Board of Directors - AGENDA

Regular meeting – Meeting Chair: Emily Cyr

Date: Tuesday, August 21, 2018	Italicized text
September 18,2018	Items that provide context but won't be
Time: 4:00 P.M. – 6:30 P.M.	discussed directly
Place: QNC B201	Bolded Text
Skype contact id: pabetism	Items for preparation with a deadline <i>before</i>
room phone number: x56757	the meeting

CURRENT COMMITTEES

Current Standing Committees:

- Joint Policy Committee: Christopher, Julia, Nick, Jen Reid
- Board Executive Committee: Allison, Emily (Deputy CGO), Graham, Nick, Rebecca

Current AdHoc Committees:

- VP Hiring Committee: Naima, Sondra, Rebecca (Jen Reid, Christopher, Allison)
- ED Hiring Committee: **Amanda**, Graham Mayberry, Norman Kearney, *Noor-Ul-Huda Shah, Takin Tadayon*
- Grad House Task Force v2.0: Norman, Emily, Evan, Graham, Naima
- Human Resources Task Force: Naima, Evan, Sondra, Allison

Committee members in *italics* are those chosen by council.

Committee members in **bold** are the chair/leader/point person.

1. Welcome and Opening Remarks	Potential Motions	Preparation	<i>Relevant Policy / Gaps</i>
2. Board Development	Potential Motions	Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
a. N/A		•	
3. Approval of Minutes	Potential Motions	Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
 a. Non-confidential meeting minutes a. June 6th (Special meeting) b. July 31st (Special meeting) a. August 21st (Regular meeting) 	 Accepting / Amending 	Read minutes	
 b. Confidential meeting minutes a. June 6th (Special meeting) b. July 31st (Special meeting) b. August 21st (Regular meeting) 	 Accepting / Amending 	Read minutes	
4. Monitoring Reports	Potential Motions	Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
 a. EI-5 Budgeting and Finance (Update) 	Accept Report	Read report	EL-5
b. Presidential Work Plan (Update)	Accept Report	Read report	
c. EL-13: Representation	Accept Report	Read report	
d. EL-10: Communication and Support to the Board	Accept Report	Read report	
e. EL-11: Communication and Support to the Council	Accept Report	Read report	
f. EL-12: Communication and Support to the Membership	Accept Report	Read report	
5. Board Committee Reports		Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
a. VP hiring committee reports (written)	Accept Report	Read report	
b. ED hiring committee report (verbal)	Accept Report	Review VP Hiring Committee report provided for the E-Vote	Bylaw 6.1.2.c. Bylaw 6.2.2., Bylaw 6.2.3, EL7, Gap: VP hiring process
c. GHTF 2.0 report (written)	Accept Report	Read report	
d. JPRC - VP Clarifications (written)	Accept Report	Read report	
e. Recommendation: Annual Report to Membership (written)	Accept Report	Read report	
f. Recommendation: External Scan (written)	Accept Report	Read report	
g. Policy: Director Recruitment (written)	Accept Report	Read report	

6. Council Report	Potential Motions	Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
a. August Meeting of Council	 Accept Report 	 Read report 	
b. September Meeting of Council	 Accept Report 	 Read report 	
7. Special Orders	Potential Motions	Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
a. N/A	•	•	
8. Unfinished Business and Business Arising from Minutes	Potential Motions	Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
 Approving the list of Board Action Items 	Approve List	Read report	
 Approving the list of Ends (with rationales) from Council 	Approve Ends	Read report	
c. Policy Manual edit: Label Global Provisions	Approve Amendment	•	
d. Policy change: GP-1 (adding requirement for rationales)	 Approve Amendment 	 Read proposed revisions 	
9. New Business	Potential Motions	Preparation	Relevant Policy / Gaps
a. CMaHRO Workplace Assessment	 Create Task Force/Table for Special Meeting 	 Read Assessment and Accompanying Report from Management 	
b. Shuttle service update	•	•	
10. In Camera			
11. Adjournment			



