## AGENDA SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CAPE CORAL CHARTER SCHOOL GOVERNING BOARD Friday, July 13, 2018 City of Cape Coral Charter School-Oasis High School - JROTC Briefing Room, 2nd Floor, 3519 Oasis Blvd., Cape Coral, FL 33914 9:00 AM

#### **<u>1.</u>** CALL TO ORDER:

A. Chairman Michael Campbell

#### 2. MOMENT OF SILENCE:

A. Chairman Campbell

#### **<u>3.</u> PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

A. Chairman Campbell

#### 4. ROLL CALL:

A. Chairman Michael Campbell, Vice-Chair Tami Traiger, Sam Fisher, Vanessa Metzger, Robert Miniaci (PR), Jennifer I. Nelson, District 4 (CM), Angela Ticich (Edu), Russell Winstead

#### **<u>5.</u>** AGENDA ITEMS:

- A. NEW BUSINESS: Approval of Yondr "Phone-free Learning Environment" Lease Agreement for Oasis Middle School - Danielle Jensen, Director of Procurement and Food Services
- B. NEW BUSINESS: Discussion of Charter School Authority Parent Involvement Policy Volunteer Hours - Chairman Campbell
- NEW BUSINESS: Discussion and Approval of the "City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority SB 7026 School Mental Health Plan (2018-2019)"
  Superintendent Collins
- D. NEW BUSINESS: Approval of Job Description and Salary for "School Social Worker" Superintendent Collins

#### 6. <u>TIME AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING:</u>

A. The next Regular Governing Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 14, 2018 at 5:30p.m. in Cape Coral City Council Chambers, 1015 Cultural Park Blvd., Cape Coral, FL 33990

#### 7. ADJOURNMENT:

Members of the audience who address the Board/Commission/Committee shall step up to the speaker's lectern and give his/her full name, address and whom he/she represents. Proper decorum shall be maintained at all time. Any audience member who is boisterous or disruptive in any manner to the conduct of this meeting shall be asked to leave or be escorted from the meeting room.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the Human Resources Department whose Office is located at Cape Coral City Hall, telephone 1-239-574-0530 for assistance; if hearing impaired, telephone the Florida Relay Service Numbers, 1-800-955-8771 (TDD) or 1-800-955-8700 (v) for assistance. In accordance with Florida Statute 286.0105: any person who desires to appeal any decision at this meeting will need a record of the proceedings and for this purpose may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based.

Item Number: 1.A. Meeting Date: 7/13/2018 Item Type: Call to Order

## AGENDA REQUEST FORM

CITY OF CAPE CORAL



## TITLE:

Chairman Michael Campbell

SUMMARY:

Item Number: 2.A. Meeting Date: 7/13/2018 Item Type: Moment of Silence

## AGENDA REQUEST FORM CITY OF CAPE CORAL



**TITLE:** Chairman Campbell

SUMMARY:

Item Number: 3.A. Meeting Date: 7/13/2018 Item Type: Pledge of Allegiance

AGENDA REQUEST FORM CITY OF CAPE CORAL



**TITLE:** Chairman Campbell

SUMMARY:

Item Number: 4.A. Meeting Date: 7/13/2018 Item Type: Roll Call

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### SUMMARY:

Item Number: 5.A. Meeting Date: 7/13/2018 Item Type: Agenda Items

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### TITLE:

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SUMMARY:

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

### ATTACHMENTS:

### Description

D YONDR Lease Agreement June 2018- OMS

**Type** Backup Material

#### Yondr Program Agreement

This Yondr Program Agreement (together with all schedules and exhibits attached hereto, the "Agreement") dated as of June 14, 2018 (the "Effective Date"), is entered into by and between Focally, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company dba Yondr ("Yondr" or "Company"), and Cape Coral Charter School Authority ("Client").

