

LLN Board Meeting

October 11, 2022; 3:30 PM

Meeting held via Zoom

Attendees:

Board Members

- Tyler Mounsey | Director of Legislative Relations, Colorado Bar Association | Community Representative
- AJ Keglovits | Assistant Principal, C3 Elementary | School Leader Representative
- Jessica Buckley | Principal, Escuela Valdez Elementary | School Leader Representative
- Rebecca Grant Zarret | Consultant and Coach; Lecturer, University of Colorado Denver |
 Community Representative
- Frank Coyne | Community Representative
- Molly Yost | Senior Director, Mile High United Way | Community Representative
- Sharmila Mann | Principal, Education Commission of the States | Community Representative

Other Attendees

- Bailey Holyfield | Executive Director
- Kristopher Blythe | Senior Director of Innovation Initiatives and Programs
- Meredith Brown | Principal, Cole Arts and Science Academy

Members Not in Attendance

- Miguel Gonzalez | Director, Embark Education | Community Representative
- Leah Kent | 5th Grade Teacher, Denver Green School Southeast | Teacher Representative

Agenda Items:

1. Review and approve minutes from 9.13.22

a. Motion to approve: Sharmila

b. Second: Mollyc. In favor: Alld. Against: Nonee. Motion approved

2. LLN Governance

- a. Academics and Accountability
 - Kris gave an update on the initial data points loaded into the Zone dashboard, and prepped the Board for a deep-dive to occur around the December-January timeframe
 - ii. Kris reviewed the impact of enrollment fall adjustments to each school's budget

3. LLN School Presentation

- a. Meredith Brown gave the Board an overview of Cole Arts and Science Academy's vision, academic progress, and priorities for the 22-23 school year
 - i. A Q&A was conducted following the overview presentation

4. Innovation Zone and School Renewal

- Bailey gave the Board an overview of the updated Innovation Renewal timeline the due date for first drafts was pushed back one month, with the final vote now expected in March
- b. Bailey detailed the opportunities for LLN stakeholders school leaders, Board members, school staff to engage with the plan and ask questions
- c. Bailey shared the timing of when LLN staff will support with school-level plan renewal

5. ED Updates

- a. Bailey gave an update on the TAC, with a specific focus on possible professional learning options currently in development: cohorts (beginning in November), learning labs (beginning in November), and professional development units (hoping to start in January)
- b. Bailey gave an overview of the process leading to the creation of the 2023-2024 Zone Funding Model with DPS
 - i. The Board discussed the impact to school- and Zone-level budgets if the current per pupil amount of \$170 would be reduced to \$150 per pupil
 - 1. Motion to adopt a new LLN fee for service at \$150 per pupil during the Zone's expected three-year renewal term: Molly
 - 2. Second: Frank
 - 3. In favor: All
 - 4. Against: None
 - 5. Motion passed
- c. Bailey reviewed the findings from the FY22 audit, including the following takeaway: "...the changes in net assets and its cash flows for the year the ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America."
- d. The Board reviewed the August financials, inclusive of bank statements and reconciliation reports

Meeting adjourned at 5:02 p.m.