

**SCHOOL BOARD WORKSHOP (Tuesday, March 3, 2020)**

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**Members present**

Kelly Barrera, Tommy Allen, Patrick Canan, Bill Mignon, Bev Slough

**Meeting called to order at 9 AM**

1. CALL TO ORDER BY THE SCHOOL BOARD CHAIR
2. ROLL CALL BY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
3. OPENING COMMENTS BY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mr. Allen expressed his appreciation of beginning the workshop at 9 a.m.

Mrs. Barrera announced she would be leaving at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Slough stated there would be a discussion about the zoning process during the workshop.

Mr. Forson stated we would include information of the zoning process and its next steps. He reported attending Odyssey of the Mind tournament at Gamble Rogers Middle School on Saturday, February 29, 2020. Students worked in teams using critical and analytical thinking. He noted this event was a great experience and another example of teachers going above and beyond as educators.

Mr. Forson referred to Kyle Dresback, Associate Superintendent for Student Support Services, and Melissa Kledzik, Director for Health Services, regarding Florida preparedness for coronavirus. Mr. Dresback and his team have sent emails regarding 2 documented cases in Florida, last week, from the Center of Disease Control (CDC). We are still considered a low risk in Florida. His team is working on a prevention process. This information has been posted on the district website, as well as, all local school websites. He will also send an update, today, through School Messenger. The initial information was posted on the district website, Friday, February 28, 2020. Mrs. Kledzik is in contact daily, with the Department of Health (DOH) and they are communicating their protocols and what steps to take. Mr. Dresback is working to make Schoology available for academic instruction, should the district need. The DOH is contacted regarding students traveling in and out of the state, and families are directed to reach out to the DOH. Academics are provided to families that contact the schools, when students have to be absent. Signage will be placed in all restrooms with information about hygiene best practices.

**4. WORKSHOP TOPICS:**

4.01 Strategic Plan Update- Presented by Tim Forson, Superintendent of Schools; Dr. Brennan Asplen, Deputy Superintendent for Academic and Support Services; Cathy Mittelstadt, Deputy Superintendent for Operations; Cathy Hutchins, Associate Superintendent for Human Resources; and Christina Langston, Chief of Community Relations.

4.02 Attendance Zoning- Presented by Nicole Cubbedge, Executive Director for Planning and Government Relations.

4.03 Facilities and Operations Update- Presented by Cathy Mittelstadt, Deputy Superintendent for Operations; Paul Rose, Executive Director for Facilities and Operations; and Frank Cervasio, Director for Facilities and Construction.

4.04 Security Update- Presented by Paul Abbatinozzi, Senior Director for School Services.

4.05 Half-cent Sales Surtax Community Advisory Committee Membership- Presented by Nicole Cubbedge, Executive Director for Planning and Government Relations.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments.

6. CLOSING COMMENTS BY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS AND SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mr. Canan thanked all the presenters for their hard work.

Mr. Mignon expressed his hopefulness regarding the Center for Disease Control's problem solving ability.

Mrs. Slough voiced her thanks for the preparedness regarding coronavirus. She went on to ask everyone to keep Nashville in our thoughts and prayers as they just experienced severe weather and damage.

Mr. Forson thanked the staff who gave presentations for their hard work.

7. ADJOURNMENT at 12:19 PM