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SCHOOL BOARD WORKSHOP (Tuesday, April 6, 2021)

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A. Meeting Opening

- 1. Call to Order by School Board Chair
- 2. Roll Call by Superintendent of Schools
- B. Opening Comments by the School Board and Superintendent

Bev Slough voiced she was able to visit schools and read to students last week and was happy to see teachers, staff, and students doing so well.

Anthony Coleman visited schools April 5 and enjoyed seeing teachers' and students' smiles through their masks.

Bill Mignon congratulated Brian McElhone and the Early Childhood Services team on their positive annual review from the state.

Tim Forson updated the Board on Covid-19 numbers. He and his staff will continue to move into the planning of next school year slowly and deliberately. He congratulated the Early Childhood Services team for their positive state annual review. He mentioned this is the time of year for auditor meetings and community partnership reviews. He also mentioned the upcoming testing season, adding teachers and staff are doing a great job of keeping things in perspective.

C. Workshop Topics

- 1. Opioid Epidemic Presentation presented by Wayne Hogan, Trial Attorney, Terrell Hogan
- 2. School Board Rule 6.24 presented by Frank Upchurch, School Board Attorney
- 3. School Board Workshop Start Times Discussion by the Board
- 4. Attendance Zoning presented by Nicole Cubbedge, Executive Director for Planning and Government Relations

D. Public Comment

- 1. Michelle Dillon, 94 Lincoln St, St. Augustine, FL 32084. Ms. Dillon spoke about teacher concerns.
- Judy Agliata, 110 Buck Tail Ave, Ponte Vedra, FL 32081.
 Ms. Agliata spoke about PVA mask policy.
- E. Closing Comments by the School Board and Superintendent

Bill Mignon recognized the administration and staff at Mill Creek Academy for their quick response in a recent emergency situation. Due to the report of a student and fast action of staff at MCA, CPR was performed on a student who was choking resulting in a positive outcome. Mr. Mignon recommended that these people be recognized for their heroic action.

Kelly Barrera recognized Michael Degutis, Chief of Staff and Nicole Cubbedge, Executive Director for Planning and Government Relations for their presentations at the March 30 virtual realtor meeting.

Bev Slough thanked the presenters for the informative meeting. She thanked Ms. Cubbedge for bringing a fourth option forward for attendance zoning for Bartram Trail High School and High School "III".

Anthony Coleman thanked the presenters for their hard work and expertise.

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Patrick Canan recognized and thanked Palm Valley Academy for the gift bags of goodies they provided to the board members for board appreciation day.

Tim Forson reminded everyone of the virtual Middle School Art Show today at 3 p.m. He added that these art projects will be on display for this Friday's Art Walk.

F. Adjournment at 10:51 a.m.