MINUTES School Board Workshop October 1, 2013

This workshop, held at the St. Johns County School Board Administrative Center, 40 Orange Street, St. Augustine, Florida, was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by Chairman Tommy Allen. Dr. Joseph Joyner called roll; school board members Mr. Tommy Allen, Mr. Bill Mignon, Mr. Bill Fehling, Mrs. Beverly Slough and Mr. Patrick Canan were present; also in attendance were School Board Attorney Frank D. Upchurch, III, district staff, and media representatives.

Opening Comments

Mr. Mignon thanked Mr. Forson, Mr. Asplen and Mrs. Weber for their hard work on negotiations. Dr. Joyner stated that there was good collaborative effort on negotiations for teachers and non-instructional employees. Dr. Joyner also stated that Ms. Carol Holtz, retired Risk Manager was honored at the SAHS Legacy Awards last Friday Night, September 27th.

Review of Superintendent's Annual Financial Report

Mr. Degutis presented an overview of the Superintendent's Annual Financial Report.

Professional Development Plan

Mrs. Wiles presented the 2013-2018 Professional Development System Plan.

Public Comments

1. Dawn Chapman, SJEA President thanked the board and staff for the negotiated agreements for teachers and non-instructional staff. Mrs. Chapman also stated that Mr. Egnor is presenting a forum on common core at the SJEA office tomorrow. Mrs. Chapman stated that a video, "Discovering Gloria," will be shown at Murray Middle School on Friday, October 4, at 5:00pm; it is open to the public.

Closing Comments

Mr. Fehling stated that our Professional Development Plan is one reason that we are successful and attract the best teachers. Dr. Joyner stated that some of the upcoming workshop topics include class rankings and charter school updates (academic and financial).

There being no further business	s, the meeting was adjourned at	t 11:09 a.m.
Superintendent		Chairman
	Date Approved	_