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#### School Board Retreat Minutes

October 12, 2024

Members Present: R. Hajlo, D. Keyes, N. Donnay, T. Gulbransen, R. Thorson, J. Johnson, D. Smith

Members Absent:

**Ex-officio Members Present:** 

Guests: S. Morell, K. Gutierrez, A. Kleinboehl, A. Sachariason, P. Rosell, M. Thole, T. Smith, K. Seim, C. Olson, B. Blotske, E. Bransford, P. Kerrigan, S. Peterson, MSBA: A. Jordan (Remote)

Remote Board Member: M. Stiles, location: 2900 Erwin Road, Apt 327 Durham, NC 27705

#### 1. Breakfast

#### 2. Call to order

- a. R. Hajlo called the meeting to order at 8:39 AM.
- b. S. Morell commented and complimented on the hard work SCPA has done in the last 22 months.
  - Walked through the Agenda details, objectives, and meeting norms.
- c. Introductions
- d. Review Succession Planning Timeline T. Smith
  - i. File: Executive Director Search Process WORKING DOC (1)
  - ii. Explained the important upcoming dates and MSBA's process related to those dates.
  - iii. Important dates will need to be approved at the November meeting.

### 3. Interview Process and Leadership Criteria - A. Jordan, MSBA

- a. <u>ED Interview Process Guidance</u>
- b. <u>Hiring the Right Superintendent</u>
- c. St. Croix Prep Planning Meeting Packet from MSBA
- d. Notes:
  - i. Explained the application process identical process for all applicants.
  - ii. Walked through items of note specific to board members during the interview process.
  - iii. Emphasized the rules around Open Meeting Law and the candidates privacy rights. Explained the feedback process.

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- 4. Job Description and Compensation Range
  - a. Executive Director Job Description SPC UPDATE
  - b. Executive Director COMPENSATION COMPARABLES
  - c. Executive Director Employment Agreement 2
- 5. Interview Questions Activity Part 1 Retreat Members were divided into groups and discussed and ranked possible interview questions.
- 6. Interview Questions Activity Part 2 Retreat Members shared their discussions and results with the whole group.

#### **Adjournment:**

• Motion to adjourn: A. Galati

• Second: J. Johnson

Approved: All

Respectfully Submitted by A. Galati, St. Croix Preparatory Academy Board Clerk