Knowledge Quest Academy (KQA)

Regular Session Minutes

Date and Time:

August 17, 2023 at 6:30 pm

Location:

Art Room, Knowledge Quest Academy, 705 Schoolhouse Dr., Milliken, CO 80543

Leadership in attendance:

Chester Gemaehlich, Chair

Tish Thompson,Co-ChairSara George,DirectorSamantha Hise,TreasurerCarl McCutchen,DirectorTauna Esslinger,SecretaryRafiuddin Mohammed,Director

Leadership late arrival:

Leadership absent:

Guests:

Linda Spreitzer, Principal Rod Hise

- I. Call to order at 6:30 PM
- II. Roll Call
- III. Pledge of Allegiance/KQA Pledge
- IV. Approval of the Agenda motion made by Tauna, second by Tish, to approve the agenda as presented. Motion approved.
- V. Public Comment
- VI. Principal & Committee Reports
 - a. Principal's Report
 - i. Back to school staff shopping trip was a big success
 - ii. Opening the school year went well. Current enrollment at 399, with calls still going out to fill open spots.
 - iii. CMAS scores were released today.
 - iv. The new lock system installation is in process.
 - b. Curriculum Committee report- HMH Math for middle school was adopted. Purchased an addition for writing curriculum for 2nd grade, which is already used for 3-5th. Getting Happy Numbers up and running to help math intervention. K-5 math update will be up for adoption next year.
 - c. Accountability Committee- no update
 - d. Continuity Committee- no update
 - e. Facility and Grounds Committee- Lawn correction RFP was sent out again to get 3 bids. Roof project is still ongoing.
 - f. Technology Committee-no updates
 - g. Finance Committee- no update, meetings will be on the third Thursdays of the month.

VII. Items of Discussion

a. Staff Handbook- Second Reading of the Staff Handbook. Motion made by Sara, second by Samantha, to approve the second reading of the Staff Handbook. Motion approved.

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Board Calendar- Tauna presented the Board Calendar for the 2023-2024 school year.
Board training was discussed and is tentatively scheduled for September 23.

VIII. Adjourn- motion made by Chester, second by Tish, to adjourn at 7:41 pm. Motion approved

Submitted by Board Secretary, Tauna Esslinger Approved on 09/07/2023