

# **KIPP Atlanta Schools CEO Search Committee Meeting Minutes**

Monday, September 29, 2025

Meeting Location: 1050 White Street, Suite C, Atlanta, Georgia 30310 Zoom Link: https://edgilitysearch.zoom.us/j/97336633171?jst=2

**Board Members Present:** Joseph Arnold\*, Jr., David Jernigan, JaKathryn Ross, Richard H. Deane, Jr. (virtual)

**Other Attendees:** Taylor Bostock (Principal, Edgility Search - virtual), Emma Tat (Search Operations Associate, Edgility Search - virtual),

\*Board Chair

### **Description of Discussion:**

The KIPP Atlanta Schools Board convened the CEO Search Committee on September 29, 2025. The meeting followed the stated agenda.

#### Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 12:00 PM by Joseph Arnold.

## I. Welcome & Agenda:

**A.** A discussion was held regarding the agenda for the CEO Search Committee

### II. Consent Items:

- **A.** A vote was conducted to approve the September 15, 2025, CEO Search Committee Minutes.
  - 1. JaKathryn Ross made the motion and David Jernigan seconded the motion.
  - 2. The motion was approved unanimously, with no abstentions and no opposition.

### **III.** Discussion Highlights:

**A.** Edgility Search provided an update regarding the CEO selection process and the committee finalized dates for the semi-finalists and finalists interviews.

#### **IV.** Executive Session:

- **A.** Joseph Arnold made a motion to enter Executive Session to discuss personnel matters. The motion was approved by JaKathryn Ross and seconded by David Jernigan.
- **B.** The motion to enter into Executive Session was approved unanimously, with no abstentions and no opposing votes.



**C.** The Committee reviewed profiles for candidates who have applied for the CEO position and provided initial reactions.

### V. Adjournment:

- **A.** The motion to adjourn Executive Session was made at **1:30 PM**, moved by JaKathryn Ross and seconded by Joseph Arnold. The motion was unanimously approved with no objections or abstentions.
- **B.** The motion was made to adjourn the meeting. It was moved by JaKathryn Ross and seconded by Joseph Arnold. The motion was unanimously approved with no objections or abstentions.
- C. The meeting adjourned at 1:30 PM.
- **D.** Respectfully submitted by David Jernigan.

## **VI.** Summary of Actions:

Action Item	Owner	Deadline/ Status
Review candidate search materials and come prepared with recommendations for who to advance to the semi-finalist stage at the next meeting.	All Committee Members	Before next meeting
David & Joe will meet with Taylor to finalize the interview process for the finalists.	Taylor Bostock	Before next meeting