

Regular Monthly Meeting Agenda Thursday, May 13, 2021 – 5:30 pm

I. Call to Order By Board Secretary

II. Public Notice of Meeting/NJ Sunshine Law

The New Jersey Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right to the public to have advanced notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies at which any business affecting their interest is discussed or acted on in accordance with N.J.S.A 10:4-6 et seq.

On the rules of this act, Greater Brunswick Charter School has caused notice of this meeting by Publicizing the date, time and place, of the regularly scheduled meeting in the Public Notice Section of the Home News Tribune and Star Ledgers, sent to the clerks of Highland Park, Edison and New Brunswick and posted at the Greater Brunswick Charter School located at 429 Joyce Kilmer Ave, New Brunswick, NJ 08901. Formal action will take place at this meeting.

III. Roll Call

	Voting Members	Role	Present	Absent
1.	Lynell Burgos	Board Trustee, expires 2021		
2.	Shamara Gatling-Davila	Board Vice Chair, expires 2023		
3.	Sean Hewitt	Board Trustee, expires 2022		
4.	Susan Jackson	Board Chair, expires 2021		
5.	Awilda Marte	Board Trustee, expires June 2022		
6.	Jonina Mazzeo	Board Trustee, expires 2023		

Also Present

Non-Voting	Role	Present	Absent
Vanessa Jones	Education Director		
Hector Alvarez	Assistant Education Director		
Michael Falkowski	SBA / Board Secretary		
Caitlin Mitchell	Teacher Representative		
Latoya Branch	Teacher Representative		
Daisy Amador	Teacher Representative - Alternate		

IV. Approve Meeting Agenda

Motion for Greater Brunswick Charter School, Board of Trustees to approve the Agenda for the **May 13**, **2021** meeting.

Voting Members	Motion	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Voting Members	Motion	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Lynell Burgos						Jonina Mazzeo					
Shamara Gatling-Davila						Susan Jackson					
Sean Hewitt						Awilda Marte					

V. Acceptance of Meeting Minutes

Motion for Greater Brunswick Charter School, Board of Trustees to accept the minutes from **March 18**, **2021 Meeting**.

Voting Members	Motion	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Voting Members	Motion	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Lynell Burgos						Jonina Mazzeo					
Shamara Gatling-Davila						Susan Jackson					
Sean Hewitt						Awilda Marte					

VI. Public Comment

VII. Correspondence

VIII. Reports

- 1. Director's Report
- 2. HIB update Months of March 2021 & April 2021 0 cases
- 3. Suspension Update 0 cases
- 4. Title I Goals Presentation

Motion to accept the Director's Report, HIB Report, and Suspension.

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Lynell Burgos						Jonina Mazzeo					
Shamara Gatling-Davila						Susan Jackson					
Sean Hewitt						Awilda Marte		•			

IX. Closed Session

Voting Members	Motion	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Voting Members	Motion	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Lynell Burgos						Jonina Mazzeo					
Shamara Gatling-Davila						Susan Jackson					
Sean Hewitt						Awilda Marte					

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X. Adjourn Closed and Open Public Session

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Shamara Gatling-Davila						Susan Jackson					
Sean Hewitt						Awilda Marte					

XI. Motions for Approval

1. Finance

- a. To approve the March & April 2021 Board Secretary Report.
- b. To approve the March & April 2021 Reconciliation Report.
- c. <u>Bills List</u>: Approve Bills List from March 19, 2021 to May 13, 2021.
- d. Payroll: To approve the following payrolls:

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March 26, 2021	\$197,070.19
April 15, 2021	\$192,595.98
April 30, 2021	\$193,027.06

e. <u>Safety Grant</u>: To approve the submission of the grant application for the 2021 Safety Grant Program in the amount of \$2,706.

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Sean Hewitt						Awilda Marte					

2. Contracts

3. Buildings & Grounds

4. Personnel

- a. To approve the rehire of GBCS staff as attached for the 2021-2022 school year.
- b. To approve the resignation of Carmen Rine effective June 30, 2021.
- c. To approve the revised Dean of Students job description.
- d. To approve the rehire of the following staff members for the 2021-2022 school year:

Name	Position	Salary
Kristine Johnson	Asst. to the SBA	\$61,800.00
Kelly Sadowski	Administrative Assistant	\$57,680.00
Alejandra Suastegui	Receptionist	\$39,140.00
George Newton	Technology Specialist	\$96,820.00
Lilia Fabila Guilbot	Family Coordinator	\$45,320.00
Julio Perez-Arrieto	Head Custodian	\$56,650.00
Fran Snowise	Instructional Literacy and Data Coach	\$82,400.00

e. To approve the following 2020-2021 hires:

Name	Title	Salary / Rate	Start Date
Dana Garriga	Teacher	\$11,461.44	3/22/2021
	Assistant/Substitute/Floater	(Level 1 - \$32,747.00 – Prorated)	
Scott Schroth	Leave Replacement	\$10,544	5/6/2021
		(Level 1 BA \$52,723 – Prorated)	

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Sean Hewitt						Awilda Marte					

5. Curriculum/Special Education

6. Policy/Miscellaneous

- a. To approve the HIB report for January 2021 & February 2021, with zero (0) founded cases.
- b. To approve the 2021-2022 school year calendar.
- c. To approve the "Declaration of Racism as a Public Health Crisis".

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XII. Enrollment Report

	FY21	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Wait
Grade	ENR	15,	15,	15,	15,	15,	15,	15,	15,	15,	15,	15,	List
		2020	2020	2020	2020	2020	2021	2021	2021	2021	2021	2021	2020/2021
K	44	46	43	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44		72
1	44	44	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46		30
2	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44		27
3	44	44	43	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	43		19
4	44	44	44	44	44	44	43	44	44	44	44		20
5	44	44	43	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44		16
6	44	44	43	44	44	44	44	44	44	44	44		19
7	44	45	44	43	43	43	43	42	42	42	42		13
8	42	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	43		5
Total	394	398	395	398	398	398	397	398	398	398	397		221

XIII. Committee Reports

- 1. SRC
- 2. Community Outreach
- 3. Development
- 4. Finance and Facilities
- 5. Governance
- XIV. New Business
- XV. Closing Comments
- XVI. Action Items Next Board Meetings: June 17, 2021 5:30 pm
- XVII. Adjournment

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