



## THE PODS LEARNING INSTITUTE

### Charter Committee Interest Questionnaire

#### Contact Information

1. Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_
  2. Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
  4. Preferred Method of Contact:  
☐ Email    ☐ Phone    ☐ Text
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#### Background & Experience

5. Current Profession / Role:  
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6. Briefly describe your professional background or areas of expertise:  
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7. Have you previously served on a board, advisory council, or charter committee?  
☐ Yes    ☐ No  
If yes, please explain:  
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## Interest in The PODS Learning Institute

8. What motivated you to express interest in supporting The PODS Learning Institute?

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9. Which areas of the school's development are you most interested in contributing to?  
(Check all that apply)

- ☐ Academic Model
  - ☐ Student Support / SEL / Trauma-Informed Practices
  - ☐ Community Engagement
  - ☐ Fundraising / Development
  - ☐ Finance & Budgeting
  - ☐ Facilities Planning
  - ☐ Governance & Policy
  - ☐ Youth Services / Mental Health
  - ☐ Special Education / IEP Support
  - ☐ Operations / Logistics
  - ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
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## Time Commitment & Participation

10. Are you able to attend monthly meetings (virtual or hybrid)?

- ☐ Yes    ☐ No    ☐ Maybe

11. Are you willing to complete occasional review tasks (documents, drafts, surveys) between meetings?

- ☐ Yes    ☐ No    ☐ Maybe

12. How many hours per month can you commit to committee responsibilities?

- ☐ 1–3 hours
  - ☐ 4–6 hours
  - ☐ 7–10 hours
  - ☐ 10+ hours
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## **Skills & Asset Mapping**

13. Please indicate any skills or resources you may offer the committee:

- ☐ Strategic Planning
  - ☐ Grant Writing
  - ☐ Data / Accountability
  - ☐ Education or Curriculum Expertise
  - ☐ Youth Mentorship
  - ☐ Legal Guidance
  - ☐ Marketing / Communications
  - ☐ Financial Management
  - ☐ Community Partnerships
  - ☐ Access to Stakeholders / Networks
  - ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
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## **Alignment & Vision**

14. What do you believe is the greatest challenge facing middle school students today?

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15. How do you feel The PODS Learning Institute can address this challenge?

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## **Final Thoughts**

16. Is there anything else you would like us to know as we consider your participation?

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**Thank you for your interest in supporting The PODS Learning Institute!**

Your responses will help us assemble a strong, diverse Charter Development Committee dedicated to creating a transformative educational option for youth in the Upstate.

Email back to [thepodslearninginstitute@gmail.com](mailto:thepodslearninginstitute@gmail.com)