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August 1, 2010**

South Buffalo Charter School

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**Name of Charter School:** South Buffalo Charter School

**Address:** 2219 South Park Avenue Buffalo, New York 14220

**Telephone:** 716-826-7213    **Fax:** 716-826-7168

**BEDS #** 140600860817

**District/CSD of Location:** Buffalo Public Schools

**Head of School (Contact Person):** Carrie A. Dzierba

**E-mail address of contact person:** [cdzierba@southbuffalocs.org](mailto:cdzierba@southbuffalocs.org)

**President, Board of Trustees:** James P. Neimeier

**E-mail address and Phone Number of Board President:** [REDACTED]

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**MODIFICATIONS TO THE SCHOOL'S EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM  
AND GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE**

Describe any significant changes to the school's educational program as well as its governance structure. If there are no changes, please indicate N/A.

N/A

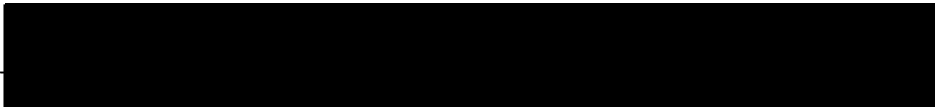


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**DISCLOSURE OF FINANCIAL INTEREST  
BY A CHARTER SCHOOL TRUSTEE<sup>1</sup>**

**Note: Please make a copy of this two page form for each Trustee**

1. Name of charter school: South Buffalo Charter School
2. Trustee's name (print): William Brinson
3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): Trustee
4. Home address: 
5. Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Daytime phone:  \_\_\_\_\_
7. E-mail:  \_\_\_\_\_
8. Is Trustee an employee of the school? \_\_\_\_ Yes. ☒ No. If you checked yes, please provide a description of the position you hold, your salary and your start date.  
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<sup>1</sup> Form Revised May 24, 2006

Date(s)	Nature of Financial Interest/Transaction	Steps Taken to Avoid a Conflict of Interest, (e.g., did not vote, did not participate in discussion)	Identity of Person Holding Interest or Engaging in Transaction (e.g., you and/or immediate family member (name))
<i>Please write "None" if applicable. Do not leave this space blank.</i> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">None</div>			

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Entity Conducting Business with the School	Nature of Business Conducted	Approximate Value of the Business Conducted	Name of Trustee and/or Immediate Family Holding an Interest in the Entity Conducting Business with the School and the Nature of the Interest	Steps Taken to Avoid Conflict of Interest
<i>Please write "None" if applicable. Do not leave this space blank.</i> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">None</div>				

Carmie A. Dyck  
Signature

7/29/10  
Date





Signed on behalf of William Brinson

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SOUTH BUFFALO Charter School

**DISCLOSURE OF FINANCIAL INTEREST  
BY A CHARTER SCHOOL TRUSTEE<sup>1</sup>**

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1. Name of charter school: SOUTH BUFFALO
2. Trustee's name (print): BENEDICT R. DILORENZO
3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): Treasurer
4. Home address: 
5. Business Address: 
6. Daytime phone: 
7. E-mail: 
8. Is Trustee an employee of the school? ☒ Yes. ☒ No. If you checked yes, please provide a description of the position you hold, your salary and your start date.  
  
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Benedict R. DiFrenzo  
Signature

7/27/10  
Date

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**Note: Please make a copy of this two page form for each Trustee**

1. Name of charter school: South Buffalo
2. Trustee's name (print): Matthew Eastice
3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): Board Member

4. Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

6. Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_

7. E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Is Trustee an employee of the school? \_\_\_\_ Yes. ☒ No. If you checked yes, please provide a description of the position you hold, your salary and your start date.

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*Signature*

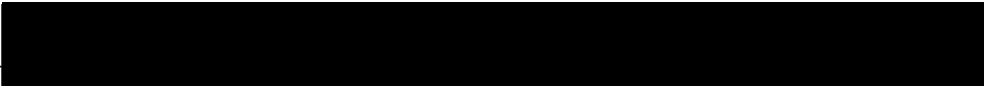

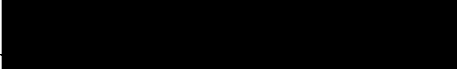
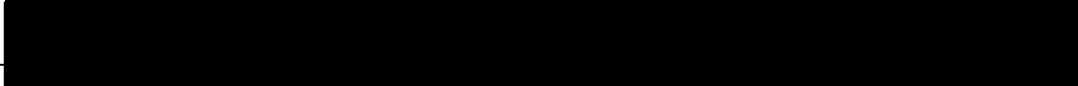
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SOUTH BUFFALO Charter School

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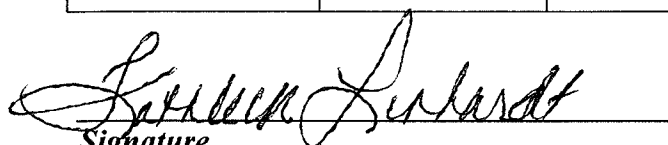
1. Name of charter school: SOUTH BUFFALO CHARTER SCHOOL
2. Trustee's name (print): KATHLEEN LINHARDT
3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): SECRETARY
4. Home address: 
5. Business Address: 
6. Daytime phone: 
7. E-mail: 
8. Is Trustee an employee of the school? \_\_\_\_ Yes. ☒ No. If you checked yes, please provide a description of the position you hold, your salary and your start date.  
  
