

Board Briefings

February 26, 2008

Lewis Greenview Elementary School

an abbreviated school board action report prepared by the Office of Communications

Consent Agenda

The Board approved the following items:

- Minutes from the February 12 board meeting
- January financials
- A request for sabbatical leave

Office of Academics

Dr. Traci Young Cooper, director of the Office of Extended-Day Programs, presented a mid-year report to the Board on the progress and status of the district's extended-day programs. The programs offered include the after-school childcare program, comprehensive remediation program, Knight Foundation arts-infused program, athletic tutorial program, 21st Century Community Learning Centers and the Project ACT youth obesity prevention program.

Office of Operations

The Board voted 5-2 in favor of approving a land transfer and a right-of-way entry agreement with the S.C. Department of Transportation giving the department the right to enter district property for its Ott/Adger Road intersection realignment project. Commissioners Rob Tyson and Vince Ford voted against the proposal.

The Board unanimously approved a contract award for Phase 3 of the renovations and additions to A.C. Flora High School. Board Chairwoman Wendy Brawley noted that none of the additional \$5 million needed for A.C. Flora will be taken from funds budgeted for other remaining school construction and renovation projects. Chief Operations Officer Michael Bobby said the district will use other previously approved bond project funds and interest earnings. The design and scope of the Flora Phase 3 project have not been reduced, he said.

The next meeting of the Board of School Commissioners will be held Tuesday, March 11 at the Stevenson Administration Building. Open session begins at 7 p.m.