

Perspectives Board Meeting Minutes

9:00 - 11:00 pm | June 3, 2020 Conference Call

Board Members
Present:
Hall Adams
Amber Bobin
Rick Fezell
DeEtta Jones
Holly Copeland
Cara Hughes
Andrew Killion
LaMarr Taylor
Loren Weil
Deborah Stevens
(Board/staff)
Diana Shulla-Cose
(Board/staff)

Board Members Absent: Jess Goode Ikram Goldman Sandy Sterling Sheree Speakman Kim Waller Andrew Ward Board Emeritus Larry Ashkin (Not Present)



The Board called an unscheduled meeting to discuss issuing a statement re: the Board's commitment against institutionalized racism. As Board and community members, as people with individual and institutional privilege, have a responsibility to help end racism and oppression wherever they exist.

Next Steps:

- Issue statement to all stakeholders including Perspectives families and staff, web site, social media, and mailing list
- Meet with a small group of students to hear their voice
 What are we doing to show support over the summer months?
- Meet with school leaders including Eron Powell and Sauda Porter What can we do that would be constructive?
 Set up with DeEtta and a small group to hear what is on their minds and in their hearts

We should link this momentum to whatever the Peace March becomes.

A Sub-Committee of the Board, to include DeEtta, Amber, Holly, and Andrew want to focus on this topic going forward.

Hall adjourned meeting.

Submitted by: Deborah Stevens