

## BOARD OF GOVERNORS

## **PUBLIC SESSION**

MINUTES

Thursday, June 10, 2021 4 p.m.

Present:	David Agnew Fareed Amin Chris Bullen Steven Linthwaite Ellen Malcolmson Kimberly Moran Peivand Pirouzi Jerin Raj Mark Solomon Ashif Somani, Chair Winston Stewart Belinda Tang Alice Thomas
Regrets:	Hamza Baig Shafiq Ebrahim
Staff:	Bernie Beaulieu, Associate Vice-President, Human Resources Brian Bell, Principal, Seneca International Academy Ranjan Bhattacharya, Dean, Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering Technology Ivy Chiu Loke, Dean, Academic Quality Renata D'Innocenzo, Chief of Staff/Associate Vice-President, President's Office; Corporate Secretary Tina Di Simone, Associate Vice-President, Academic Cindy Fong, Director, Seneca Au Large Nevzat Gurmen, Vice-President, Finance and Administration; Board Treasurer Dean Hughes, Executive Director, Advancement and Alumni Sharon Kinasz, Registrar Radha Krishnan, Associate Vice-President, Information Services Maria May, Dean, Faculty of Applied Arts and Health Sciences Jeff McCarthy, Dean, Faculty of Continuing Education and Training Kimberley Minott, Board Assistant; Recorder Claire Moane, Director, Seneca Au Large Naaz Mohamed, Director, Financial Services Keith Monrose, Executive Director, Seneca International Rachel Morris-Ohm, Director, Student Conduct Kurt Muller, Dean, Faculty of Communication, Art and Design

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David Neale, Executive Director, Campus Services Ben Rogers, Dean, Seneca Innovation Laurel Schollen, Vice-President, Academic Camille Soucie, Dean, Faculty of Arts Mary Vaughan, Dean, Seneca Business

The chair called the meeting to order at 4 p.m. It was noted that this is the last scheduled board meeting for the 2020-21 year and the chair thanked President Agnew and staff for their efforts throughout the year.

There was no Conflict of Interest declared.

1. Consent Agenda

Ellen Malcolmson moved, seconded by Mark Solomon, "That the Board of Governors approve the consent agenda business".

CARRIED

Items approved by consent agenda:

- 1.1 Confirmation of Agenda
- 1.2 Public Session Minutes April 22, 2021

Winston Stewart joined the meeting at 4:08 p.m.

2. President's Report

In addition to the written report provided, President Agnew highlighted:

- summer 2021 enrolment: numbers currently exceed targets with growth in domestic and international students
- fall 2021 enrolment: system is down in applications and confirmations; international continues to be strong
- Seneca's vaccine clinic in partnership with North York General Hospital continues to host steady number of people
- 3. By-Law No. 1 Notice of Motion

The amended By-Law No. 1 was presented to the Board of Governors for approval.

Alice Thomas moved, seconded by Chris Bullen, "That the Board of Governors approve the amended By-Law No. 1 and, if approved by a two-thirds majority of the governors, moves the By-Law No. 1 to the Annual General Meeting for approval".

CARRIED

4. 2020-21 Annual Report

The chair provided an overview of the annual report submitted for motion.

Peivand Pirouzi moved, seconded by Belinda Tang, "That the Board of Governors approve the 2020-21 Annual Report".

CARRIED

5. 2020-21 Audited Financial Statements

Kimberly Moran provided an overview of the audited financial statements submitted for motion.

Kimberly Moran moved, seconded by Winston Stewart, "That the Board of Governors approve the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2021, as prepared by management and audited by Seneca's external auditors". CARRIED

6. Other Business None.

Kimberly Moran left the meeting at 4:15 p.m.

- 7. Date of Next Meeting: Thursday, October 21, 2021; details to be confirmed
- 8. Adjournment

Fareed Amin moved, seconded by Chris Bullen, "That the public session adjourn and move to the Annual General Meeting".

CARRIED

The public session adjourned at 4:16 p.m. to move to the Annual General Meeting.

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Chair

**Corporate Secretary**