

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES Wednesday, May 19th 2021 New Century Academy

Board Members:

- Present: Kelsey Dolge, Jessamine Julian, Stacy Miller
- Present Online: Traci Schutz, Kathy Prellwitz
- Absent: Jetta Myllykangas

Others Present:

Aaron Leisen

Proceedings:

- Meeting was called to order at 5:37 p.m.by Prellwitz
- · Additions / Changes to agenda
 - None
- Recognize visitors
 - None
- Approval of Agenda
 - o A motion was made by Dolge, seconded by Schutz, to approve the agenda.
 - o Motion carried via roll call.
- Public Input
 - None
- Consent Agenda
 - A motion was made by Miller, seconded by Schutz, to approve the consent agenda.
 - Motion carried via roll call.

School Board Training - On-going

None

Discussion Items:

- Finance Committee Report Prellwitz / Myllykangas / Leisen
 - o NCA's cash balance as of April 30th, 2021 is \$512,629
 - NCA Received \$1,373,536 in revenue year to date which represents 56% of the FY21 revenue budget.
 - o The school has expended \$1,810,245 which represents 73% of the FY21 expense budget
 - NCA does have a line of credit of \$200,000 in place with Citizens Bank to handle any cash flow shortages.
- Policy Committee Dolge / Schutz / Miller
 - o 2nd Read NCA Policy 102 Equal Education Opportunity
 - o 2nd Read NCA Policy 103 Complaints
 - o Final Read NCA Policy 516 Student Medication
 - o Final Read NCA Policy 521 Student Disability Non Discrimination
 - Final Read Board Policy: Board Authority
- Marketing / PR Julian / Myllykangas / Miller
 - o NCA's Facebook page has been helpful
 - The school play did well and we will be sending an article to the Hutchinson leader regarding the play.
 - KDUZ does a morning, PSA type ad.
 - o Standard Printing n Mailing has some nice window graphics we will be looking into purchasing.
- Strategic Planning Entire board

- Next meeting will be after the June 16th board meeting.
- Director Report & Student Achievement Update
 - Ended Basketball and Wrestling season with positive experiences, track has also been going well.
 - o Created a great relationship with Megan's place and Mona Jerpe.
 - School Play was a success
 - We had our NHS ceremony, 2 inductees from 2020 and 9 from this school year.
 - o Graduation will be on the 28th of May
 - o In person graduation, 5-6 guests per graduate, not open to the community.
 - Building a relationship with Stockmens, we will be getting the plants for the stage through them.
 - Spring E-Term is unique this year as it is outside doing things around the grounds to better our school.
 - o MCA and NWEA results are in, NWEA so a positive increase in our rit score with 6 and 7th grade having the biggest gains. MCA did drop, and this was anticipated due to not taking these tests last year from Covid shut down, this was only a minimal drop, with 11th grade up in scores significantly.
- Chairperson Report Prellwitz
 - A final draft for the settlement has been reached.

Action Items:

- Approve April financials
 - o A motion was made by Dolge seconded by Schutz to approve the April financials.
 - Motion carried by roll call.
- Approve NCA policy 516 Student Medication
 - A motion was made by Schutz seconded by Dolge to approve the NCA policy 516 Student Medication
 - Motion carried by roll call.
- Approve NCA Policy 521 Student Disability Non Discrimination
 - A motion was made by Prellwitz, seconded by Schutz to approve the NCA Policy 521 Student Disability Non Discrimination
 - Motion carried by roll call
- Approve Board Policy: Board Authority
 - A motion was made by Schutz, seconded by Dolge to approve the Board Policy: Board Authority

Adjourn Meeting

- A motion was made by Miller, seconded by Julian, to adjourn the meeting.
- Motion carried by roll call.
- o Time of adjournment 6:48 p.m.