



Charter School Board

Special Vote & Minutes

September 25, 2020

Members: Lauren Burkhalter, Paul Schandel, Dr. Steve Sevigny, Melissa Burt-DeVriese, Constance Yuschok, Nancy-Ellen Otte, Kelly Parsons-Kwiatek

Because a special vote was needed, before the next scheduled meeting, an email was sent to all committee members, on behalf of Ms. Lauren Burkhalter, for a motion and to approve the following Statement:

*“State of Florida statute raising the minimum pay for teachers in each school district to at least \$47.5K **or to the maximum achievable salary based on the district's allocation**. Easterseals NECFL received \$20,396 to increase our teachers’ salaries. Funds were allocated as follows:”*

- 8 Certified teachers increased \$2000 annually*
- 1 teacher who has been with Easterseals for 14+ years increased \$3000 annually*
- The additional funds will be utilized for taxes and benefits*

We require board approval for how we allocate the funds to our teachers. Once the allocation is approved we will submit our plan to Volusia county schools, so that they may send it to DOE.

Motion: A motion was made by Dr. Steve Sevigny and seconded by Mr. Paul Schandel to accept the proposed increase in teachers salary per the State of Florida statute. The motion was unanimously passed by all members.