GRADUATE ARKANSAS CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, July 28, 2022

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 5:10 p.m. a quorum was established.

MEMBERS PRESENT: James Graham, Don Smith, Virginia Perry-Henry

MEMBERS ABSENT: Reginald Ballard, Krystle Browning

GUEST/STAFF MEMBERS: Katie Hatley, Chris Bell, David Jones, Winda Bradford

1. CONSENT AGENDA

A. **Approved** Regular Meeting Agenda July 28, 2022.

The Board unanimously approved the agenda for July 28, 2022, on a motion by member <u>Virginia Perry-Henry</u> and seconded by member <u>Don Smith</u>,

B. Approved Regular Meeting Minutes for June 21, 2022.

The Board unanimously approved the minutes for June 21, 2022, on a motion by member **Don Smith** and seconded by member **Virginia Perry-Henry**,

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS: No public comments were on the agenda items.

3. FINANCE/BUSINESS SERVICES

A. Received/Approved: Monthly Financial Summary-Chris Bell
The board accepted the June monthly financial summary as presented by
Chris Bell.

4. REPORTS/COMMUNICATIONS

- A. Superintendent's Report-Katie Hatley
 - Highlights of Charter LEA New Academic Year Meeting
 - Two New Hires-Antoria Fitzgerald, Assistant Campus Director, and Pamela Ervin, Executive Administrative Assistant
 - Verizon Mobile Hotspots
 - In communication with Job Corps Director Ms. Gibbs and was asked to start the accreditation process. Job Corps will pay Cognia Application Fee of \$1,200.00 (Graduate Arkansas will pay the fee and be reimbursed by Job Corps)
 - Professional Development will start Monday
 - Open position for Social Studies Teacher

5. BOARD BUSINESS

A. Recruitment & Retention Plan

The Board unanimously approved the Recruitment & Retention Plan on a motion by member <u>Virginia Perry-Henry</u> and seconded by member <u>Don Smith.</u>

B. Job Corps Partnership Assurances

The Board unanimously approved the Job Corps Partnership Assurances on a motion by member Virginia Perry-Henry- and seconded by member Don Smith.

C. Salary Negotiations in lieu of Salary Schedules

The Board unanimously approved the Salary Negotiation in lieu of salary schedules on a motion by member **Don Smith** and seconded by member **Virginia Perry-Henry**.

- D. Board By-Laws-Tabled for August Meeting
- E. Board Terms-Tabled for August Meeting
- F. Proposed Agenda Items for Next Board Meeting-August 25, 2022
- 6. FINAL REMARKS-Katie Hatley
- 7. Executive Session-The board went into executive session at 5:38 p.m. and reconvened at 6:00 p.m.
 - Superintendent's Evaluation

8. ADJOURNMENT

The board meeting was adjourned at 5:33 p.m. on a motion by <u>Virginia Perry-Henry</u> and seconded by member **Don Smith**.

Minutes Recorder: Katie Hatley		
Kustle J. Swaring Signature	7/28/22 Date	