

# Parent Advisory Council Meeting



## MEETING MINUTES

<b>TIME</b>	6:00 p.m.
<b>DATE</b>	Thursday, February 18, 2021
<b>LOCATION</b>	7050 S. Washtenaw, Chicago, IL – Multipurpose Room/Office
<b>LIST OF MEMBERS</b>	<p><b>PRESENT:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Juan Carlos Funes, Catharine Cunningham, Daisy Carbajal, Margarita Valentin (Hilario Castro), Ina Walker (Jurnee Walls)</li></ul> <p><b>ABSENT:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>None</li></ul> <p><i>All members must be recorded as either present or absent in order to determine if a quorum was reached. If the governing board has any non-voting members, the member's non-voting status should be identified in the meeting minutes.</i></p>

### CALL TO ORDER & REVIEW OF MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING

- Juan Carlos Funes called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

### MEETING MINUTES

- 6:00pm-Mr. Funes introduces parents, staff and presenters.
- 6:05pm-Mr. Funes speaks on Title I/What is Title I Night?
- 6:10pm-Daisy Carbajal begins her Presentation by the Spanish Coalition for Housing, which includes affordable housing for individual and families, housing waitlists, job opportunities, business growth and property-owner programs.
- 6:25pm-Daisy transitions over to Catharine Cunningham and Mr. Funes assists by reintroducing Ms. Cunningham.
- 6:26pm- Catharine begins U of Akron presentation on admissions and what the criteria is to join the university program
- 6:40pm-Catharine speaks on scholarships and how the University of Akron brings resources to even out the cost of school to match in state tuition for students from Illinois.
- 6:50pm- Catharine presents on the undergrad programs that U of A offers such as interdisciplinary majors that allow for an expansion in interest, Akron Law which is a top rated legal education considered among the best in the country and their school of communication which has won 9 emmy's.
- 6:55pm-There were no closing Questions/Closing Remarks

### OPEN ISSUES

- What are other post-secondary options? (Military, City Year, College)

### NEW BUSINESS

- What are some other pathways that students can take to have post-secondary success

### PUBLIC COMMENT

- The U of Akron tuition is similar to in-state tuition for most colleges and there are plenty of incentives and ways to pay if students want to come to this institution.*

### ADJOURNMENT

- Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

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