To: Baxter Academy Board of Directors/Public Record

From: Baxter Academy Executive Director, Anna Marie Klein-Christie

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### **Executive Director's Report**

AREA TO WATCH (AW)

Next Board Meeting to be held on February 14th, due to the February Break Holiday (and the school will be closed.

ON Track (OT)

STARTING Initiative (SI)

Board Action (BA)

#### 1. Compliance:

- Ongoing work with Bob Kautz focused on Human Resources requirements and Financial Oversight (OT)
- Work with Lana Ewing (ED-Charter Commission) on updating the performance framework. (including work session and tour) (OT)
- Working with Howie Berger regarding Charter Commission that will be shared with Lana Ewing in January.

# 2. Recruitment Strategies:

- Added Q&A open house (January 25th)
- new outreach to youth organizations
- increased investments in community resources

#### **Challenge:**

- to increase enrollment
- to diversify enrollment in a lottery
- to expand pool of applicants with endorsement of public schools

#### 3. Academic & Admin Function/Curriculum:

- Finishing 1st Semester
- NWEA testing 1/23/2023
- Wrapping up new schedules for 2nd Semester
- Baxter without Walls

## 4. Community Outreach:

- Peace Summit
- Senior Events

#### 5. Fundraising:

- Met revised goal on track to achieve original goal.
- Full Board participation!

### 6. Finance: (see financial reporting)

- Started work on next year's budget and forecasting process.
- Working with Charter Commission to address any shortfall of., budget prior to year end. (It is one of the performance metrics.)

## 7. Building/Staff Infrastructure:

- Security has been addressed.
- Inspection Bureau of Labor Saftyworks Division
- Two Robots donated.