

Duval County Public Schools

November 22, 2011, Board Workshop

Mr. W. C. Gentry, Chairman Ms. Betty Burney, Vice-Chairman Ms. Martha Barrett Ms. Ms. Becki Couch Ms. Mr. Tommy Hazouri Mr. Mr. Fred "Fel" Lee Mr. Ms. Paula D. Wright Mr. Ed Pratt-Dannals, Superintendent

ATTENDANCE AT THIS WORKSHOP 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 11:22 a.m.

I tems To Be Discussed

1. MANAGEMENT OVERSIGHT - SCHOOL CLUSTERS

Minutes:

Staff made a Management Oversight presentation to the Board on School Cluster offices and services provided. Areas covered included the following areas. A copy of the presentation is attached to the Minutes.

- Organizational Structure
- Monitoring and Assessments
- Job Embedded Professional Development
- Parental and Community Involvement
- High School Programs
- Office of School Improvement
- Comprehensive Student Support System

Speakers:

- Mr. W. C. Gentry, Board Chairman
- Ms. Pat Willis, Deputy Superintendent
- Ms. Jackie Byrd, Chief, Cluster I
- Mr. Jud Strickland, Executive Director, Cluster
- Ms. Debbie Menard, Chief, Cluster II
- Ms. Becki Couch, Board Member
- Ms. Betty Burney, Board Vice-Chairman
- Ms. Paula D. Wright, Board Member
- Mr. Tommy Hazouri, Board Member
- Ms. Martha Barrett, Board Member
- Mr. Ed Pratt-Dannals, Superintendent
- Mr. Fred "Fel" Lee, Board Member
- Dr. Carolyn Girardeau, Director, High School Programs
- Ms. Nicki Micheau, Supervisor, Office of School Improvement

2. MAGNET PRIORITY ONE DISCUSSION

Minutes:

The Superintendent gave an overview. The Superintendent would like to get direction from the Board on going forward. He is recommending we hold at this time on making any changes until we can look at the issue more thoroughly. The Executive Summary is attached to the Minutes. The Board and staff discussed the Executive Summary. After some discussion, it was decided that staff would review the entire Magnet program and come back to the Board with recommendations and workshop discussion. Points made included the following.

- Have we gone out and tried to recruit in the schools within the attendance zone to help with diversity?
- Thought staff would have addressed this issue on a school by school basis.
- Definition of a dedicated magnet was discussed.
- History of Priority One was discussed.

<u>Speakers:</u>

Ms. W. C. Gentry, Board Chairman

Mr. Ed Pratt-Dannals, Superintendent Mr. Fred "Fel" Lee, Board Member Mr. Doug Ayars, Chief Operating Officer Mr. Tommy Hazouri, Board Member Dr. Sally Hague, Director, School Choice Ms. Betty Burney, Board Vice-Chairman Mr. Fred "Fel" Lee, Board Member Ms. Paula D. Wright, Board Member Ms. Becki Couch, Board Member Ms. Martha Barrett, Board Member

Adjournment

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Minutes:

The Chairman adjourned the Board Workshop at 3:01 p.m.

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We Agree on this

Superintendent

Chairman