



2024 GMTA EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Saturday, November 9, 2024

8:30 AM

CF 0110, Fine Arts Building

Georgia State University, Perimeter Campus
Clarkston, Georgia

In attendance: Kristi Helfen, Cathy Thacker, Vicente Della Tonia, Yingzhou Hu, Josh Pifer, Amanda Sacchitello, Jeri Mae Astolfi, Michelle Peck, Rwei Hao, Joey Jacques, Maire Lang, Joe Chapman, Diane Boyd, Colette Keogh, Joe Camillo, Kimber Kwiatkowski

GMTA President Kristi Helfen called the meeting to order at 8:30 AM and gave her welcoming remarks.

Cathy Thacker made a motion for the GMTA Executive Board to raise dues by \$2. The dues increase will start in the 2025-2026 year. The motion was seconded by Michelle Peck. The motion passed.

Joe Camillo made a motion for the GMTA Executive Board to remove Cathy Thacker from the bank signature cards and add GMTA President Kristi Helfen. GMTA Executive Director Amanda (Mandy) Reynolds will remain on the bank signature cards as well. The motion was seconded by Josh Pifer. The motion passed.

Cathy Thacker made a motion for the GMTA Executive Board to approve the 2024-2026 GMTA Committee Chairs (see list below). Officers were previously approved in April by the Executive Board, with the exception of Nancy Norman, Arts Awareness and Advocacy Chair, who was added in October. The motion was seconded by Joe Chapman. The motion passed.

TITLE

Arts Awareness and Advocacy
Certification
Collaboration
College Faculty
Collegiate Chapters
Commissioning Composer
FAC Chair
GMTA Awards
Independent Music Teachers Forum
Judges List
MTNA Foundation
Theory
Wellness

MEMBER

Nancy Norman
Rwei Hao
Karen Zgonc
Jerico Vasquez
Huu Mai
Martin Jones
Cathy Thacker
Joe Camillo
Jonathan Klein
Michelle Peck
Joe Camillo
Diane Boyd
Maire Lang

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 AM.

Respectfully submitted by

Kimber Kwiatkowski

GMTA Secretary