SAPMS Board Meeting

December 6, 2022 The meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm via Google Meet.

MISSION

The Mission of St. Augustine Public Montessori School is to provide students with a learning culture grounded in Montessori philosophy and practice that inspires a love of learning and respect for self, others and the environment.

AGENDA

1. Roll Call

Board Members:

Jason Ferrante, President Bryant Wilson, Vice President Burt Froehlich, Treasurer Andres Kerllenevich, Secretary Tristan Alfant, Trustee Don Workman, Trustee

Others Present:

Diane Dodds **Rebekah Andreu** Amanda Garcia Amanda Shields Andrea Chimienti Auston Moore Beate Schroeder Brenda Ahl Brooke Daniello **Carianne** Lewis Carla Maggi **Chris Stoll Crystal Jones Daniel Herzig Emily Czepiel Emily Stoll** Leilani Pascasio Erica Carlson Erika Forrest-Martin Faith Corley Helene Natiello Holly Israel Schmidt

Ivan Zimler Jaclyn Briand Janet Myer Jared Larsen Kaloita Florez Kate Alfieri Kelsi Johnson Janelle Luce Jessica Jadick Jill McDermott Judith Bays Justin Qualls Kari Felts Kathleen Cutler Keith Andreu Kelsi Johnson Kimberly Clauson Kimberly Helmuth Lauren Ferrante Los Magz Lynn Deady Malena Montano Marianna Billoto Megan Soto Mr. Casey Nisha Shaw Noelle Cassado Patrick Hester Rebecca Halkin Sara Workman Sarah Proffitt Sawyer McKinnon Shanna Grafeld Sharon Brannan Shawn Lindstrom Tasha **Taylor Brass** Tera Meeks Terry Tina Bouse Zach Hobbs

2. Review of Public Notice

Notice was given via email at 9:17 pm on December 4, 2022.

3. Public comment on Agenda items NONE.

4. Financial status of the school and planning for ways to offset our monthly deficit.

The financial condition was discussed in detail and the need for contributions from the families as well as the public. A letter to the families was discussed as well as social media campaigns. Sharon Brannan CPA gave an explanation of the situation and offered suggestions. Jason addressed questions posted in the message box.

Jason will send out notes from this meeting to the community.

Jason will send out invitation to a meeting at the campus this Saturday (12/10) at 11:00 am. A letter will go out to the community regarding the annual fund needs to address this crisis. We will reach out to Neil Drake to help with fund raising.

The school will hold a grant writing day.

Andres will send out facility search email.

5. Additional Public Comment

- 1. Leilani Pascasio expressed dismay with finding out about the CAP and the financial difficulties so recently.
- Tina Bouse said that this crisis is the result of mismanagement by the previous Director. Tina expressed her concern that, going forward, there needs to be better board oversight. Tina also said she thinks communication to the community should be better.
- 3. Taylor Brass said that many families plan to donate after they receive their tax refunds. Taylor expressed frustration with this second financial crisis and asked if board meeting minutes can be emailed out as well as posted.

6. Adjournment

MOTION:

Made by:Jason FerranteSeconded by:Burt FroehlichMotion:To adjourn the meeting.Vote:All in favor.Disposition:Approved.

Jason Ferrante adjourned the meeting at 8:01 pm.

Minutes by: Andres Kerllenevich

Date approved: January 19, 2023