Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Virtual Education Servicers Association aka eSchool Virtual Charter Academy

eSchool Virtual Charter Academy Offices 2403 South Division St. Suite B Guthrie, Oklahoma

Tuesday, April 11, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

Virtual Education Services Association (aka eSchool Virtual Charter Academy Board of Governance) met in a regular meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 11 at the eSchool Virtual Charter Academy offices located at 2403 S. Division Suite B, Guthrie, OK. The final agenda was posted by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, April 10 at the principal offices of eSchool Virtual Charter Academy 2403 S. Division Suite B, Guthrie, OK.

Board Members Present:

Rodney Poplin, Board President

Diane Vaughan, Board Vice President

Kristin Montarella, Board Clerk

Brandi Yearout

Board Members Absent:

Dennis Ochs

Others Present:

Robbie Rainwater

Dennis Schulz, CFO/Treasurer Sarah Dablemont, Minutes Clerk

Kylie Sanders

Rebecca Wilkerson, Executive Director,

Statewide Virtual Charter School Board

Attended Virtually:

Tammy Shepherd, Superintendent

Skylar Lusnia, Compliance Officer,

Statewide Virtual Charter School Board

Jason Hirzel

- 1. The meeting was called to order by President Poplin at 6:07 p.m. Members Rodney Poplin, Diane Vaughan, Kristin Montarella, and Brandi Yearout were present for roll call. Member Dennis Ochs was absent. A quorum was established.
- 2. President Poplin read the School Mission.
- 3. President Poplin read the Statement of Compliance with the Opening Meeting Act.

- 4. Mr. Poplin made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 9, 2023 special meeting. Mrs. Montarella seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- 5. President Poplin welcomed everyone and thanked them for coming.
- **6.** There were no public comments.
- 7. Mr. Rainwater gave the Head of School Report on behalf of Mrs. Young.
 - Enrollment Update: As of Friday, April 7, 380 students were currently enrolled. The ADM was 492.9 compared to 443.4 last year.
 - Elementary GT Trip: Mrs. Sanders shared about the gifted and talented trip elementary students took to the Gathering Place. She also talked about another planned trip to Seminole for K-5 students. Mr. Rainwater stated that they are planning 6th-12th grade rotating GT in-state trips.
 - Incentive Trips: The eligibility for the incentive trips is based on the students' grades, behavior, and attendance. Over 25 secondary students participated in the incentive trip to Show Biz.

8. Administration

- A. Mrs. Vaughan made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report through March 31, 2023. Mrs. Montarella seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- B. Mr. Poplin made a motion to approve the S.A.&I. Form 307, Request for Approval of State Aid and/or Federal Funds for Schools, in the amount of \$888,483.57. Mrs. Yearout seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- C. Mrs. Vaughan made a motion to approve the increase to Encumbrance 15 in the amount of \$60,000. Mrs. Montarella seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- D. Mr. Poplin made a motion to approve an increase to Encumbrance 18 in the amount of \$103,000. Mrs. Vaughan seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- E. Mrs. Vaughan made a motion to approve an increase to Encumbrance 25 in the amount of \$2,002.20. Mrs. Montarella seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- F. Mr. Poplin made a motion to approve Encumbrance 30 in the amount of \$12,000. The motion passed unanimously.
- G. Mrs. Montarella made a motion to approve the ECF Funding Commitment Decision Letter to purchase 552 chromebooks. Mrs. Vaughan seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

- H. Mrs. Vaughan made a motion to approve the 2023-2024 school calendar. Mrs. Yearout seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- I. Dr. Wilkerson explained the contract with the Oklahoma Statewide Virtual Charter School Board would run through June 30, 2029. Mr. Poplin made a motion to approve a five-year Charter Contract for E-School Virtual Charter Academy. Mrs. Vaughan seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- 9. There was no new business.
- 10. Mrs. Vaughan made a motion to adjourn. Mrs. Yearout seconded. The motion passed unanimously and the meeting adjourned.