seconded: Eldrecus Warren Unanimously approved</p> <p>Information: Jordan Viera has moved on from Ridgeview. Next meeting Mr. Garrett will bring a new person forth for the appointed staff member position</p>	
	<p>Discussion (20 minutes):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee memberships for the Enhancing RCMS Image Committee & Ridgeview United Committee (see below) • Overview Enhancing the Image Purpose and Outlook for the coming year – Woodard • Overview the Ridgeview United Purpose and Outlook for the coming year -- Neece 	Committee Members
	<p>Discussion (20 minutes):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review SGC handbook roles for chair, vice chair, and parliamentarian. • Once nominations are accepted for one position, move to the below action item to conduct a vote on that person or multiple people to select the position. • Review SGC handbook rules for all SGC members being on a communications/outreach, budget/finance, or principal selection and select memberships to add to minutes. • Committees will be decided next meeting • Proposed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communications: Ellen Woodard, Justin Pauly, Jessica Lawrence Budget/Finance: Niger Harrold, Becky Neece, Eldrecus Warren, Laney Hudson, James Hulett Principal Selection: Becky Neece, Laney Hudson, Niger Harrold, Eldrecus Warren 	Neece
	<p>Action Item: “May I have a motion to approve Laney Hudson and Niger Harrold as council co-chairs?” Motion to approve: Jessica Lawrence Seconded: Justin Pauly Unanimously approved</p>	Neece
	<p>Action Item: “May I have a motion to approve Becky Neece as council vice chair?” Motion to approve: Jessica Lawrence Seconded: Justin Pauly Unanimously approved</p>	Neece
	<p>Action Item: “May I have a motion to approve Eldrecus Warren as council parliamentarian.” Motion to approve:</p>	Neece

	Becky Neece Seconded: Jessica Lawrence Unanimously approved	
	Information / Principal's Update (10 minutes): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Uniforms: spoken to quite a few people; Could we allow an option for black for the uniform bottom? Motion to approve: Becky Neece; Seconded: Niger Harrold; Unanimously approved Lockers will be offered if a student chooses to pay for one. Locker breaks- before school, mid-day, end of day. Motion to approve: Niger Harrold Seconded: Justin Pauly Unanimously approved 	TBD
	Discussion (10 minutes): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set 23-24 meeting calendar – Colleen will send the dates in an email; confirm in next meeting 	Neece
	Public Comment	Neece
By 10:00am	Action Item: “May I have a motion to adjourn the meeting.” Motion: Niger Harrold Seconded: Justin Pauly Unanimously approved	Neece

<u>Ridgeview United Committee</u>	<u>Enhancing the Image of RCMS Committee</u>
<i>Becky Neece (nominated community SGC) Committee Chair</i>	Ellen Woodard (elected parent SGC)
Niger Harrold (elected teacher SGC)	Jen Cohen (ad-hoc parent member)
Laney Hudson (elected teacher SGC)	Liesl Merkel (ad-hoc parent member)
Eldrecus Warren (elected parent SGC)	Matthew Bosarge (ad-hoc staff member)
Vacant (appointed staff SGC)	Kira Baron (ad-hoc parent member)
James Hulett (appointed staff SGC)	Justin Pauly (elected parent SGC)
Samantha Romero (ad-hoc teacher member)	Jessica Lawrence (community SGC)
Ilenia Arzate (ad-hoc staff member)	
Brad Glenn (ad-hoc parent member)	