



Board Meeting Minutes
November 9, 2021 Meeting Minutes

Board Members Present:

K. Hall, A. Wilder, A. Mead, M. Piernick

Guests Present:

E. Hedgepeth, Tim Hedgepeth

I. Opening Items

Call the Meeting to Order

K. Hall called a meeting of the board of directors of United Community School to order on November 9, 2021 @ 5:36 PM.

Approve Agenda

Motion to approve by A. Wilder. Seconded by M. Piernick. Approved Unanimously.

Public Comments

None

• Modular Building Expansion Project

• T. Hedgepeth gave an update on the installation of the new modular classrooms. He shared a proposal from Havenwood Contracting LLC to engage subcontractors to provide pricing estimates for the project based on the plans provided by Mc2 Engineering dated 4/1/21. The board voted to proceed with the retainer fee.

• Alternative Evaluation Instrument

• E. Hedgepeth shared the school's Alternative Evaluation Instrument. It had been revised to include a crosswalk demonstrating that the school's AEI met the requirements of the state's teacher evaluation instrument. **The board approved the AEI unanimously.**

• Assessment Information

• E. Hedgepeth shared iReady reading data from weekly lessons for 3rd through 8th grade students between September 6th and October 11th. Math data from the new Reveal curriculum will be shared at the December board meeting.

• Covid Update

• E. Hedgepeth shared that the school is now a fully-funded Covid testing site. Weekly anonymous testing pools occur on Mondays, then are followed up with rapid antigen testing on

Wednesdays if any of the pools reveal positive results. The on-site testing has prevented students and staff from unnecessary absences.

- **School Improvement**

- E. Hedgepeth provided the board an update on the school improvement meeting. The School Improvement Team changed the meeting dates to every other Wednesday from 3:45 - 4:15 p.m. At the October 20th meeting, the team's action items were to reach out to community organizations to provide mentorship for select students and to coordinate other school endeavors to support those students. The next meeting will be on November 10th.

- **Upcoming Events**

- E. Hedgepeth provided the board with a list of upcoming events, including the annual Circle of Thanks, National Honor Society Induction Ceremony, and School Spelling Bee.

IV. Closing Items

Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 06:37 pm.

Respectfully Submitted, K. Hall