

**ARLINGTON CLASSICS ACADEMY BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
2800 WEST ARKANSAS                      ARLINGTON, TEXAS 76016  
MONDAY, APRIL 2, 2012  
7:00 PM**

**I.        CALL TO ORDER:                      ACA Arkansas Cafeteria: 7:00 p.m.**

**II.       NON-AGENDA RELATED PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

This forum allows anyone in attendance to address the Board on any matter except personnel and individual student issues. Any personnel concerns should be brought to the attention of the Executive Director of Schools or the Board President prior to the meeting. Speakers will be limited to three (3) minutes and must complete a Comment Card marked "Non-agenda" to be recognized by the President. Non-agenda items will be taken for no more than 30 minutes.

**III.      BOARD ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMENTS:**

This time on the agenda allows each board member to inform other board members, the administrative staff and the public of activities which are of interest including:

- A. PTO Report
- B. Committee Reports
  - 1. Fundraising
  - 2. Policy
  - 3. Scholarship

**IV.      CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:**

Unless removed from the consent agenda, items identified within the consent agenda will be acted on at one time.

- A.    Accept Minutes: February 1, 2012 Board Meeting - Closed Minutes
- B.    Accept Minutes: February 6, 2012 Board Meeting - Closed Minutes
- C.    Accept Minutes: February 9, 2012 Board Meeting - Closed Minutes

**V.       EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

- A. Lottery Results—Friday, March 9, 2012
- B. TEA Audit
- C. Texas Charter School Association (Charter School Finance Bootcamp)
- D. Texas Association for Compensatory Educators of Texas (Federal Programs Update)
- E. Arkansas Campus Leadership in Ms. McGraw's Absence
- F. Financial Reports

**VI.      ACTION ITEMS:**

- A. Discussion and vote on ACA bylaw changes pertaining to the EDS position, meeting schedule, committee authority, and officer powers and responsibilities
- B. Discussion and vote on ACA Local Policy BAD – bylaws are part of this policy
- C. Discussion and vote on possible reconfiguration of administrative staff for 2012-2013
- D. Discussion and vote on configuration of campuses, including grades served for 2012-2013
  - 1. Option 1: Grades K-5 at Arkansas; Grades K-4 and 6-8 at Bowen
  - 2. Option 2: Grades K-2 at Arkansas; Grades 3-5 and 6-8 at Bowen
- E. Discussion and vote on BOD committee structure – consideration of the following committees:
  - 1. Fundraising
  - 2. Policy
  - 3. Agenda
  - 4. Financial Reporting
  - 5. Academic Reporting
  - 6. Executive
  - 7. Scholarship
  - 8. Marketing
  - 9. District Improvement Plan

- F. Discussion and vote on subscription to Texas Charter School Association legal policies service
- G. Budget Amendment – Legally required budget amendment to move funds between function codes
- H. Discussion and vote on “Statement of Impact” forms for proposed charter schools:
  - 1. Academic Armor College and Career Readiness Early Academy
  - 2. Brentwood Stair Preparatory School
  - 3. Freedom Baptist Church
- I. Discussion and vote on Policy GBA: Public Information Officer
- J. Discussion and vote on Policy BBG: Board Ethics

**VII. MOVE TO CLOSED:** Section 551.074 – For the purpose of considering appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment of duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee.

- A. Director of Education status

**VIII. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION:**

**IX. ADJOURNMENT**

## \*Agenda Related Public Comments

The Board invites public inquiries and suggestions. Members of the public who wish to make a public statement to the ACA Board on a specific agenda item at this meeting may do so by completing a Comment Card (cards are available at the door) and returning it to the Meeting Secretary (Board Vice President) prior to the commencement of the meeting to reserve speaking time.

- Please address your comments to the Board and limit your comments to three minutes.
- Comments pertaining to individual personnel or individual student problems are not permitted.
- Please recognize that under the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Board may not act at this meeting on a matter not listed on the public notice for this meeting. If members of the public have questions or private comments for the Board, please contact any of them by telephone, e-mail, or in person immediately after the meeting

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board should determine that a closed meeting of the Board should be held or is required in relation to any item included in this notice, then such closed meeting as authorized by Government Code:

Section 551.071 - For the purpose of a private consultation with the Board's attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized by law.

Section 551.072 - For the purpose of discussing the purchase, sale, exchange, lease or value of real property.

Section 551.073 - For the purpose of negotiating contracts for prospective gifts or donations

Section 551.074 - For the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment of duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee.

Section 551.076 - To consider the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel and devices.

Section 551.082 - For the purpose of considering discipline of a public school child or children.

Section 551.083 - For the purpose of considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the Board will follow, or instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups in connection with consultation agreements provided for by Section 13.901 of the Texas Education Code.

Section 551.084 - For the purpose of excluding a witness or witnesses from a hearing during examination of another witness.

Should any final action, final decision or final vote be required in the opinion of the Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed meeting, then such final action, final decision or final vote shall be at either:

- A. the open meeting covered by this notice upon the reconvening of this public meeting, or
- B. at a subsequent public meeting of the Board upon notice thereof, as the Board shall determine.

## **CERTIFICATE AS TO POSTING OR GIVING OF NOTICE**

This notice was posted in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act on March 30, 2012 at 6:00 pm., this notice was posted at a place convenient to the public at the main entry to Arlington Classics Academy, 2800 W. Arkansas Dr. Arlington, Texas, at 5206 S. Bowen Road, Arlington, TX, and at 5200 S. Bowen Road, Arlington, TX and is readily accessible to the general public at all times for 72 hours proceeding the scheduled time of the meeting.

**Submitted by: Betty Duncan Coon, Executive Director of Schools, Arlington Classics Academy**