Introduction	Yondr has developed a program for creating phone free environments inside schools and classrooms through the use of certain Equipment. Client wishes that Yondr create such environments at Client's school as specified herein.	
Services	Yondr shall provide the Equipment and Training, as set forth on Exhibit A (collectively, the "Services"). Exhibit A may be amended by mutual consent if there is any material change to the Services or pricing.	
Locations/ Schools:	The Services shall be provided at the following location(s): • Oasis Middle School, Cape Coral Charter School Authority	
Term	The term of this Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and shall continue for a period of one (1) Year; thereafter, the parties may agree to renew the agreement for additional one-year periods. Consent to renewals, if any, will be evidenced by the Client's issuance of a purchase order. Client may terminate the Services upon thirty (30) day written notice to the Company. In the event of early termination of this Agreement, Yondr will refund any prepaid fees paid by Client on a monthly prorated basis based on the number of months elapsed at the time of termination (i.e., if Client terminates the contract 6 months into the annual contract, the Client will be refunded for the remaining 6 months of the Term).	
Pricing	The term pricing for the Services shall be set forth on Exhibit A (the <b>"Total Term Cost</b> "). Exhibit A may be amended by mutual consent if there is any material change to the Services or pricing.	
Payment Schedule	In each year of the Term, Client shall pay Yondr 100% of the Total Annual Cost prior to the commencement of the Services for such year, within 30 days of receipt of an invoice from Yondr.	
Equipment	The Equipment is being provided "as-is" without any warranties, express or implied. Client shall not be charged for replacement Equipment or repairs to damaged Equipment so long as Client takes reasonable care in administering the Yondr program. Yondr shall, at all times, retain ownership and title of the Equipment.	
Governing Law	Florida	

The Parties have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives effective as of the Effective Date.

FOCALLY, LLC

Signed:

**Cape Coral Charter School Authority** 

Signed:

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Name: Andrew Byrd\_\_\_\_

Title: Partnerships Lead\_

Name: \_

APPROVEDA TO FORM: By: City Att Date:

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Focally, LLC dba Yondr 1427 Valencia St. San Francisco, CA 94110

#### **Yondr Education Program - Payment Details**

Payment Terms: 30 days upon receipt of product

**Payment Methods** 

<u>Check:</u> Please make checks payable to: Focally, LLC dba Yondr 1427 Valencia St. San Francisco, CA, 94110

Wire/ACH Transfer:

Bank name: Bank of America Address: P.O. Box 25118. Tampa, FL 33622-5118 Account Name: Focally, LLC Account Number: 3250 4087 1204 Routing Number: 026009593

#### Exhibit A Service Specifics and Pricing

Effective Start Date: June 14, 2018 Effective End Date: June 30, 2019

Product Name	Quantity	Price/Term	Total
Large Cases	850	\$16 36% Discount	\$13,600
Spare Cases	50	\$0	\$0
Unlocking Bases	50	\$0	\$0
Distribution Totes	50	\$0	\$0

Contract Value: \$13,600 Shipping: \$450 Total Due: \$14,050

#### **Program Details**

#### Program Includes:

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- System to support 850 students, including:
  - 850 Yondr Cases
  - 50 spare Yondr Cases
  - 50 Unlocking Bases
  - 50 Distribution Totes
  - As-needed software and implementation documents
- Free replacements of damaged equipment promptly upon notice from Client. It is Yondr's policy to ship replacement equipment within 10 days of Client request, barring major weather event and subject to availability.
- Implementation support, including as-needed implementation specialist, best practices, documents, and software
- Year-round customer support

Item Number: 5.B. Meeting Date: 7/13/2018 Item Type: Agenda Items

## AGENDA REQUEST FORM

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### TITLE:

NEW BUSINESS: Discussion of Charter School Authority Parent Involvement Policy Volunteer Hours - Chairman Campbell

SUMMARY:

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D Parent Involvement Policy 2018

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Jacquelin Collins, Interim Superintendent 3519 Oasis Boulevard Cape Coral, FL 33914

Phone: 239-424-6100 Fax: 239-541-1039

## Parent Involvement Policy 2018

Student success improves with parent participation. Parent/Guardian Volunteer Hours are required for all families in our school system. Each family must participate in a minimum of 12 volunteer hours each school year in order to maintain their child's seat in our system. Parents/Guardians can volunteer in any of the four schools, regardless of the location in which their child attends. The City of Cape Coral Charter Authority will not accept monetary or material donations in place of volunteer hours. Parents must volunteer their time and/or expertise in order to receive volunteer hours. Families can only receive a maximum of two volunteer hours for PTO Meetings. No hours will be provided for the attendance of events, (such as open house, athletic games, book fairs, holiday performances, birthday parties, holiday celebrations, etc.). Nor will parents receive volunteer hours for eating lunch with their child. The Superintendent shall have discretion for the assignment of volunteer hours as long as not expressively prohibited in this policy.

