



GOODWIN UNIVERSITY MAGNET SCHOOL SYSTEM, INC.

Meeting of the Board of Directors

Wednesday, June 17, 2026 at 4:00PM

Virtual Meeting via Zoom

Members Present: Jackie Jacoby, Susan Johnson, Megan Mehr (arrived at 4:14 p.m.), Eddie Meyer (arrived at 4:12 p.m.) and Mark Scheinberg (arrived at 4:18 p.m.)

Members Absent: Merilee DeJohn and Lee Anne Housley

Staff Present: Sal Menzo, Sarah Burke, David Daye (arrived at 4:07 p.m.), J.T. Foster, Gina Juliano, Dan Moleti, Windy Peterson, Timothy Pivrotto, and Jenna Toner

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 4:05 p.m. by Chair Jackie Jacoby.

Due to lack of a quorum, Item 6 - Superintendent and Staff Updates was moved up on the agenda.

6. Superintendent and Staff Updates

i. ECAMP Operating Plan Presentation

Sal Menzo presented the ECAMP Operating Plan Executive Summary. He noted that none of this would have been possible without Craig Drezek and his vision for this program.

ii. Superintendent Update

Sal Menzo provided the Superintendent Update. We are in the home stretch of the 2025-26 school year. He thanked Windy Petersen for stepping in as Director at RMS. We have appointed a new director at RMS, Tim Pivrotto. Tim will move from the Assistant Director position at the middle level. We have appointed Assistant Directors at RMS and CTRA-ML, Jennifer Sullivan (RMS) and Anjanee Wright (CTRA-ML). All appointments will begin July 1st.

An exciting, new collaboration/co-branding opportunity is in the works. This opportunity will greatly expand future options for our scholars.

Our partnership with Bridgeport Public Schools and University of Bridgeport will continue next year. The Australia contract has been extended, it will continue through next year. On July 9, 2026 the 30th Anniversary Celebration of the Sheff v. O'Neill decision will be held at Goodwin University Auditorium. All are invited to attend.

2. Public Comment

No members of the public wished to address the Board.

3. Consent Agenda

a. Approval of GUMS Board Minutes of April 23, 2026

The April 23, 2026 meeting minutes were reviewed by the Board.

Megan Mehr motioned that the Board of Directors vote to approve the April 23, 2026 meeting minutes. Eddie Meyer seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

4. Executive Session to Discuss the following Personnel Matters:

- a. Contract Extension for Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction
- b. Contract Extension for Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources and Talent Development
- c. Contract Extension for Assistant Superintendent for Student Support Services
- d. Contract Extension for Chief Operating Officer
- e. Contract Extension for Superintendent

Board members exited Public Session to a virtual meeting room to hold Executive Session. (4:25 p.m.).

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Members Present: Jackie Jacoby, Susan Johnson, Megan Mehr, Eddie Meyer and Mark Scheinberg

Board members discussed the three (3) year contract extensions for the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources and Talent Development, Assistant Superintendent for Student Support Services, Chief Operating Officer and Superintendent effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029.

The executive session ended and Board members reconvened into the Public session. (4:50 p.m.)

5. Business Requiring Action

a. Approval of Contract Extensions for the following positions (Eff. July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029):

- i. Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction
- ii. Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources and Talent Development
- iii. Assistant Superintendent for Student Support Services
- iv. Chief Operating Officer

Jackie Jacoby called for a motion to approve the three (3) year contract extensions for the above listed staff.

Megan Mehr made a motion to approve the three (3) year contract extensions for the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources and Talent Development, Assistant Superintendent for Student Support Services and Chief Operating Officer, effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029.

Jackie thanked the group for their outstanding service.

Mark Scheinberg seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Jackie Jacoby called for a motion to approve the three (3) year contract extension for the Superintendent.

5. Business Requiring Action - cont'd

Approval of Contract Extension for the Superintendent (Eff. July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029):

Megan Mehr made a motion to approve the three (3) year contract extension for the Superintendent, effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029. Mark Scheinberg seconded the motion.

Jackie Jacoby thanked Sal for a fantastic year, for building a team and for his leadership. The board is pleased to be a part of a magnet system that is doing such wonderful things for young people.

The motion passed unanimously.

b. Approval of GUMS Board of Directors 2026-27 Meeting Dates

- Thursday, October 29, 2026 - 4:00 p.m. via Zoom
- Thursday, January 28, 2027 - 4:00 p.m. via Zoom
- Thursday, April 22, 2027 - 4:00 p.m. via Zoom
- Wednesday, June 16, 2027 - 4:00 p.m. via Zoom

Mark Scheinberg made a motion to approve the GUMS Board of Directors 2026-27 Meeting Dates as written. Megan Mehr seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Sal thanked the board for their support.

7. Adjournment

With no other business to come before the board.

Mark Scheinberg motioned to adjourn the meeting at 4:58 p.m. Susan Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Meeting Minutes Recorded by:

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