

SCHOOL BOARD WORKSHOP (Tuesday, March 3, 2026)

Generated by Miriam Testasecca on Tuesday, March 3, 2026

Members present

Kelly Barrera, Bev Slough, Linda Thomson, Anthony Coleman, Jennifer Collins (online)

Meeting called to order at 9 AM

A. Meeting Opening

2. Roll Call by Superintendent

B. Opening Comments by the School Board and Superintendent

Dr. Thomson stated that it was a pleasure to see the projects presented at the History Fair and praised the students for their hard work and dedication.

Mrs. Slough shared that she attended the memorial service for the Patriot Oaks Academy student who recently passed away and was deeply moved by the outpouring of love and support shown to the student's family.

Dr. Asplen reiterated that the district's Student Services crisis team and school counselors remain available to provide support to students, staff, and families during this difficult time.

C. Workshop Topics

1. School Naming Discussion for QQ and RR, presented by Mrs. Nicole Cubbedge and principals, Mrs. Tiffany Campbell and Mr. Donny Hoessler.

4 Public Comment - none

5 Closing Comments by the School Board and Superintendent

Mr. Coleman expressed appreciation for all of the district's coaches and thanked everyone who took the time to celebrate Black History Month.

Dr. Thomson and Mrs. Barrera thanked the principals of the new schools for their presentations and also expressed appreciation to the Facilities Department for their hard work.

Mrs. Slough congratulated the Beachside High School boys' soccer team for winning the state championship.

Ms. Collins commented that the district has so many talented students and shared that she enjoyed the Martin Luther King Jr. Poster and Essay Contest as well as the History Fair.

Dr. Asplen asked Mrs. Cubbedge to remind the Board of the next steps in the school naming process. Mrs. Cubbedge stated that both items will be brought forward for a vote on March 10, 2026.

Dr. Asplen also thanked Mrs. Cubbedge, Mr. Cade, and the principals of the new schools for their work.

6 Adjournment - 10:14 AM