Each volunteer must have a background clearance on file at one of the City of Cape Coral Charter Schools. An updated application must be completed each year to renew a parent's clearance. Parents will not be allowed in the classroom building if their clearance is not complete.

All volunteers must check in at the front office each time they come on campus. It is the parent's responsibility to sign in and out in the front office to ensure the accuracy of the time recorded. If a volunteer assists off site or after hours, the teacher will complete an off-site hours form and have those hours approved by an administrator.

Parents can volunteer in their child's classroom at the teacher's discretion.

**Guidelines for School Volunteers:** 

- 1. Be dependable and reliable.
- 2. Be a role model for students.
- 3. Dress appropriately.
- Keep every student's school work and behavior in confidence.
- 5. Never administer corporal punishment or determine punishment.
- Never remove a student from campus.
- 7. Never contact a student's parent regarding performance or behavior of a student.

Item Number:5.C.Meeting Date:7/13/2018Item Type:Agenda Items

AGENDA REQUEST FORM

CITY OF CAPE CORAL



### TITLE:

NEW BUSINESS: Discussion and Approval of the "City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority SB 7026 School Mental Health Plan (2018-2019)" - Superintendent Collins

### SUMMARY:

On the Agenda is the Discussion and Approval of the "City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority SB 7026 School Mental Health Plan (2018-2019)," according to the mandates set forth in *Senate Bill 7026: "Mental Health Assistance Allocation"* 

Senate Bill 7026(Chapter 2018-3, Laws of Florida) Section 29: Comprehensively addresses school safety, in part, through a Mental Health Assistance Allocation and district implementation plans.

*Section 36:* Appropriates \$69,237,286 in recurring funds from the General Revenue Fund for the 2018-19 fiscal year to fund the mental Health Assistance Allocation, created pursuant to s. 1011.62(16), F.S., within the Florida Educational Finance Program.

Funds for this allocation are to be allocated each year in the General Appropriations Act (GAA), with each school district receiving a minimum of \$100,000, and the remaining balance to be distributed to school districts proportionately based on their total unweighted full-time equivalent student enrollment.

Before receiving funds, school districts (and charter schools) are required to annually develop and submit a plan outlining the local program and planned expenditures to their school boards for approval.

Plans must be focused on delivering evidence-based mental health care treatment to children include: (1)provision of mental health assessment, diagnosis, intervention, treatment and recovery services. (2) Coordination of services with a student's primary care provider or other mental health providers caring for the student. (3) Direct employment of service providers or a contract-based collaborative effort or partnership with one or more local community mental health programs, agencies or providers.

This year our Charter School Authority deadline is by mid-July so that our sponsor district, Lee County, can include our plan in their submission and meet the Federal deadline of August 1, 2018.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

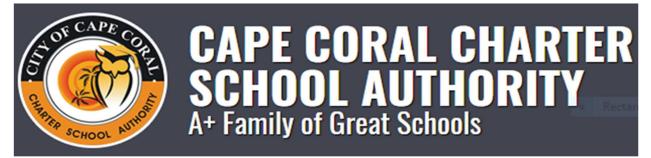
ATTACHMENTS:

### Description

- D CME MENTAL HEALTH PLAN 2018-2019
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As such, our school system fully believes that the provision of mental health services and supports within the schools is essential in creating and sustaining safe schools. Further, the CSA believes that increased access to mental health services and supports is vital to not only improving the physical and psychological safety of our students and staff members, but also to improving positive academic outcomes and a vibrant, healthy community. Additionally, in the aftermath of a crisis, embedded mental health professionals provide supports that facilitate the return to normalcy, are sustainable, and can help to identify and assist students with more intense needs.

Our team is committed to ensuring the safety of all students and staff within the City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority.

### Threat Assessment Team

The Christa McAuliffe Elementary Threat Assessment Team will monitor the implementation of the school mental health plan. The Team will determine risk factors, tier interventions, and discuss the progress and monitoring of students identified as "at risk". Please note that should a crisis or immediate threat occur, the team will meet immediately to assess the crisis / threat, formulate a plan, and move forward quickly in order to provide for a safe and secure environment for students and staff.

