

**SCHOOL BOARD WORKSHOP (Tuesday, August 1, 2023)**

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**Members present**

Kelly Barrera, Patrick Canan, Tony Coleman, Bev Slough

**Meeting called to order at 4 p.m.****A. Meeting Opening**

1. Call to Order by School Board Chair
2. Roll Call by Superintendent of Schools
3. Pledge of Allegiance led by Mrs. Kelly Barrera

**B. Opening Comments by the School Board and Superintendent**

Bev Slough shared her excitement for the new school year.

Tim Forson enjoyed the Hands to Heart event held at First Coast Technical College this morning. The Community Relations department sponsors this event; this program supports families and students in need. He spoke about a documentary that Toco Creek High School is hosting Saturday, August 5, regarding suicide prevention.

**C. Workshop Topics**

1. Driver Education Memorandum of Understanding presented by Joanne Crowder, program specialist for Driver Education; and Jennifer Ravan, assistant tax collector
2. Transportation Update presented by Al Pantano, director for transportation
3. State Assessment Data Review presented by Dr. DeArmas Graham, senior director for planning, accountability and assessment; and David Morell, director for planning, assessment and accountability

**D. Public Comment**

There was no public comment.

**E. Closing Comments by the School Board and Superintendent**

Tony Coleman thanked the staff for their superb presentations. He shared his excitement for the new school year.

Bev Slough shared her appreciation for the hard work of the transportation department. She reminded everyone of the annual prayer walk through schools this coming Sunday, August 6.

Patrick Canan thanked the presenters for their hard work.

Kelly Barrera shared her appreciation for the hard work that goes into the presentations. She voiced her enthusiasm for student growth due to the hard work and support of teachers, parents, and administration.

Tim Forson shared his enthusiasm for the impressive test scores. He thanked all staff for their inclusive effort.

**F. Adjournment at 5:04 p.m.**