

COMMUNITY EDUCATION COUNCIL DISTRICT 28
Calendar/Business Meeting Minutes
June 1, 2023

ATTENDANCE

Member	Position	Attendance
Vijah Ramjattan	President	Present
Barbara Williams	1st Vice President	Present
Ted Chang	2nd Vice President	Present
Elena Aminova	Recording Secretary	Present
Lu Zhao	Treasurer	Present
Adriana Alicea	Member	Present
Sheleeza Deen	Member	Present
Rajwinder Kaur	Member	Present
Cassandra Alexander	Member	Absent
Nathifa Lewis	Member	Present
Simone Dornbach	Member	Present

NON-MEMBER ATTENDANCE

Dr. Tammy Pate	Superintendent	Present
Bibi Matadin	FACE Liaison	Absent

CALENDAR MEETING Minutes

Meeting was called to order by President Ramjattan at 6:42pm
 Roll call by Recording Secretary Elena Aminova and Quorum was met.

- President Ramjattan opened the meeting and gave greetings.
- President Ramjattan gave feedback on recent CEC28 Class Size Matters Town Hall
- Dr. Pate gave greetings, also gave feedback on recent CEC28 Class Size Matters Town Hall.
- Dr. Pate asked Principal Bates Howell to present on P.S 349 project-based learning
- President Ramjattan announced CEC 28 End of Year Celebration and shared flyer
- Steven Chernigoff - QSHS Executive Director gave update on Queens South High Schools
- Principal Saida Rodriquez-Tabone of Queens Metropolitan High School presented on her School
- Queens PEP Representative - Ephraim Zakry explained what the PEP does provided an update on PEP to the community
- President Ramjattan asked Elected Officials that were present to give greetings and office updates

Member Reports

- Council Member thanked the D28 Community for their service and fellow Council Members. Also, asked Dr. Pate to provide clarity on Mayor's comment regarding budget
- Council Member announced that some schools finally have after school programs implemented. Also, spoke about the lack of after school programs in certain schools
- Dr. Pate and Dr. Hall elaborated on HMH curriculum as requested
- Council Member gave feedback on her recent meeting with NYC Deputy Commissioner
- Council Members touched upon life as CEC Council Member and wished the new upcoming board all the best
- Council Member gave feedback on her recent SLT meetings
- Council Member thanked fellow council members, families, students and community members and activists for their hard work and dedication in D28

Public Comments

- Community member and parent thanked CEC for great work and for being on top of the class size matter mandate.
- Community member and parent asked for information regarding which school has space and which does not and also which school are in compliance and which are not
- Dr. Pate answered parent question regarding which school has space and which does not and also which school are in compliance and which are not
- Council Member pointed out where on the CEC website one should go to find more information regarding class side matters
- Community Activist gave greetings thanked CEC for the rapport with between them and the D28 Community Boards
- Family Leadership Coordinator gave greetings and provided updates in D28 Community

Meeting Adjourned at 8:56pm

BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES **ATTENDANCE**

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Vijah Ramjattan	President	Present
Barbara Williams	1st Vice President	Present

Ted Chang	2nd Vice President	Present
Elena Aminova	Recording Secretary	Present
Lu Zhao	Treasurer	Present
Adriana Alicea	Member	Present
Sheleeza Deen	Member	Present
Rajwinder Kaur	Member	Present
Cassandra Alexander	Member	Absent
Nathifa Lewis	Member	Present
Simone Dornbach	Member	Present

Meeting was called to order by President Ramjattan at 9:09pm
Roll call by Recording Secretary Elena Aminova

President Ramjattan made a motion to adopt April Meeting Minutes
Seconded by Member Simone Dornbach
President Ramjattan made a motion to adopt May Meeting Minutes
Seconded by Member Simone Dornbach

2nd Vice President made a motion record Member Cassandra Alexander absence from the April, 2023 meeting as excused.
Seconded by President Ramjattan
Motion was unanimously passed to record Member Cassandra Alexander absence from April 2023 meeting as excused.

2nd Vice President made a motion record Member Cassandra Alexander absence from the May, 2023 meeting as excused.
Seconded by 1st Vice President Barbara Williams
Motion was unanimously passed to record Member Cassandra Alexander absence from May 2023 meeting as excused.

Council Members discussed Outstanding Community Service awards for Parent Leaders amongst themselves

Council Members discussed the finalization of the end of year celebration amongst themselves

President Ramjattan made a motion to go into executive session to conduct CEC28 superintendent evaluation
Seconded by 2nd Vice President Ted Chang

Council Members discussed the Superintendent evaluation amongst themselves in executive session

President Ramjattan made a motion to approve the evaluation of the superintendent for school year 2023 that the Council Members presented and deliberated on and score as is
Seconded by Member Nathifa Lewis

Roll call by Recording Secretary Elena Aminova
9 in favor; 0 opposed; 2 absent – Motion passed

Council Members discussed CEC28 2nd Annual Principal Legislative Breakfast amongst themselves

Business Meeting Adjourned at [10:30pm]

Respectfully Adopted by

Elena Aminova
Recording Secretary

APPROVED