Kevin Brown, Principal

Kelly Weeks, Assistant Principal

Kolby Baty, ESE Teacher

Gene Raphael, School Resource Officer, Cape Coral Police Department

Marek Moldawsky, Consultant (Contracted Mental Health Agency)

TBA, School Social Worker

Melanie Klages, School RN

Amy Ursitti, Teacher Carrie Abes, Teacher

### **Tiered System of Supports for Christa McAuliffe Elementary School**

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Tiered Interventions include (but are not limited to):

<u>**Tier 1**</u> (Universal Interventions)

\* All students will receive Tier 1 instruction through school counselor sessions during specials times. These services will be provided by the school counselor or student support teacher.

\* Encourage reporting to teachers and leadership regarding student threats or at-risk behavior.

\* Positive behavioral (PBIS) rewards for students who demonstrate activities that lead to safe schools. PAWS presented on the news weekly. PAWS posters displayed around campus.

Tier 2 (At-risk students, small group)

\*Explicitly teach Social and Emotional Skills to students utilizing Second Step Curriculum

\*Implement mentoring program through Check and Connect, or other research-based mentor program (Check in / Check out), through the guidance department.

\* Implement behavior contracts for students, monitored by leadership staff, and counselor.

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Tier 3 (Individual students)

\* Students will be evaluated using research-based assessments.

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## **Planned Expenditures**

Contract with SWPS for psychological consultations/psychiatric referrals;

Costs per quote by Southwest Psychological Services to be paid by the CCSA:

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- \* Mental Health / Substance use assessments: \$15
- \* On-going therapy: \$10
- \* CCCSA will hire a Licensed Social Worker (salary \$40,000-\$50,000)

## SWPS will provide:

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\* Complete risk and threat assessments as needed.

- \* Identify and assess the need for a Baker Act and diagnose accordingly.
- \* Provide training & leadership for threat assessment teams.
- \* Provide training in mental health awareness for students and school staff.
- \* Communicate with other agencies and staff as needed and appropriate.
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- \* Document all Threat Assessment Team services provided.
- \* Provide or refer existing researched or evidenced-based programs.

\* Develop or collaborate on the development of treatment plans and safety plans.

\* Provide appropriate follow-ups for recovery services.

\* Maintain a list of resources available for Threat Assessment teams.

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- \* CINS-FINS (Children In Need of Services-Families In Need of Services)
- \* SOS (Student Outreach Services) Provided by Southwest Psychological Services

\* The CAST (www.reconnectingyouth.com/programs/cast/) evidence- based programs addressing the following areas will be researched for possible implementation to address: Anger Management, Decision Making, Coping Skills, and Bullying.

Estimated cost to Christa McAuliffe Elementary School: \$16,500.00 (not including potential mental health contracted fees as needed per student).

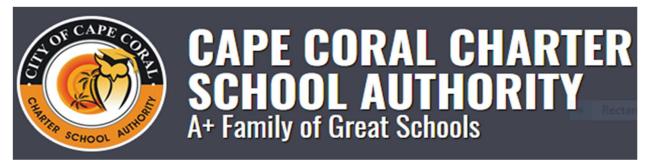
The 2018-2019 Annual Mental Health Assistance Allocation Plan is hereby approved by the Cape Coral Charter School Authority Governing Board.

DATED THIS	DAY OF	2018
ATTEST:		

Jacquelin Collins, Superintendent, City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority

Michael Campbell, Chairman, City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority Governing Board

## **Oasis Elementary - Mental Health Plan 2018-2019**



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Estimated cost to Oasis Elementary School: \$17,000.00 (not including potential mental health contracted fees as needed per student).

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DATED THIS	DAY OF	2018

ATTEST:

Jacquelin Collins, Superintendent, City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority

Michael Campbell, Chairman, City of Cape Coral Charter School Authority Governing Board

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Teacher Who Refers Student to Team

Donnie Hopper, Principal

Katie Scibetta, School Counselor

Amy Picciolo, Dean of Students

Jen King, ESE Resource Teacher

Karen Brown, Teacher

Ann Milaski, School Psychologist

TBA, School Resource Officer

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#### Tiered System of Supports for Oasis Middle School

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Tier 1 (Universal Interventions)

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- PBIS school-wide program to recognize all students for positive behavior
- Social skills/life skills training all 6th grade students looking at Second Step program.
- Promoting week-long activities such as Red Ribbon Week.

