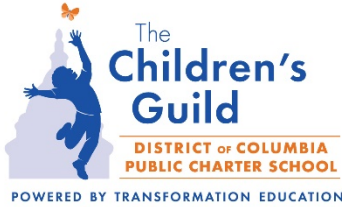


## The Children's Guild DC Charter School Board



Date: Monday, August 31, 2020  
Time: 6 – 8 p.m.

### **Attendees**

Marie Caputo  
Michael Curran  
Yolanda Lusane  
Robert Seabrooks  
Seema Thomas  
Angelo Wong

### **The Children's Guild Staff**

Bryan Daniels  
Ronesha Estep  
Dr. Tanna Jackson  
Kathy Lane  
Susan McFaul  
Dr. Andrew Ross

## **Minutes**

***(Meeting recording is available)***

### **Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm.

### **Board Orientation Part III**

Part III of the Board Orientation will be scheduled for Tuesday, September 15, 2020 from 5 – 7 pm.

### **OSSE & DC Charter Board Authority**

Ms. Lane provided details on the structure of both entities and board expectations from both. Dr. Jackson discussed our special education program and the expectations and regulations for those students. Ms. Estep provided details on operations and regulatory compliance.

### **Management Agreement**

Dr. Ross explained the role of The Children's Guild as the Education Management Organization and outlined the specific responsibilities for The Guild as part of its management fee and responsibilities of the school.

### **What Makes TCGDC Different than other Charter Schools?**

Dr. Ross explained the concept behind our organizational philosophy of Transformation Education. Mr. Daniels spoke on the TranZed 8 and the Whole

Brain Teaching Model. Due to time constraints this topic will be discussed further at the September 15, 2020 meeting.

**Future Topics for Board Orientation Part III**

At the next orientation meeting the board will continue to learn more about what makes TCGDC unique, the student population and parent engagement as well as the strategic objectives for this year.

**Adjourn**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 pm.