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Minutes for the Meeting of the Board of Directors

June 26, 2024; 4:15 p.m.

iCademy Global

8485 Homestead

Zeeland, MI 49464

School Mission Statement:

Create leaders and innovators through world-class education to the families of Michigan and eventually to developing countries throughout the world.

1. Call to Order: 4:37 PM
2. Attendance
 - a. **Board Members:** Deb Veenstra, Phil DeJonge, Bill Johnson, Rebekah Devries, Liz Mullens, Dave Barry
 - b. **IES Members:** Reid Nicholson, Dave Zimmer,
 - c. **LSSU:** Joe Thienes
 - d. **Teachers:**
3. Consent Agenda: Dave B made motion to accept the agenda and prior meeting minutes. Bill J. seconded the motion. All were in favor.
 - a. Agenda
 - b. Prior Meeting Minutes – May 15, 2024
4. Board and Staff Celebrations of the School:
 - a. Deb V. thanked Phil DJ for his years of service on the board.
 - b. Reid N. celebrated another successful school year.
 - c. Dave B. thanked Phil DJ for his years of service on the board, and another graduation celebration.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Deborah Veenstra", is written over the printed name "Deborah Veenstra" at the bottom of the page.

- d. Rebekah D. and Bill J. highlighted their enjoyment of the graduation meeting and the highlights of the kids.*

5. IES Report

- a. Spring Board Policy Update: First Read: Dave Z. presented the updated Board Policies, for initial review. No significant changes or discussion.*

6. School Report

- a. n/a*

7. Financial Report

- a. June Report of May Financials:*
- b. Budget Amendment #3*
 - Dave Z. presented the amendment#3 for updated revenue expenditures, and May Financials. No significant discussions.*

8. Action Items

- a. Motion to approve 2023-2024 Budget Amendment #3*
 - Dave B made the motion, Rebekah D seconded, and all were in favor.*
- b. Motion to approve 2024-2025 Budget*
 - Rebekah D made the motion, Dave B, seconded, and all were in favor.*
- c. Motion to approve SEL curriculum*
 - Phil DJ made the motion, Deb V seconded, and all were in favor.*
- d. Motion to approve the board nomination of Liz Mullens*
 - Rebekah D made the motion, Dave B seconded, and all were in favor.*

9. Discussion Items

- a. N/A*

10. LSSU Comment: *Joe T. discussed the next steps for Liz Mullens. Joe took a moment to thank Dave Barry for 5 years of service and Rebekah Devries for 7 years of service. Also presented meeting requirements for the board.*

11. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items. *None*

12. Adjournment: *5:18 PM*

- a. Next Meeting: August 21, 2024, at 4:30 p.m.*

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