Tier 2 (At-risk students, small group)

- Implement mentoring program through Check and Connect, or other research-based mentor program (Check in / Check out), through the guidance department.
- Implement behavior contracts for students, monitored by leadership staff, guidance.
- Conduct small group counseling sessions with those students with at-risk behaviors, focusing on problem-solving strategies as needed to reduce at-risk behaviors.

Tier 3 (Individual students)

- Students will be evaluated using research based assessments.
- Students will be provided ongoing mental health supports in a one-on-one environment by certified school staff or contracted mental health service providers.
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#### Planned Expenditures

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#### Contract with SWPS for psychological consultations/psychiatric referrals; prices above

- Will provide psychological consultations/psychiatric referrals to serve students identified through Threat Assessment Teams
- Will provide mental health treatment services that are part of a stipulated agreement in lieu of expulsion, a stipulated order of expulsion, or is included in the Threat Assessment Teams recommendations.

#### Hired CCCSA Licensed Social Worker

- Complete risk and threat assessments as needed
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- Provide Tier 1 & Tier 2 interventions and support for targeted individuals
- Provide or refer existing researched or evidenced-based programs

#### (salary \$40,000-\$50,000)

- Develop or collaborate on the development of treatment plans and safety plans
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#### **Contract Licensed Psychologist**

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\*1500.00

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- There will also be required training to specifically address:
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  - Threat assessment, risk assessment and crisis response training, (for school based mental health staff & SRO's)
  - Threat assessment team training (for all school-based threat assessment team members-attended in Lee County)
  - o Mental health awareness and assistance for students and staff
  - Substance Abuse awareness and assistance for students and staff

o Training on the use and implementation of evidenced based programs

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- The Agency for Health Care Administration; The Agency for Persons with Disabilities; The Statewide Guardian Ad Litem Office; Southwest Psychological Services
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ATTEST:		

Mrs. Jacquelin Collins, Superintendent, CCCSA

**Governing Board Chairperson** 



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Tod Baldwin, Assistant Principal

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- At risk behaviors, signs of suicide, presentations provided by OHS guidance department, contracted service providers.

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Item Number: 5.D. Meeting Date: 7/13/2018 Item Type: Agenda Items

## AGENDA REQUEST FORM

CITY OF CAPE CORAL



### TITLE:

NEW BUSINESS: Approval of Job Description and Salary for "School Social Worker" - Superintendent Collins

SUMMARY:

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

### ATTACHMENTS:

### Description

**Type** Backup Material

D SOCIAL WORKER JOB DESCRIPTION 2018



Revision Date:

Charter School Social Worker

Class Code:

SALARY RANGE \$40,000 - \$50,000 Annual

### GENERAL STATEMENT OF JOB:

Under the general supervision of the Superintendent, the School Social Worker works to strengthen the school systems' mission by providing services which enhance home, school, and community partnerships. Social Workers actively address barriers that interfere with student performance and achievement by providing services and assistance to families in accessing appropriate community resources. Social Workers are often involved in helping students and families with attendance, learning, and behavior concerns.

Individual(s) assigned to this classification must report to work per their assigned schedule.

#### SPECIFIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Serve as a liaison between home, school, and community.

Advocate for children ensuring that students' and families' rights are observed.

Interview students and parents to discuss issues related to non-attendance and develop a plan of action.

Assist the school in following school board regulations for excessive absences and truancy; attend truancy intervention meetings and court proceedings.

Serve on the Child Study Team at each school to assist students experiencing attendance, academic, social, emotional, and/or health problems.

Participate in staffings with local school personnel, parents, and appropriate community agency staff to provide coordinated evaluation and planning.

Conduct home visits as a method to access the family and offer support in response to school referrals.

Provide individual and/or group counseling in response to school-wide crises.

Conduct parent interviews to acquire social developmental information as needed for special education referrals.

Analyze data to implement best practices.

Utilize community resources to serve family and student needs.

Encourage an understanding of, and sensitivity to, multicultural values and traditions.

Maintain complete, up-to-date, and accurate records as required by law, policy, and administrative regulation.

Collaborate with community agencies and other resources to meet student needs; refers families to agencies when appropriate.

Participate in professional development activities aimed at current trends and best practices for the provision of comprehensive school social work services.

Adhere to the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Professional Code of Ethics.

Attend staff meetings and participate in conferences and other trainings to enhance job performance.

Seek out professional development opportunities and maintain professional licensure and certifications.

May be required to operate a motor vehicle in performance of assigned tasks.

