

Sarasota Academy of the Arts Governing Board Minutes

April 23rd, 2020

Location: Google Hangout Meeting with telephone call-in

Board members present:

- Robert Mclain Jr.
- Dan Dembicki
- Joe Solano
- Garrett Byrd
- Carol Todd

Others present:

- Brett Thomason
- Donna Scofield
- Elizabeth North
- Eric Pacheco
- Jerry Pascuzzi
- Jim Patten
- Jodi Kopacz
- Julie McHugh
- Katherine Lynn

Board members absent

- None

Staff absent

- Cheryl Korwin

- Meeting Called to Order 9:00 AM
- Discussion on middle school for next year
- Motion to keep the middle school open for next year – unanimously approved
- Public Comment
 - Jerry Pascuzzi read a letter from the middle school teachers
 - Brett Thomason (parent liaison)
- Discussion on the middle school after next year
- Motion to schedule a workshop to discuss getting more information and data on the growth and maturity models of the school including enrollment and the structure of the school – decided to table scheduling this until Cheryl Korwin will be able to attend
- Public Comment – Julie McHugh, Jodi Kopacz, Stephanie LaRose
- Discussed refinancing the existing tree road property
- Meeting adjourned at 11:01 AM

Minutes submitted by Joe Solano

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