



# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

## *State Board of Private Academic Schools*

607 South Drive, Harrisburg PA 17120-0600

### ***MEETING***

***(VIA Microsoft TEAMS and in-person)***

***9:00 a.m., FRIDAY, August 16, 2024***

### **AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL** – Jane Allis, Chairperson

**SUNSHINE NOTICE POSTED** – Jane Allis, Chairperson

**CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING** –

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

**OLD BUSINESS**

1. Hearing Requests – Patrick Lord
2. Presentation of Motions – Sara Hockenberry
3. Previously Submitted Applications –

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Supplemental Applications for Board Consideration – Renee Shade, Stephanie Nauss, Anita Harvin, Jamee Joppy
2. New Schools Applications for Board Consideration – Renee Shade, Stephanie Nauss, Anita Harvin, Jamee Joppy
3. Directors for Board Approval – Renee Shade, Stephanie Nauss, Anita Harvin, Jamee Joppy

**DISCUSSION/INFORMATION**

**ADJOURNMENT**

Board Members

Jane M. Allis, Chairperson  
Jim Buckheit  
Douglas Carlquist  
Carol Lopus  
Dr. Abby Mahone  
Suzann Morris

Department of Education Staff

Monica L. Washington, Director  
Renee Shade, Board Secretary  
Sara Hockenberry, Assistant Counsel  
Zachary Stritzinger, Assistant Counsel  
Mary Anne Olley, OCDEL  
Kathleen Senft, Teacher Education  
Stephanie Nauss, Staff  
Anita Harvin, Staff  
Jamee Joppy, Staff  
Lilian Uzokwe, Staff

Board Counsel

Patrick Lord

**OLD BUSINESS**

Nothing to present

**NEW BUSINESS – SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATIONS (as presented on the Excel spreadsheet)**

1. Adelphoi Education at Albert Gallatin, Uniontown, Fayette County
2. Adelphoi Education at Beaver, Rochester, Beaver County
3. A Step Up Academy, Philadelphia, Philadelphia County
4. CAI Learning - Salvaggio Academy, Allentown, Lehigh County
5. Carousel Farm Rainbow Academy, Ivyland, Bucks County
6. Evergreen Montessori, Pittsburgh, Allegheny County
7. Happy Apple Learning Center, Huntingdon, Westmoreland County
8. K012 Kids School, Philadelphia, Philadelphia County
9. KBS Academy, Kingston, Luzerne County
10. Little Learning Lamp, Johnstown, Cambria County
11. Merakey Autism Center, Enola, Cumberland County
12. New Outlook Academy, Pittsburgh, Allegheny County
13. New Story, Berwick, Columbia County
14. New Story, Mountville, Lancaster County
15. New Story, Throop, Lackawanna County
16. Owl Hill Learning Academy, Lititz, Lancaster County
17. Providence Montessori, Colledgeville, Montgomery County
18. River Rock Academy, Douglassville, Berks County
19. River Rock Academy, Clifton Heights, Delaware County
20. River Rock Academy Inc, Newville, Cumberland County
21. River Rock Academy Inc, Spring Grove, York County
22. Steps to Success, Lancaster, Lancaster County
23. Valley Ridge Academy, Lehigton, Carbon County
24. Wonderspring, Havertown, Delaware County

## **NEW BUSINESS – INITIAL APPLICATIONS**

1. Academy at the Mill, Johnstown, Lebanon County
2. Aspira Star Academy, Philadelphia, Philadelphia County
3. Little City Montessori, Philadelphia, Philadelphia County
4. Meridian Academy, Bethlehem, Northampton County
5. River Academy, Weissport, Carbon County