

Colorado Springs Charter Academy

Regular Board Meeting Minutes August 21, 2025 | 4:30 PM | Location- CSCA

Vision: We kindle enthusiasm to craft bold and effective citizen-scholars

Mission: Colorado Springs Charter Academy is love for community expressed in action. We are entrusted with dear purchase, to bind our students' days of innocence and joy with structure, content, and character. To accomplish this, we cultivate the individual potential of all our students by providing academically rigorous, proven, content-rich educational programs; developing incisive analytical skills and well-stocked minds; fostering self-advocacy, passion, citizenship, and exemplary character; holding individualized high expectations; involving and welcoming parents and community members.

CORE VIRTUES – Respect & Responsibility/Self-Control & Discipline/Wonder/Charity/Courage/Love of Country/Faithfulness/Graciousness & Courtesy/Joy

1. Meeting Called to Order

A regular monthly meeting of the Colorado Springs Charter Academy board of directors was called to order by Board President Jill Gaebler at 4:32 PM

Roll Call

Board members present: President Jill Gaebler, Treasurer Andrew Johnson, and Aster Klien.

CSCA staff attending the meeting: Zoe Ann Holmes, Minutes Recorder Deb Black, IT Support Kevin Dolley; CSCA PTO member attending the meeting: Amber Albin

CSCA guest attending the meeting: New potential board member Patrick Foley

2. Approvals

Brief Discussion and Approval to add Patrick Foley as new board member. Jill motioned to add him as a member, Aster Klien second, and the motion was unanimously approved. Patrick was solemnly sworn in as board member and signed document.

PTO Bylaws Approval – There was a motion by Andrew Johnson, Aster Klien second, and it was unanimously approved.

Harassment Policy Approval – There was a motion by Andrew Johnson, Aster Klien second, and it was unanimously approved.

CMAS Policy Approval – There was a motion by Andrew Johnson, Aster Klien second, and it was unanimously approved.

Resource Policy – There was a motion by Andrew Johnson, Aster Klien second, and it was unanimously approved.

Disclosure of Information for Fed Immigration Policy – There was a motion by Aster Klien, Andrew Johnson second, and it was unanimously approved.

3. Other Items:

Best Grant Discussion:

The next meeting for Best Grant is on Sep 11th at 4:30 PM

Enrollment Discussion:

Why students are leaving parents don't like rules, teachers moving, students aging out, concerns with teachers leaving in the middle of the year, etc.

How to Get Enrollment Up Discussion:

What we want to do for advertising – there were lots of ideas and we need a committee; Having a preschool and homeschool program

A vote was taken for this policy. Andrew Johnson motioned to pass the policy with the amendment to add the liability piece, Aster second, and the vote was passed.

4. Adjourn

* Motion to adjourn at 5:11 pm by Andrew Johnson, Aster Klien second, unanimously approved.

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