

## **School Board Workshop (Tuesday, September 1, 2015)**

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Members present

Tommy Allen, Patrick Canan, Bill Mignon, Bev Slough, Kelly Barrera ( It was announced that Mrs. Barrera would be a few minutes late, She arrived by 10:15 a.m.)

Meeting called to order at 10:00 AM

### **1. Call to Order by Board Chair**

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1.01 Mrs. Slough calls meeting to order.

### **2. Roll Call**

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2.01 Deputy Superintendent Asplen calls roll

### **3. Opening Comments from the School Board and Superintendent**

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3.01 Opening Comments from the School Board and Superintendent

Mr. Mignon spoke of the incidents in Murabella and Virginia last week, noting that in Roanoke, Virginia, the Chamber of Commerce president involved in the incident is the mother of one of our Crookshank Elementary School teachers. Mrs. Slough commented that last week's potential for harm to our students solidifies why we need permanent seating for all our students. Mr. Asplen announced that September 8, Processional Day in the 450<sup>th</sup> celebration of St. Augustine, will be an excused absence for our students. Mr. Asplen also stated that the district now offers Phase 3 and 4 leadership training, noting that Ms. Meredith Strickland and Ms. Paula Steele are doing a phenomenal job with professional development, and reported that the newly-formed Leadership Counts! program has 85 staff members enrolled.

### **4. Digital Classroom Plan Update**

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4.01 Digital Classroom Plan Update

Ms. Kim Dixon and Mr. Shane Billette gave an overview of the district's vision for technology in the classroom. Questions on the implementation and costs followed.

### **5. Student Progression Plan**

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**Information; 5.01 Student Progression Plan**

Mrs. Dawn Sapp explained the Student Progression Plan; Ms. Christine Stephan detailed the changes to the elementary school plan, and Mrs. Sapp spoke on the middle and high school plan changes.

## 6. Parent Resource Guide

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Mrs. Sapp presented the guide and detailed this year's changes. Mrs. Slough noted her appreciation for the changes to the guide including the "Year at a Glance" additions.

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## 7. Public Comments - None

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## 8. Closing Comments from the School Board and Superintendent

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### 8.01 Closing Comments from the School Board and Superintendent

Dr. Joyner announced that an executive session regarding collective bargaining will take place immediately following this morning's workshop.