



Duval County Public Schools

March 19, 2008, Board Workshop

Ms. Betty Burney, Chairman
Mr. Tommy Hazouri, Vice-Chairman
Ms. Kris Barnes
Ms. Martha Barrett
Ms. Nancy Broner
Ms. Vicki Drake
Ms. Brenda Priestly Jackson
Mr. Ed Pratt-Dannals, Superintendent

ATTENDANCE AT THIS SPECIAL MEETING OF THE DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD: All Board Members were present. Mr. Ed Pratt-Dannals, Superintendent, was also present.

Call Meeting To Order

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Minutes: The Chairman called the Board Workshop to order at 1:14 p.m.

Items To Be Discussed

[1. BUDGET](#)

Minutes:

Mr. Doug Ayars, Chief Operating Officer, updated the Board on the continuing Budget discussions. Areas discussed were:

- Challenger Learning Center - do not cut
- Marine Science Center - do not cut
- Magnet Inspirations Grant - see how this fits into the Strategic Plan
- Coach-Counselor - cut
- Pre-GI - cut
- Standards Coaches - cut
- ESE - continue to discuss
- IB, ECHS, AICE - do not cut
- ESE - IDEA - continue to discuss
- ESE Positions - staff will look at this again and bring back new proposal
- Hiring - will freeze until budget issues resolved
- Academic Services Budget - provide Board with list of positions eliminated and whether they were vacant or filled, and if person being moved to another position
- Deputy Superintendent - Board will submit their questions to staff
- Chief of Staff - staff explained cuts
- Operations - staff explained cuts

Speakers:

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 Mr. Ed Pratt-Dannals, Superintendent
 Mr. Doug Ayars, Chief Operating Officer
 Ms. Kris Barnes, Board Member
 Ms. Nancy Broner, Board Member
 Ms. Vicki Drake, Board Member
 Mr. Tommy Hazouri, Board Vice-Chairman
 Ms. Martha Barrett, Board Member

Adjournment

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Minutes:

The Chairman adjourned the Board Workshop at 3:54 p.m.

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This is the template Closing Statement

We Agree on this

Superintendent

Chairman