

APPROVED AT APRIL 6, 2022 GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

Early Learning Coalition of Broward County

Governance Committee Meeting Minutes

June 11, 2021 – 9:00am

VIRTUAL MEETING

Members in Attendance: Dawn Liberta, Michael Asseff, Carol Hylton, Cara Cerchione

Members Absent: Laurie Sallarulo

Staff in Attendance: Renee Jaffe, CEO; Howard Bakalar, CPO; Judith Merritt, COO; Christine Klima, CAO; Hubert

Cesar, CIO; Irene Ramos, Office Coordinator

Others in Attendance: Jacob Jackson, General Counsel

Item	Action/Discussion
Welcome & Call to	Dawn Liberta, Chair called the meeting to order at 9:03 AM. Roll Call was done and a quorum
Order	was established.
Consent Agenda:	
Approve December 10,	A Motion was made by Michael Asseff to approve the December 10, 2020 meeting minutes.
2020 meeting minutes	Seconded by Cara Cerchione. Unanimously approved.
	Adopt Revised 403B Plan Document:
Regular Business:	
	CAO provided the background on the 403B Plan Restatement that needed to be adopted in
a. GOV214RB1 –	order to be compliant with the IRS requirements and Federal Retirement Plan rules.
Adopt Revised	
403B Plan	A Motion was made by Carol Hylton to approve adoption of ELC 403B Plan document effective
Document	January 1, 2020 and seconded by Michael Asseff. Unanimously approved. Motion passes.
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b. GOV214RB2 –	Amendment to ELC 403B Plan Document:
Amendment to	CAO reviewed the need to further amend the ELC's 403B Retirement Plan document in order
ELC 403B Plan	
Document	change one of the elections in plan.
	A Motion was made by Michael Asseff to empower staff to execute an additional amendment
	to the ELC Plan Document when it becomes available from ELC's Plan Sponsor, pending review
	by ERISA legal counsel and seconded by Carol Hylton. Unanimously approved . Motion passes .
c. Adopt Cafeteria	Adopt Cafeteria Plan Document:
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2 000	CAO provided an overview on the Cafeteria Plan Document prepared by Brown & Brown in
	order to complete ELC's compliance profile as a large group employer. The plan document
	needs to be adopted at least once every 5 years.
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	A Motion was made by Cara Cerchione to adopt the EL Health Benefits Cafeteria Plan
	Document and seconded by Michael Asseff. Unanimously approved. Motion passes .
	Document and seconded by Whender Assem. Onaminously approved. Wotton passes.
	Commercial risk management plan:
d. GOV214RB3 –	

Approve	CAO provided a summary of the annual policy renewals and the coverage levelsAJ Gallagher
Commercial	provides brokerage
Risk	
Management	A Motion was made by Michael Asseff to approve the annual commercial insurance coverage
Coverage	lines as presented and seconded by Carol Hylton. Unanimously approved. Motion passes.
Other Business	None
Matters from the Chair	None
Matters from the	There was no discussion.
Committee	
Public Comment	There was no comment.
Next Meeting Date	• TBD
Adjourn	Michael Asseff moved to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 9:23 AM.

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