Barack Obama Green Charter High School Board of Trustees – General Meeting

Wednesday, August 17, 2022 7:00 PM

MEETING AGENDA

Call to order by Board Secretary and Roll Call: Joan Orimaco Time: 7:05 PM

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
Present	X			X	X	
Absent			X			X

Open Public Meeting Act Statement

"This meeting is held in accordance with NJ Public Law 1975 c. 231, the Open Public Meetings Law, by publishing a legal notice in the NJ Advance Media-Legal Ads."

Public Agency Compliance Statement:

"If any contracts were awarded this meeting or prior to the next meeting of The Barack Obama Green Charter High School, the awarded company/firm will be required to comply with the requirements of Public Law 1975, c.127"

Public Comment Statement:

"The Board welcomes public comment on educational and school issues. All comments should be directed to the Board President. The Board will not entertain personal complaints from school personnel unless the chain of command has been followed, without satisfaction. Matters should only be brought to the Board of Trustees, once all avenues within the administrative chain of command of the school have been exhausted. Furthermore, the Board cannot respond to any complaints from the public directed at any district employee or student, as the Board must protect each employee and each student's right to privacy.

Those wishing to share comments during this portion of the meeting are asked to state their name and address. Each speaker will be given five minutes, with a total of thirty minutes set asking for public participation in this portion of the meeting".

Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve the Agenda as presented.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Approval of Meeting Minutes

Motion to accept the meeting minutes from the 07/20/22 general meeting.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st				X		
2nd	X					
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

FINANCE

The following financial reports pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23, 1(a)3 that no line item account ahs encumbrances and expenditures which in total exceed the line item appropriation in violation of N.J.A.C 6A23-2.11(a) as certified by the Board Secretary, and pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23-211(c)4 that no major account or fund has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23-02.11 (b) as contained in the Board Secretary's Report, and/or Treasurer's Report.

Motion for approval and ratification of expenditures for the month of August 2022 and approval to pay additional bills as needed between this meeting and the next meeting with a list to be presented for ratification at the next meeting.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st				X		
2nd	X					
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the payroll for July 30th and August 15th.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the Board Secretary's report for June 2022.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the Treasurer's report for June 2022.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st				X		
2nd	X					
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the transfer identified on the attached report for Fund 10 transfers only.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the Board Secretary's report for July 2022.

	Gregory Hambric	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers	John Miller	Tania Khalfani	Jamal Walden
	President		Community	Community	Community	Community
			Representative	Representative	Representative	Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the Treasurer's report for July 2022.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

PRESENTATION BY HEAD OF SCHOOL/PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Report	August	July
Harassment, Intimidation & Bullying Report	0	0
Suspension Report	0	0
Emergency Preparedness Drills	1	1
Student Enrollment	252	252

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to approve the submission of the 2022 Annual Report as presented.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the PDP (Professional Development Plan) for Erin Murphy-Richardson for SY 22-23.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st				X		
2nd	X					
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the BE Furniture proposal to provide furniture for new offices as presented in the amount of \$ 27,442.36

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
			Kepresentative	Kepresentative	Kepresentative	Representative
1 st				X		
2nd	X					
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Professional Development / School Business Day Trainings

Employee	Workshop/Conference	Date	Rationale
Leonor Osorio	Free Enrollment expert	8/09/22	Review recruitment strategy and
Sandra Gora	certification session virtual		enrollment goals
Erin Richardson Joan Orimaco	Charter School 25th Anniversary, Hyatt Regency in New Brunswick	10/26/22	Training, & Gala
Math dept	Savvas Virtual	SY 2022-2023	Math PD
English Dept	Savvas Virtual	SY 2022-2023	English PD
All Staff	Savvas Virtual	SY 2022-2023	Common Core
Joan Orimaco	Birchwood Manor Whippany, New Jersey	11/17/2022	Fiscal Procurement & ESSER Funds Monitoring Findings

Motion to approve the PDs/Trainings listed above.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st					X	
2nd	X					
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Service provider/s for the SY 2022-2023

Provider	Cost/Fees	Type of Service	Budgeted/ Unbudgeted
NJPCSA Renewal	\$ 17.00 per pupil	SY 2022-2023	Budgeted

Motion to approve the Service Provider for SY 22-23 as presented in the chart.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st				X		
2nd					X	
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

School Trips / School Events

Advisor	Grade	Location	Date/Time
Erin Richardson	9-12 Grade	Six Flags Fright Fest	10/28/22

Motion to approve the field trip listed above.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st					X	
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

PERSONNEL

Motion to approve the hiring of the following for SY 22-23 with the rates as presented:

- Ranjana Seth as a part-time Math teacher
- Alice Freund as a part-time Science teacher
- Rachel McDonough as full-time Social Studies teacher
- Kedra Gamble as full-time Reading Specialist teacher

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1 st				X		
2nd	X					
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve the following applicants for Limited CE and CEAS Five-Year Pilot Application Program

- Shamsiddin Lowther as a Business Education teacher
- Octavia Stephens as a Math teacher
- Natasha Welcome as an ESL teacher

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Motion to approve one (1) day pay for L.Osorio, M.Martinez and S.Mcdade-Gora for Link It reports assistance.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd					X	
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

BOARD POLICIES EXECUTIVE SESSION RETURN TO PUBLIC SESSION

TIME IN: TIME OUT:

REMARKS FROM THE PUBLIC

Community Forum

The opportunity for public comment on Agenda items only will be provided at every meeting where action items are scheduled for Board of Trustee consideration. A speaker will indicate the specific agenda item, by resolution number, that will be addressed and will have a total time limit of 5 minutes, remaining specific to the indicated resolution.

Failure to remain on the specific agenda item, as determined by the presiding officer, will result in the speaker forfeiting the balance of time and the right to continue to address the Board of Education.

A community forum will be a maximum of thirty (30) minutes in length unless there are unusual circumstances.

Public Comment: Start Time: End Time:

ADJOURNMENT

Time: 7:20PM

Motion to adjourn the meeting.

	Gregory Hambric President	VACANCY	Nicholl Rogers Community Representative	John Miller Community Representative	Tania Khalfani Community Representative	Jamal Walden Community Representative
1 st	X					
2nd				X		
Aye	X			X	X	
Nay						
Abstain						

Certified by:	
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Joan Orirnaco	Board Secretary