

## The Franklin School of Innovation Board Meeting Agenda - 8/15/2017

## **Our Mission:**

The Franklin School of Innovation is preparing the next generation of leaders, capable of solving problems and participating effectively and ethically as local and global citizens. Through challenging academics, real-world learning, and community engagement, our students discover their potential, develop persistence, and recognize the value of others. Our graduates are ready for the future they will create.

## **Board Responsibilities:**

We ensure The Franklin School of Innovation's compliance to its contract with the NC Department of Public Instruction, set and monitor the implementation of school policies, manage the school's annual budget and financial planning, and hire and evaluate the performance of our school's Executive Director. The Board develops and drives the School's strategic plan and provides appropriate governance.

Agenda Item	Materials	Time
CALL TO ORDER The meeting shall be brought to		6:30 - 6:35
order by the Chairman of the Board, PF at 6:40		
p.m.		
ROLL CALL The Board Chairman took roll of		
members present: MV, LH, Tom K, CK,		
APPROVAL OF AGENDA Shall the Board approve	was was	6:35 - 6:40
the Agenda Items? Motion by PF Second by CK		
Vote: All voted to approve agenda.	FSI Board Meeting FSI Board Called	
<b>CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES</b> Shall the Board	Minutes 7-11-2017.dcMeeting Minutes 6-26	
approve the minutes of the July 11th Meeting		
and the June 26 <sup>th</sup> Called Meeting? Motion by CK		
Second by Tom K Vote: All voted to approve.		
PUBLIC COMMENT This agenda item is included	No public comment	6:40 - 6:50
for the purpose of giving anyone in attendance		
the opportunity to comment on a non-agenda		
item with the Board. There will be a three-		
minute time limit per person. The audience is		
not to applaud nor demonstrate disapproval for		
the comments made. The Board may respond		
asking for clarification only. No action may be		
taken at this meeting on any issue raised.		
DIRECTORS UPDATE	We have 525 students as we move into the school	6:50 - 7:00
Enrollment & Student Recruiting Update	year. Less fluidity in numbers than in the past. The	
<ul> <li>Summary of activities</li> </ul>	20 <sup>th</sup> day number is what counts for funding. Hiring	
	update: a lot of new teachers this year for new hires.	
	All positions have been filled. Added college and	
	career counselor and high school counselor. We need	
	a new custodian and we need substitute teachers. We	

	pay a living wage! Extended the road, dress code	
	changes have been made to emphasize the need to	
	dress in order to succeed and be ready to learn. Cover	
	all the body parts considered private.	
Title I and Title II Grants Authorization	Title I and Title 11 grants are used for professional	7:00 –
Dress code policy change	development. Board has to approve dress code policy	7:05
Charter Continuation Request Submission	changes. We need to submit a request for renewing our charter.	
Motion to approve all by PF. Seconded by TK. All		
voted to approve.		
	The board had active conversation about bathroom	7:05 –
	usage. State law mandates that schools may not	7:15
	regulate bathroom gender usage in any way (not	
	mandate one way or the other). There was also	
	conversation about bus usage and how the priority	
	was given to families with greatest need (free/reduced	
	lunch, multiday need, and for morning and	
	afternoon). We would love to be able to get everyone	
	on the bus!	
GLASS FOUNDATION – LAND TRANSFER PLAN	Conversation about the new agreement with the Glass	7:15 –
	Foundation. We are getting the first payment in 2017	7:25
Motion to approve loan agreement of the Glass	and will have the property in the FSI's name. This	
Foundation Land Transfer Deal by PF. Seconded	should make things easier for us to get funding for	
by LH. All voted to approve.	permanent building.	
FSI GROWTH & IMPACT ON FACILITIES	Need near future conversations about how to grow	7:25 - 7:35
	the school in the short term. Modulars for new	
	growth? Limit growth (no new modular) so we can	
	focus on permanent buildings?	
COMMITTEE REPORT - MARKETING	No update	7:35 -7:45
COMMITEE REPORT – FINANCE	No update	7:45 - 7:55
CLOSED SESSION - Motion to go into Closed		7:55 - 8:00
Session - Motion by PF Second by CK.		
Personnel & New Board Member Nomination		
Motion to come out of Closed Session - Motion		
by PF Second by TK		
Motion to approve on personnel hires by PF, LH		
seconded. All voted to approve. PF motion to		
add new board member effective September		
meeting. LH seconded. All voted to approve.		
ADJOURNMENT 1. Shall the Board adjourn the		8:05
meeting at 8:22 p.m.? Motion by PF. Second by		
CK Vote: All voted to approve.		
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