Monarch River Academy

Special Board Meeting Minutes



June 23, 2022 at 4:00 PM | 3610 E. Ashlan Avenue, Fresno, CA 93926

Zoom Link: https://zoom.us/j/4183238475

Meeting ID:418 323 8475 Join by Phone: (669) 900-6833

Monarch River Mission Statement

The mission of Monarch River Academy is to develop the individual gifts of students in Tulare County and adjacent counties to become proficient in Common Core State Standards and become critical thinkers, responsible citizens and innovative leaders prepared for academic and real-life achievement in the 21st Century. The mission will be accomplished in a personalized environment that fosters successful achievement through quality, personalized, standards-based education, which could include online coursework, offline textbook work, and unique hands-on and experiential learning experiences facilitated in partnership with students, parents, staff, and community.

Directors Present

Dr. Sam Nofziger (remote), Monique Ouwinga (remote), Dr. Craig Wheaton (remote), & Sarah

Directors Absent

Dr. Craig Wheaton & Sarah Sanchez

Guests Present

Dr. Laurie Goodman (remote), Steph Johnson (remote), Dr. Steven James (remote), Jim Surmeian (remote), Yolanda Vazquez (remote), Mariah Jordan (remote), Anahi Garrett (remote), & Kmmi Buzzard (remote)

Minutes

1. Opening Items

1.A. Record Attendance

1.B. Call the Meeting to Order

Dr. Sam Nofziger called the meeting of the board of directors of Monarch River Academy to order on Thursday, June 23, 2022 at 4:01 PM.

1.C. Approval of the Agenda

Monique Ouwinga made a motion to approve the agenda.

Elizabeth Wagner seconded the motion.

The board VOTED unanimously to approve the motion.

1.D. Public Comment

No public comments were made.

2. Governance

2.A. Amending the Board Meeting Calendar to include Another Regular Board Meeting in June

- Kimmi Buzzard shared that another Regular Board Meeting was needed in order to approve the LCAP properly.
- The Board discussed the options of dates and times.

Elizabeth Wagner made a motion to amend the Board meeting calendar to June 27, 2022 at 6:00 pm.

Dr. Sam Nofziger seconded the motion.

The board VOTED to approve the motion.

2.B. June Board Meeting Format

Elizabeth Wagner made a motion to meet in a hybrid format for the next Board Meeting. Dr. Sam Nofziger seconded the motion.

The board VOTED to approve the motion.

3. Closing Items

3.A. Board of Director Comments & Requests

There were no board comments or requests made at this time.

3.B. Adjourn Meeting

Dr. Monique Ouwinga made a motion to adjourn the Board Meeting at 4:12 PM. Elizabeth Wagner seconded the motion.

The board VOTED to approve the motion.

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 4:12 PM

Respectfully Submitted, Dr. Sam Nofziger

Prepared by: Kimmi Buzzard

Noted by:

Craig Wheaton
Craig Wheaton (Sep 19, 2022 14:08 PDT)

Board Secretary

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