

**Rocketship Public Schools -- DC**  
**MEETING MINUTES**  
**August 5, 2020**

The meeting was called to order at 3:00 p.m. In attendance, over the Zoom call were Board Chair Joey Sloter, Justin Bakewell, Matthew Aaron, Rena Johnson, Barry Rosenthal, Jacque Patterson, Melissa Martin, Tom Nida, Zakiya Reid, Keshia Battle, and Rose Waller. Simone Brown and MenSa Maa were not present. Also present were Joyanna Smith, Tamika Joyner, Cheye Calvo, Josh Pacos, Laura Kozel, Analeigh Smith, and Michael Rabin.

**I. Overview**

Associate Director of Schools, Michael Rabin, presented an overview of the LEA Continuous Education and School Recovery Plan that will require approval by the Board in the September Board meeting. DC Regional Director, Joyanna Smith and Director of Schools, Josh Pacos provided an overview of the reopening plans and key considerations/decisions. The Board then engaged in a discussion regarding the possibility of in-person learning options.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

*Meeting Minutes prepared on September 13, 2020*