MEETING MINUTES

Name of Foundation: Southwest Louisiana Charter Academy Foundation, Inc.

Board Meeting: January 19, 2019—Board Meeting

School(s): Lake Charles College Prep

Southwest Louisiana Charter Academy

Date:	Start	End	Next Meeting:	Next time:	Prepared by:		
January 19, 2019	6:20 PM	7:20 PM	February 19, 2019	5:30	S. Brunet		
Meeting Location:							
Southwest Louisiana Charter Academy, 1700 E. McNeese Street, Lake Charles, LA 70607							

Attended by:					
Board Members:	Other Attendees:				
Ulysses Gene Thibodeaux, Board President	Dr. Pam Quebodeaux, Principal, Lake Charles Charter Academy				
Charles Honore, Board Vice-President	Kim Lewis, Principal, Southwest LA Charter Academy				
Clyde Mitchell, Secretary/Treasurer	Henry Mancuso, Executive Secretary				
Phyllis Kittling, Board Trustee	Stacey Brunet, Governing Board Manager				
Dr. Michael Kurth, Board Trustee	Dr. Raquel Square Ayles, Director of Curriculum and Instruction				
Sylvia Stelly, Board Trustee	Dr. Pauline Soileau, SPED Director				
	Dr. Courtney Millet, Deputy Director				
Absent:	Josh Levine, State Facilities Director				
Nicole Simien, Board Trustee	Ron Richard, member of the public				
	Rebecca Boniol, member of the public				
	PHONE:				
	Tameika McGibbon, Finance, CSUSA				
	Christine Locrotondo, Finance, CSUSA				
	Myrna Laine Hyppolite, Finance, CSUSA				

CALL TO ORDER

Pursuant to public notice, the board meeting commenced at 6:20 PM CST with a Call to Order by Board President Thibodeaux. Roll call was taken and quorum was established at the time of roll call.

MOTION: Motion was made by Charles Honore and seconded by Sylvia Stelly to amend the agenda to include the nomination of two new board members. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Motion was made by Charles Honore and seconded by Sylvia Stelly to approve Ron Richard and Rebecca Boniol as new trustees of the Southwest Louisiana Charter Foundation. The motion passed unanimously.

I. ADMINISTRATIVE

Approval of the November 2018 Board Meeting Minutes

 President Thibodeaux asked the board to review minutes and asked if there were any corrections. No corrections voiced. MOTION: Motion was made by Clyde Mitchell and seconded by Sylvia Stelly to approve the November 2018 Board Meeting Minutes as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

II. FINANCIAL REPORT

Approval of the November 2018 Financial Report

• Tameika McGibbon reviewed the Southwest LA Charter Academy financial report with the board

MOTION: Motion was made by Clyde Mitchell and seconded by Charles Honore to accept the November 2018 financial report. The motion passed unanimously.

III. CSUSA REPORTS

School and Enrollment Report

- Kim Lewis reported to the board to include:
 - o Enrollment of 686 students
 - Science Professional Development
 - Hispanic student marketing is ongoing
 - LEAP and IReady Data is being used to prepare for LEAP testing

IV. EXECUTIVE SECRETARY'S REPORT

Mr. Mancuso gave a verbal report to the board.

V. NEW BUSINESS

• There is no additional new business

VI. OLD BUSINESS

• There was no old business.

VII. PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

VIII. TRUSTEE COMMENTS

• There were no trustee comments.

IX. RECESS

MOTION: Motion was made by Michael Kurth and seconded by Clyde Mitchell to call a recess of the Board. The motion passed unanimously.

I. ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL REPORT

School Report and Enrollment

• Principal Jennifer Zeringue presented the School Report. She offered comments on enrollment, accomplishments, discipline, student demographics, and upcoming events.

Financial Report

• Shawn Piper presented a July 1 – Dec. 31, 2018 financial report to the Board. Comments were offered by Sabrah Kingham and Henry Mancuso.

MOTION: Motion was made by Clyde Mitchell and seconded by Sylvia Stelly to accept the financial report as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

II. FACILITY UPDATE

 Henry Mancuso combined the Executive Secretary's Report with the facility update. He reported on the donation of property by attorney Hunter Lundy that will allow access from Amoco Street to the site of the new high school facility.

MOTION: Motion was made by Sylvia Stelly and seconded by Re unanimously.	Rebecca Boniol to adjourn the meeting. The motion passe Clyde Mitchell, Secretary/Treasur	
	Date:	