

JAMES IRWIN CHARTER SCHOOLS

Character Development and Academic Excellence

Mission Statement: The mission of James Irwin Charter Schools is to help guide students in the development of their character and academic potential through academically rigorous, content-rich educational programs.

Special Board Meeting Minutes November 7, 2023 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

- I. Preliminary
 - 1) Call to Order -Jeff Kemp
 - 2) Roll Call -Jeff Kemp
 - 3) Pledge of Allegiance
 - 4) Mission Statement
 - 5) Approval of Agenda
 - Motion to amend Agenda.
 - *i.* Add Discussion & Decision items- Approval of 24-25 Calendar
 - 1. Brian Motion
 - 2. Greg 2nd
 - 3. Unanimous Aye
 - Greg- Motion to approve the meeting agenda as amended.
 - Brian-Second the motion.
 - Vote on approval- Unanimous Aye
 - 6) Approval of Previous Minutes
 - Motion to approve the previous minutes.
 - Second the motion.
 - Vote on approval.
 - 7) Public Comments- None
- II. Seating of New Board Members
 - 1. Introduction of New Members
 - Introduction and brief remarks by each new member.
 - 2. Oath of Office
 - Administration of the oath to new members by Meghan Martin
 - 3. Formal Seating of New Members
 - New members take their designated seats.



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- 4. Welcome Remarks
 - Brief welcome remarks by Jeff Kemp and other board members
- III. Reports (none)
- IV. Consent Agenda (none)
- V. Discussion Items
 - 1) Audit Presentation *Tom Sistare (Hoelting & Company, Inc.), via Teams*
 - 2) 2023/2024 JICS Network Budget
 - a. Not changed since the October Finance meeting.
 - 3) Core Purpose JICHS Character Credit
 - a. Permanently qualify as a Character credit for HS Graduation Requirements.
 - b. Cost is currently \$12,000 per. In negotiations to get it lowered.
 - c. Class focuses on more internal factors than Character & Ethics.
 - 4) Colorado Charter School Program Assurance (CCSS) Form
 - a. The board needs to certify they are willing to meet all requirements.
 - 5) 24-25 Network Calendar
 - a. We have the correct # of days, Janice Cook has signed off. 1 Network Calendar- Individual schools' details to be added later.
 - b. There are parent concerns of Multiple pickups times on the same days and the # of 11am dismissals are high.
- VI. Decision Items
 - 1. Approval of 2023/2024 JICS Network Budget
 - a. Greg Motions
 - b. Brian 2nds
 - c. Unanimous Aye
 - 2. Approval of Core Purpose as a permanent JICHS graduation credit.
 - a. Brian Motions
 - b. Paula 2nds
 - c. Unanimous Aye



- 3. CCSS Program Assurance Form
 - a. Brian Motions
 - b. Greg 2nds
 - c. Unanimous Aye
- 4. 24-25 Network Calendar
 - a. Brian Motions
 - b. Paula 2nds
 - c. Unanimous Aye

VII. Adjournment- 6:52 pm

Jeff Kemp

Angie Guerrero Secretary

Gregory A Swartz, Vice President, on behalf of Angie Guerrero as she was not present.