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SCHOOL BOARD WORKSHOP (Tuesday, March 7, 2023)

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Members present

Kelly Barrera, Bev Slough, Tony Coleman, Patrick Canan, Jennifer Collins

Meeting called to order at 9 a.m.

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

Patrick Canan commented on the great format of the School Improvement Plan (SIP) presentations last week. He enjoyed the feedback from the principals.

Jennifer Collins enjoyed attending yesterday's Headstart Family Day.

Anthony Coleman shared his appreciation for the SIP presentations last week. He enjoyed the format.

Bev Slough expressed her appreciation for the SIP presentations and for the hard work of the principals.

Kelly Barrera enjoyed the format of the SIP presentations. She shared her appreciation for all the principals. Mrs. Barrera also attended the FOCUS group meeting on March 1st and stated the discussions were very rich.

Tim Forson commented on the SIP presentations and shared his appreciation for all the work that went into them. He appreciated the feedback from the board members and asked that they continue to let them know if there is anything else that can be approved upon.

C. Workshop Topics

- 1. Calendar Committee Update presented by Cathy Hutchins, Associate Superintendent for Human Resources
- 2. Proposed School Board Rule 2.07, Public Notice presented by Frank Upchurch, School Board Attorney
- 3. Proposed School Board Rule 4.18, Homeless Policy presented by Kyle Dresback, Associate Superintendent for Student Support Services
- 4. Proposed School Board Rule 4.132, Objections to Library Materials presented by Dawn Sapp, Associate Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction

D. Public Comment

- 1. Dr. Michel Pawlowski, 109 Kings Quarry Lane, St. Augustine Beach, FL 32080. Dr. Pawlowski spoke about SEL and CRT.
- 2. Ashley Torrence-Pitter, Old Field Lane, St. Augustine, FL 32092. Ms. Torrence-Pitter spoke about students with disabilities.
- E. Closing Comments by the School Board and Superintendent

Jennifer Collins expressed her gratitude for the presentations.

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Bev Slough stated she was looking forward to going to Tallahassee next week for a legislative conference. She expressed her appreciation for being a part of the FSBA committee as they work through the federal parent bill of rights.

Kelly Barrera stated it is a busy time of year as we move forward to the graduation season. She thanked the presenters for their hard work.

Tim Forson reminded everyone that next week's board meeting is March 13, 2023, at 4 p.m. He enjoyed the discussions of the recent FOCUS group meeting. Mr. Forson spoke about the national teacher shortage and was encouraged by SJCSD teacher recruitment fair held last week.

F. Adjournment at 10:50 a.m.