

ERIE RISE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL  
2501 Plum Street, Erie PA  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING  
Thursday, April 20, 2017  
6:30 P.M

**AGENDA**

**SECTION I: CALL TO ORDER**

*Opening Colloquy*

This April 20, 2017 meeting of the Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School Board of Directors is hereby called to Order. The time is 6:30 pm. My name is Constance M. Ratcliff. I am the Chair of this Board and I will facilitate this meeting.

This is a public meeting that was properly advertised on January 10, 2016 pursuant to the Pennsylvania Sunshine Act in the Erie Times newspaper.

All members of the public are welcome, to sit and listen to the board conduct its business tonight. Members of the public who have registered with the Administrative office to participate in public comment by 5pm on the day before this scheduled meeting may participate in public comment. At this time, I would ask that executive administration submit the list of commenters to our legal counsel. Comments will be limited to three minutes unless the Board decides to grant additional time.

At this time we will stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

Now we will take a brief moment of silence.

At this time, I will ask that Roll Call be taken.

A. Roll Call

<b>Board Members Present:</b>	<b>By Invitation: Non-Board Members:</b>
Sonya Adams Carolyn Crawford Leamon Plott Margaret Smith Shantel Hillard Tim Kuzma Brenda Abreu Baker Michael Hooks Constance Ratcliff Ed Williams Wayne Patterson	<b>Attorney Tom Fitzpatrick</b>
<b>Board Members Absent:</b>	

B. Approval of Agenda

MOTION

SECOND

VOTE:

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**R15101598 Approval of the April 20, 2017 Agenda**

RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School hereby approves the April 20, 2017 Agenda.

*Notes of Discussion / Advance Regulatory and Financial Comment:*

<i>Who</i>	<i>What</i>

C. Approval of Minutes

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March, 2017

**R151015100 Approval of Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_ Meeting**

RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School hereby approves the Minutes of the March 16, 2017 meeting of the Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School Board of Directors.

*Notes of Discussion / Advance Regulatory and Financial Comment:*

<i>Who</i>	<i>What</i>

**SECTION II: REPORTS**

A. Hearing of Citizens

*Community Comment Colloquy (General Counsel)*

Good Evening, my name is Tom Fitzpatrick with Mincey & Fitzpatrick, LLC, General Counsel to the Board of Directors of Erie RISE Leadership Academy Board of Directors. Will you please state your name for our records?

You will have three minutes to address the Board. Any documents or communications that you might supplement your comment with should be submitted to me. I will keep the time and notify the board when three minutes have elapsed.

This Board may choose not to comment, question or respond in any way to your public comment. I will begin the time now.

<i>Who</i>	<i>What</i>

B. CEO Report

C. Finance Report

D. RFO Report

**SECTION III: RESOLUTIONS**

A. APPROVAL OF REPORTS

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**R151015102 Reports of the CEO**

RESOLVED, the Board of Directors of Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School accepts the CEO Reports and all documents submitted thereby, which shall be incorporated into the record of this meeting.

*Notes of Discussion / Advance Regulatory and Financial Comment:*

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**R151015104 Reports of the Finance Committee**

RESOLVED, the Board of Directors of Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School accepts the Finance Reports and all documents submitted thereby, which shall be incorporated into the record of this meeting.

*Notes of Discussion / Advance Regulatory and Financial Comment:*

<i>Who</i>	<i>What</i>

**R151015106 RFO Reports**

RESOLVED, the Board of Directors of Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School accepts the RFO Reports and all documents submitted thereby, which shall be incorporated into the record of this meeting.

*Notes of Discussion / Advance Regulatory and Financial Comment:*

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**SECTION IV: UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- A. Project Emerson Update
- B. National Charter School Conference, Registrations and Travel

**SECTION V: NEW BUSINESS**

- A. NEW STAFF INTRODUCTIONS

# ADJOURNMENT GENERAL SESSION

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## R151015108 Executive Session

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- A. Attorney Fitzpatrick Updates
- B. Climate Survey Results
- C. CEO Contract
- D. Budget 2017-2018

RESOLVED, the Board of Directors of Erie RISE Leadership Academy Charter School accepts the update, discussion and approvals of items listed for Executive Session. Said updates, discussion and approvals shall be incorporated into the minutes of this meeting.

*Notes of Discussion / Advance Regulatory and Financial Comment:*

<i>Who</i>	<i>What</i>

# ADJOURNMENT EXECUTIVE SESSION

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