

Middletown Board of Education

Community Center Committee Meeting – October 20, 2021

Middletown Board of Education
Robert “Sonny” Hill Community Center
800 Lafayette Avenue
Middletown, OH 45044
Community Center Committee Meeting
Wednesday, October 20, 2021

INTRODUCTIONS

Mr. Randy Bertram, Treasurer/CFO, called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Representing the School Board: Dr. Keith Bricking, Stephen Hightower, II, Tyler Roberts, Jennifer Effinger, DeAnna Shores, Tal Moon, Ami Vitori, Michelle Novak, Chanee Uribe, Cal Willis (6:08), Thomas Falk, Rick Pearce, Dr. Chris Urso

Absent: Pastor Michael Bailey

Present: Committee advisors: Randy Bertram, Matt King, Susan Cohen

Absent: Jim Palenick, Marlon Styles and Karin Maney

COMMITTEE AGENDA

Motion by Ami Vitori, seconded by DeAnna Shores to approve the 10-06-21 minutes

VOTE: 12 Yeas, 0 Nays; Cal Willis – absent for vote

Motion carried.

- A. History of Community Center** by Sam Ashworth, Historical Society & Marsha Robinson, Miami University
- B. Reflections of a Community Center** by Pastor Michael Bailey, Abdul Shakur, Ceal Thompson, Cal Willis and Bob Hart was tabled.
- C. Financial Update** by Randy Bertram, District Treasurer and Susan Cohen, Assistant City Manager
- D. Ohio Sunshine Law & Committee Communications Guidelines** by Susan Cohen, Asst. City Manager
- E. Committee Open Discussions** – Committee Members deciding which committees they would be willing to sit on.

Community Input and Visioning – Jennifer Effinger, Michelle Novak, Thomas Falk, Dr. Keith Bricking, Karin Maney, Pastor Michael Bailey

Project and Design – DeAnna Shores, Ami Vitori, Chris Urso, Randy Bertram and Susan Cohen

Sustainability – Rick Pearce, Michelle Novak, Tal Moon, Chris Urso, Tyler Roberts, Keith Bricking and Randy Bertram

Programming and Curriculum – Jennifer Effinger, DeAnna Shores, Chaneé Uribe, Thomas Falk, Tal Moon, Tyler Roberts, Karin Maney and Marlon Styles

F. Committee Chair Slate Nominations

Motion by Ami Vitori, seconded by Tal Moon

VOTE: 13 Yeas, 0 Nays

G. Committee Self-Selections

Community Input and Visioning – Cal Willis, Michelle Novak, Dr. Keith Bricking
Pastor Michael Bailey

Project and Design Team – DeAnna Shores, Ami Vitori, Dr. Chris Urso, Susan Cohen

Sustainability Team – Rick Pearce, Stephen Hightower, II, Tyler Roberts, Jim Palenick,
Randy Bertram

Programming and Curriculum – Jennifer Effinger, Thomas Falk, Chaneé Uribe, Tal
Moon, Marlon Styles, Jr.

H. Set next meeting date: Thursday, November 4, 2021, 5:30 p.m., Robert “Sonny” Hill,
Jr. Community Center. Chair will bring a full committee meeting schedule for approval.
Sub-committees will decide when and where they will meet.

Motion by Stephen Hightower, II, seconded by Jennifer Effinger

VOTE: 13 Years, 0 Nays

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Ami Vitori seconded by Jennifer Effinger to adjourn the meeting at
7:22 p.m. as there was no further business.

VOTE: 13 Yeas, 0 Nays to adjourn.

Motion carried.



Mr. Randall R. Bertram, Treasurer/CFO



District Committee Member