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--Minutes--

Present:

Name and Position	Present	Regrets	Absent
Allison Sachs, Chair of Board		Х	
Evan Andrews, Director			
Vacant, Director			X (resigned)
Emily Cyr, Director, Vice Chair	Х		
Sondra Eger, Director	Х		
Julia Goyal, Director		Х	
Amanda Joynt, Director	Х		
Norman Kearney, Director	Х		
Graham Mayberry, Director	Х		
Nick Revington, Director	Х		
Rebecca Stirling Director		Х	
Chris Van Bommel, Council Speaker	Х		
Naima Samuel President	Х		
Rose Vogt, General Manager	Х		

- Welcome and opening remarks. Emily Cyr took the chair and Rose Vogt took the minutes. Quorum was present and the meeting came to order at 4:00 pm. The agenda is quite full and a few items were removed or deferred to another meeting date.
- 2. No Board development occurred at this meeting.
- 3. The August 21, 2018 minutes were approved by consensus.
- 4. Monitoring Reports
 - a. EL-5 Budgeting and Finance report was approved with some amendments. (Cyr/Revington)
 - b. **Board approved the President's workplan as presented**. (Cyr/Joynt). The President will provide monthly updates.

 c. EL-13 Representation report was accepted by consensus. (Cyr/Revington)
 There are existing vacancies on the some of the UW committees.

ACTION: Board asked the President provide more detail on the interpretations of the EL and how the President will operationalize it.

ACTION: Copy the UW committee listing to a Board Dropbox site.

d. Board approved reports for EL 10-Communication and Support to the Board, EL 11-Communication and Support to the Council, and EL 12-Communication and Support to the Membership *omnibus* by consensus. (Cyr/Revington).

President to think about what is required by these EL's and use it as a tool to find gaps.

ACTION: President will provide the Board with an interpretation and clarify how it is operationalized.

Communication with the items about advocacy and representation are delivered through the Council report.

ACTION: Add the council report to the dropbox.

- 5. Board Committee Reports:
 - a. VP Hiring Committee Report, President

The President consolidated feedback from the committee members to be considered in the future to improve the process.

ACTION: Board asked for clarifications on some of the wording and to expand on the background to better understand some of the statements.

Motion to postpone approval of the VP Hiring Committee Report until the next meeting was approved by consensus. (Kearney/Cyr).

 Executive Director Hiring Committee (EDHC) Report, Amanda Joynt Board heard that after several meetings with HR that three options existed to fill the ED position:

1.) Hiring an internal candidate by secondment

2.) Hiring from a temp agency called the Dean's Group

3.) Possibility of a direct appointment from another department. (Special case)

Each option would require some time to have a person in place in a short period of time. Board discussed various scenarios.

ACTION: Change the EDHC mandate to assist with the appointment. The

President will approach HR to include the Dean's list as an option if the appointment fails. And will come back to the committee with reports.

ACTION: Develop a better emergency succession plan for the key roles.

ACTION: Include EDHC on the agenda for October. A report with full documentation on the decisions to be made. Change the position to a temporary position so that further development and recruitment of the ED can be made.

A reminder that Policy GP 1- ED recruitment requires approval from the Board and Council.

Motion to approve that the EDHC has authority until the next Board meeting to hire the interim ED provided that Council authorizes the EDHC with this authority. Determine a salary and benefits package and length of contract. Include a report with feedback to the Board before the official offer is made. Cyr/Eger. Approved Unanimously.

Consider at the next meeting that the interim person may not necessarily have corporate secretary and treasurer status.

At 6:30 pm the Board moved:

Motion that all outstanding items be circulated and approved by Evote, that items for review be accepted and voted on individually and anything that is outstanding on the agenda be included at the October meeting. Kearney/Cyr. Approved by consensus.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 pm.

AS:rv