

**St. Paul's Constituent District 23 Board of Trustees**  
**Regular Meeting via Zoom**  
**Tuesday, September 7, 2021**  
**5:00 p.m.**

**Board Members Present:** A. Holmes, J. Matthews, F. Nelson, R. Truesdale, B. Bowens, T. Deas-Small, C. Glover

**Liaison(s) Present:** J. Cobb

**Proceedings:**

- I. **Call to Order, Invocation/Moment of Silence, Pledge of Allegiance:**  
The board meeting was called to order at p.m. by the Board Chair, followed by the invocation, a moment of silence, and the Pledge of Allegiance.
- II. **Adoption of Agenda:**  
Blanche Bowens moved, with a second by Richmond Truesdale, to adopt the agenda. The motion passed 7-0.
- III. **Approval of Minutes:**  
Richmond Truesdale moved, with a second by Blanche Bowens, to approve the minutes from August 3, 2021. The motion passed 7-0.
- IV. **Public Comments/Visitors:**  
Comments submitted by Paul Bowers regarding the Board of Trustees' decision on masks attached.
- V. **District Updates:**  
No updates provided.
- VI. **Constituent Board Report:**
  - A. Chairman's Report:
    - The board was reminded that all CCSD Board meetings are recorded and available for future viewing.
    - District's ESSER III spending plan was submitted on August 24, 2021
  - B. Board Members:
  - C. The board was informed that Minnie Hughes had a teacher and at least 9 students infected with COVID-19. Insists that nothing was done.  
*(Board member was reminded to call Minnie Hughes' principal to discuss situation and go over district protocols)*
- VII. **Old Business:**  
No Old Business discussed.
- VIII. **New Business**
  - A. District 23 Regular Meeting Schedule.  
The board reviewed and considered adjustments to the 2021-2022 meeting schedule.  
Charles Glover moved, seconded by Richmond Truesdale, for meetings to be adjusted to 6 pm. The motion failed 3-4 (Josephine Matthews, Blanche Bowens, Rev. Arthur Holmes and Francenia Nelson opposed).
- IX. **Announcements**  
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- X. **Adjournment:**  
Richmond Truesdale moved, seconded by Charles Glover, to adjourn. The motion passed 7-0.  
Board chair adjourned the meeting at 5:44 pm.

**Approved 10.05.21**