Performs other related duties and assignments as required.

ADDITIONAL JOB FUNCTIONS

#### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Bachelor's degree in Social Work from an accredited college or university.

Must possess a valid Florida Professional Educator Certificate in School Social Work.

Must possess a valid state driver's license and obtain a valid Florida driver's license within thirty (30) days of hire or promotion.

#### Knowledge in:

Federal, state, and local employment laws, requirements, and regulations as they relate to job functions, specifically including Florida Statutes Title XLVIII and Title X, or the means by which to access such.

Research methods and techniques and methods of presentation. Advanced modern office support functions.

Report and record maintenance principles and techniques.

Business English, grammar, punctuation and spelling; the application of such to a variety of formats, styles, and editing principles and techniques.

Industry-standard computer applications.

#### Skill in:

Written, verbal, electronic, and visual communications for effective expression and clarity.

Customer relations.

Operation of various computer or other electronic devices and applications used, e.g., word processors, spreadsheet programs, and databases.

Organization, prioritization, and time management.

#### Ability to:

Learn City Charter, Charter School policies, and other regulatory documents as required to complete tasks and assignments.

Relate and respond to a diverse range of people beyond giving and receiving instructions, to include applying consistent respect, courtesy and tact in considerable public contact and/or in delicate or confrontational situations.

Establish and maintain effective working relationships with supervisor, support staff, staff from other departments and other local, state and federal government agencies.

Adapt to performing under frequent deadlines, re-prioritization of tasks and assignments, and in response to emergencies.

Apply sound judgment and interpretation based on acquired knowledge in circumstances where limited standardization exists.

Read and interpret various materials, ranging from moderate to complex terminology, associated with job functions.

Add, subtract, multiply and divide, calculate decimals and percentages; understand and perform advanced mathematical skills, e.g., graphs, tables.

Exercise high level of discretion due to the sensitive and confidential nature of

information processed.

Analyze and interpret problems, and draw conclusions.

Perform duties independently with minimal supervision and review.

Written, verbal, electronic, and visual communications for effective expression and clarity.

Work with diverse group of people.

### **MINIMUM STANDARDS REQUIRED:**

Physical Requirements: Tasks are essentially sedentary, with some unassisted lifting, carrying, pushing and/or pulling of lightweight objects up to 20 pounds. Tasks may require prolonged periods of visual concentration.

Data Conception: Requires the ability to compare and/or judge the readily observable, functional, structural or composite characteristics (whether similar to or divergent from obvious standards) of documentation, accounting, and applications.

Interpersonal Communication: Requires the ability of speaking and/or signaling people to convey or exchange information. Includes giving and receiving instructions, assignments or directions.

Language Ability: Requires the ability to read a variety of materials relevant to municipal policy, procedure, and ordinance. Requires the ability to communicate with numerous individuals from a broad array of backgrounds.

Intelligence: Requires the ability to apply principles of rational systems; to solve practical problems and deal with a variety of concrete variables in situations where standardization exists.

Verbal Aptitude: Requires the ability to record and deliver information, to explain procedures, to issue and follow oral and written instructions. Must be able to communicate effectively and efficiently in standard English.

Numerical Aptitude: Requires the ability to add, subtract, multiply and divide; calculate decimals and percentages.

Form/spatial aptitude: Requires the ability to inspect items for proper length, width and shape.

Motor coordination: Requires the ability to coordinate hands and eyes in utilizing modern office equipment.

Manual Dexterity: Must have minimal levels of eye/hand/foot coordination.

Color Discrimination: Requires the ability to differentiate between colors or shades of color.

Interpersonal Temperament: Requires the ability to deal with people beyond giving and receiving instructions. Includes considerable public contact, and potential confrontational situations.

Physical Communication: Requires the ability to talk and/or hear: (Talking: expressing or exchanging information by means of spoken words. Hearing: perceiving nature of sounds by ear).

Environmental requirements: Tasks are generally performed without exposure to adverse environmental conditions.

Item 6.A. Number: 6.A. Meeting 7/13/2018 Date: Date and Time of Next Meeting:

AGENDA REQUEST FORM CITY OF CAPE CORAL



#### TITLE:

The next Regular Governing Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 14, 2018 at 5:30p.m. in Cape Coral City Council Chambers, 1015 Cultural Park Blvd., Cape Coral, FL 33990

#### SUMMARY: