

Meeting October 27, 2017

Trailblazers Academy board meeting

**Introductions:** Craig Baker, CEO, Domus Kids Inc.

**Attendees:** Michael McGuire, Miguel Pickering, Jamie Waggaman, Craig Baker, Edwin Naval, Mike Duggan, Marc Donald, Rob Sanabria, Allison Soler, Steve Baker, Angie Tortarella, Julia Snowden, Paul Cologne, Gary Goldberg (phoned in),

New: (prospective board member)

Not present: Owen Davis

**Agenda:**

- **Mike Duggan, Executive Director of Domus Kids Inc.**
- **School Director's Report**
- **Finance Report**

**Mike Duggan**

**1. Positives**

- Hartford school district asked Domus Kids Inc. to run the detention center since 9/5/17
- Mike D. and Craig Baker have been speaking to the assistant superintendent of HPS about the work we do with our young people
- Earl Kim, superintendent of SPS, lower Fairfield county superintendents interested in our work here at Domus Kids Inc.
- Bar Grant/SpringPoint research plan to drive targeted school design
- Listen for Good Grant, For Shared Insights to conduct surveys to obtain feedback from students
- Dalio Opportunity Grant- to reengage disconnected and disengaged youth in CT
- Lone Pine Foundation and Zoom Foundation (Edna Mcconnell Clark) data collection and course correct when looking at data
- Young people 17-25 in Stamford when they are released from prison, there are no programs to help those people connect to services (housing/jobs) proposal
- Building committee proposal
- Alison Soler- fundraisers : "Open the Door" campaign launch, Domus Niner, Domus Golf Outing, Gala in the spring

**Craig Baker**

1. Crisis Management
2. Budget
  - a. Finance committee discussion