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# P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School School Advisory Council

**November 13, 2018**

**Member Attendance:** Carrie Geiger, Angela Kohnen, Jahnise Nixon, Jon Mundorf, Angie Flavin, Mayra Cordero, Lisa Sanchez, Meryl Klein, Dyonne McGraw, Lynda Hayes, Michelle Grant-Harris, Gabe Lee, Janie Williams, Wantanisha Morant

**Member Absences:** Marisa Ramirez Stukey, Leandra Graham, Osmara Salas

**Guests:** Melanie Harris, Christy Gabbard, Kristen Weller, Julie Henderson, Mickey MacDonald, Mayra Cordero, Megan Koppitch

**Meeting called to order at 5:31 by Dyonne McGraw**

## **NOVEMBER MEETING AGENDA**

- Motion to approve agenda with revision by Meryl Klein
- Seconded by Michelle Grant-Harris
- The question was called.
- Upon vote: Motion passed 11-0

## **APPROVAL OF OCTOBER MINUTES**

- Motion to accept by Meryl Klein
- Seconded by Jon Mundorf
- The question was called.
- Upon vote: Motion passed 11-0

## **TEACHER TRAVEL FUNDING REQUESTS**

- Mayra Cordero requesting \$1,000 to present at AERA in Toronto.
- Motion to approve funding request by Janie Williams
- Seconded by Gabe Lee
- The question was called.
- Upon vote: Motion passed 12-0
  
- Melanie Harris, Mickey MacDonald, & Kristin Weller requesting \$1,000 each to present at AERA in Toronto.
- Motion to approve funding via wait list to be approved in January 2019 by Carrie Geiger.
- Seconded by Janie Williams.
- The question was called.
- Upon vote: Motion passed 12-0



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- Megan Koppitch requesting \$500 to attend Florida Association for Media in Education to receive a scholarship award for Master's degree completion.
- Motion to approve funding request by Jahnise Nixon.
- Seconded by Angela Kohnen.
- The question was called.
- Upon vote: Motion passed 12-0

## **DISCUSSION OF SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN – Lynda Hayes**

- Questions raised and suggestions made to increase the percentage of graduates qualifying for Bright Futures Scholarship

## **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT – Carrie Geiger**

- Postponed to January

## **DIRECTOR'S REPORT – Lynda Hayes**

- Construction moving forward with increased support from UF. Presently \$2.5m short to complete 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of the building, working to commit a naming donor; fundraising also underway to furnish the new building.

## **ADJOURN**

- Motion by Janie Williams
- Seconded by Angie Flavin
- Moved to adjourn the November 13, 2018 meeting.
- The question was called.
- Upon vote: Motion passed 11-0
- Meeting was adjourned at 6:26 pm

Approved with revision  
January 15, 2019