

MINUTES OF THE JULY 9, 2025 MEETING OF RHODES SCHOOL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

A Quorum was announced and the meeting was called to order at 10:06 AM.

Attendance: Chrishelle Palay, Erika Lane, Miranda Moore, Kenitra Bennet- Edwards, Sloane Hughlett, Michelle Harris, Derrick Sherrard, Michelynne McCarter-Bell, and Ashley Miller

No public comments were made.

Ashley Miller presented the minutes of the June board meeting. Chrishelle Palay made a motion to approve the June board meeting minutes. Sloane Hughlett seconded. There were no nay votes and the motion carried forward unanimously.

Michelynne McCarter- Bell presented an updated salary scale under the House Bill 2 requirements. Michelle Harris made a motion to approve the updated salary scale. Sloan Hughlett seconded. There were no nay votes and the motion carried forward unanimously.

Michelynne McCarter- Bell proposed a 3 percent increase for all non teaching employees, who have not recently received a raise. Michelle Harris made a motion to approve the 3 percent raise. Sloan Hughlett seconded. There were no nay votes and the motion carried forward unanimously.

Michelynne McCarter- Bell proposed an increase to medical benefit contribution Chrishelle Palay made a motion to approve the increase, Michelle Harris seconded. There were no nay votes and the motion carried forward unanimously.

Erika Lane presented the audit engagement letter. made a motion to approve the audit engagement letter, Michelle Harris seconded. There were no nay votes and the motion carried forward unanimously.

Derrick Sherrard made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Chrishelle Palay seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 11:00AM

CHRISHELLE PALAY	8/20/2025
Chrishelle Palay, Board President	Date