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Signature

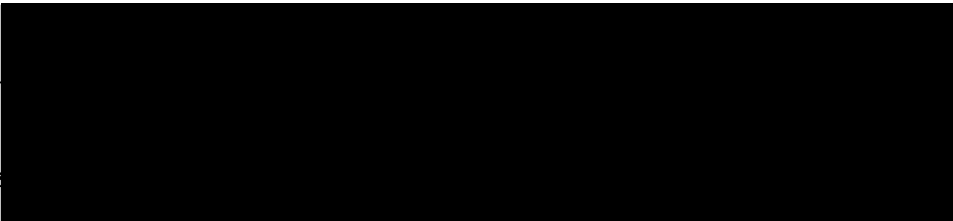
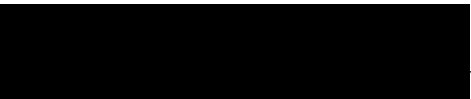

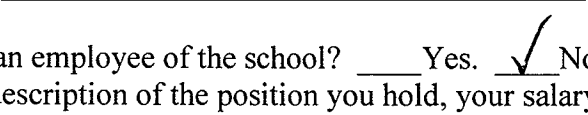
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**DISCLOSURE OF FINANCIAL INTEREST  
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**Note: Please make a copy of this two page form for each Trustee**

1. Name of charter school: South Buffalo Charter School
2. Trustee's name (print): Kristi Maggio
3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): Personnel Committee Chair
4. Home address: 
5. Business Address: 
6. Daytime phone: 
7. E-mail: 
8. Is Trustee an employee of the school? \_\_\_\_ Yes. ☒ No. If you checked yes, please provide a description of the position you hold, your salary and your start date.  
  
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	NONE			

Kristi Maggio  
Signature

7/27/10  
Date

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1. Name of charter school: SOUTH BUFFALO CHARTER SCHOOL

2. Trustee's name (print): JAMES J HEINZEL

3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): President

4. Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_

7. E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Is Trustee an employee of the school? \_\_\_\_ Yes. ☒ No. If you checked yes, please provide a description of the position you hold, your salary and your start date.

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 Signature

  
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1. Name of charter school: South Buffalo Charter School

2. Trustee's name (print): Steven Nigrelli

3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): Trustee

4. Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_

7. E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Is Trustee an employee of the school? \_\_\_\_ Yes. ☒ No. If you checked yes, please provide a description of the position you hold, your salary and your start date.

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	NONE		NONE	

*Signature*

*Date*

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South Buffalo

Charter School

**DISCLOSURE OF FINANCIAL INTEREST  
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1. Name of charter school: South Buffalo Charter School
2. Trustee's name (print): Angel Piazza
3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): Trustee
4. Home address: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_
7. E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_
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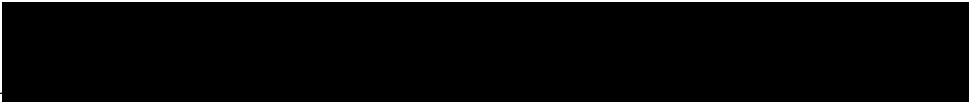

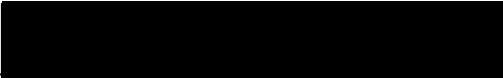

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1. Name of charter school: South Buffalo Charter School
2. Trustee's name (print): Anne Marie Tryjankowski
3. Position(s) on board (e.g., chair, treasurer, committee chair, etc.): Vice Chair
4. Home address: 
5. Business Address: 
6. Daytime phone: 
7. E-mail: 
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*Anne Marie Inyatskowski*  
**Signature**

*7/27/10*  
**Date**

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Joseph Zeffano Charter School

**STATEMENT OF ASSURANCES**

Our signatures below attest that all of the information contained herein is truthful and accurate, and that this charter school is in compliance with all aspects of its charter, and with all pertinent Federal, State, and local laws, regulations, and rules. We understand that if any information in any part of this report is found to have been deliberately misrepresented, that will constitute grounds for the revocation of our charter.

Carrie A. Dzierba  
Print Name, Head of Charter School

Carrie A. Dzierba 7/29/10  
Signature and Date

JAMES T. DEINERED  
Print Name, President, Board of Trustees

James T. Deinered 7/27/2010  
Signature and Date