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Disciplinary Committee Minutes

Lamont Parker, Committee Chairperson Monday, May 5, 2025

The Disciplinary Committee met on Monday, May 5, 2025 in-person at the district office and on Zoom Video Communications. The following board members attended: Lamont Parker, Frank Franz, Laura James (virtual).

Before making quorum, the committee informally discussed the proposed bylaw amendment. The committee finalized the language of the motion and requested it be presented to the full board for a vote. The bylaw amendment would create rules for virtual attendance, in an effort to help committees achieve quorum.

The committee entered into executive session to discuss attendance issues and a complaint received by the committee.

The committee discussed a board member who had not attended three consecutive committee meetings. The committee asked the District Manager to confirm if that member intended to join the committee in question, as the member was attending other committees on different nights.

The committee discussed a board member who had attended very few board meetings yet this year, and noted that the member had taken leave for two months. The committee resolved to monitor the member's attendance before taking action.

The committee reviewed a complaint it received from a board member. The complaint alleged that a member yelled over the Chair of the Board at the April Executive meeting, not allowing the Chair to bring the meeting to order. Committee members were in attendance at the Executive meeting and confirmed that the actions violated Robert's Rules of Order. The committee referred to the disciplinary process for complaints, and confirmed that this incident was the second documented violation, resulting in placing that member on probation for the next three months of meetings. The letter outlining this probation is included in the May meeting packet.