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School Board Workshop
May 7, 2013

This workshop, held at the St. Johns County School Board Administrative Center, 40 Orange Street, St. Augustine, Florida, was called to order at 8:31 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

Mrs. Slough and Mr. Mignon stated that they were pleased that the Governor visited Nease High School again yesterday. Mr. Canan commended Dr. Joyner for shaving his head in support of students at Creekside High School Relay for Life Team. Dr. Joyner stated that the legislative session is over. Senator Thrasher pushed through a \$6 million increase in budget for high performing/high growth school districts. Dr. Joyner also stated that this was teacher appreciation week and thanked teachers for all that they do. Dr. Joyner announced that the Pedro Menendez High School Vystar Academy received model academy status, and Gamble Rogers Middle School received the NFL Play 360 Grant for \$10,000.

PACT/2012 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Mrs. LeAnn Daddario, Coalition Coordinator for PACT of St. Johns County introduced four student leaders from St. Augustine High School; Gavin Canan, Jessica Justice, Molly Clukey and William Sapp who presented information and statistics on youth substance abuse.

Recycling Update

Mr. Al Crutchfield and Mr. Frank Clark presented a recycling update which included examples of monthly savings for the schools who participate.

2013-2014 Student Code of Conduct

Mr. Paul Abbatozzi presented the 2013-2014 Student Code of Conduct which included changes from last year.

Extended Day

Mrs. Lin Biller presented the 2013-2014 Extended Day fee structure.

St. Johns County Sidewalk Easement – Osceola Elementary School

Mrs. Nicole Cubbedge presented information on the addition of a sidewalk easement in front of Osceola Elementary School.

Revised School Concurrency Proportionate Share Mitigation Agreement – Oxford Estates

Mrs. Nicole Cubbedge presented the Revised School Concurrency Proportionate Share Mitigation Agreements for Oxford Estates, which is located in the Bartram Trail Concurrency Area, and the Oakridge project, which is located in the Creekside Concurrency Service Area.

Paid Lunch Equity Update

Mr. Sean Prevatt presented the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act (Public Law 111-296) and recommended an increase to \$2.35 for elementary meals and no change to secondary meals to adhere to the law.

Budget Update

Mr. Mike Degutis presented the fiscal 2012-2013 4th calculation which included \$6,243.79 funds per student, and the 2013-2014 Conference Report which included \$6,645.27 funds per student.

Public Comments

- (1) Mary Ann Steinberg, Tobacco Free St. Johns, 2048 Belle Grove Trace, Fleming Island, FL 32003 Presented the board with information about the mission and goals of the Tobacco Free St. Johns community partnership.

Closing Comments

Mrs. Slough invited everyone to attend the Northwest Town Hall Meeting on May 7, 2013 at 6:30pm at Creekside High School. Dr. Joyner stated that there will be a Governor’s roundtable and reception at The Player’s Championship (TPC) this Thursday, May 9th starting at 3:00pm.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Superintendent

Chairman

Date Approved