

# **We're Better Together**

## *Information Sheet for Joining with Marathon Church*

### **Church Name:**

1. This will be one church with two locations.
2. The joining campus will be named Marathon Church Greenville.

### **Church Staff:**

1. All Greenville staff will continue in their current roles until interviews can be conducted. The goal is to keep staff or relocate them to the appropriate role that will best serve the church.
2. Campus staff will meet together weekly and all staff of both campuses will have regular one on one meetings to help develop them in their roles. Our hope is to help and develop God's purpose and design for each staff member.
3. Pastor Reggie Smith will continue to serve as Campus Pastor and will be included in our teaching team.
4. Pastor Chasen Callahan will serve as the Campus Culture Director for the joining campus. His role will be to serve the staff and pastors in this transition.

### **Church Governance:**

1. All church assets will be combined into one church as stated in Section 3 of Disposition of Property in the Velocity Church Bylaws.
2. Trustees will serve as a centralized advisory board for the transition to the Marathon Church organization.
3. One bank account will serve for payroll and accounting needs, bills, etc.
4. There will be a designated account for Marathon Greenville Campus to help with budget creation and income collection.
5. The Executive Pastor of Marathon Church will work with the Accounting Department to transition accounts and payables.

### **Branding and Social Media:**

1. Websites will be combined with campus specific information.
2. Apps will also combine with campus specific information.
3. A Facebook group will be created for Marathon Greenville Campus to help with community and connections with the church.
4. All signage (parking lot, indoor, road signs, etc.) will be labeled as Marathon Church.

## **Our Vision**

To create a church that unchurched people love to attend.

## **Our Mission**

To build communities that love Jesus, love people, and live on purpose.

## **Our Values**

- ***We believe in loving like Jesus.***

*"Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends." John 15:13*

- ***We believe that everybody's welcome.***

We are a place for people in every stage of their spiritual journey—a place where you can belong even before you believe. We believe that you belong here, no matter what background, social status, ethnicity, political views, etc. You are welcome.

- ***We believe in doing life together.***

*The writer to the Hebrews says, "And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near" (Hebrews 10:24-25).*

- ***We believe in living on purpose.***

*"For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." Ephesians 2:10*

- ***We believe that all things are possible.***

Do you sometimes find yourself facing a seemingly impossible situation? With God, there is always hope, no matter how bad things look. Nothing is impossible with God. His power makes all things possible.

*"Jesus looked at them and said, 'With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.'" Matthew 19:26*