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REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

RICHLAND COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT ONE

STEVENSON ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2016

7:00 P.M.

MEMBERS BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

MRS. CHERYL HARRIS, CHAIRWOMAN

MR. VINCE FORD, VICE CHAIRMAN

MRS. PAMELA ADAMS, SECRETARY/TREASURER

MR. DWAYNE SMILING, PARLIAMENTARIAN

MR. AARON BISHOP

MR. JAMIE DEVINE

MRS. BEATRICE KING

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REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS
RICHLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT ONE
STEVENSON ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
1616 RICHLAND STREET
COLUMBIA, S.C. 29201
HELD TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2016
7:00 P.M.

MATTER OF RECORD:

AS MANDATED BY THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT PASSED BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY, THE RECORDS WILL SHOW THAT THE LOCAL NEWS MEDIA WERE NOTIFIED OF THIS MEETING. THE RECORD WILL ALSO SHOW THAT THE CHAIRWOMAN HARRIS CALLED FOR A MOTION TO GO INTO OPEN SESSION TO DISCUSS SEVERAL ISSUES: (1) LEGAL STATUS UPDATE; (2) RECEIPT OF LEGAL ADVICE: ADMINISTRATIVE STREET CLOSING; (3) PERSONNEL/HR UPDATES; (4) ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENT; (5) LEAVE OF ABSENCE; (6) HIRING OF PERSONNEL; (7) MINUTES; (8) BOARD REPORT; (9) NOMINATION FOR REGION 8
DIRECTOR SCSBA; (10) PERSONNEL MATTER: (11) SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT; (12) NEW FLSA OVERTIME RULES UPDATE; (13) 2015-2016 SAT/ACT/AP/IB TEST SCORES; (14) CONTRACT: NYC LEADERSHIP ACADEMY SERIES FOR RICHLAND ONE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS; (15) CONTRACT: PROFESSIONAL ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR MEMORIAL STADIUM; (16) CONTRACT: BULK PURCHASE OF SPORTS LIGHTING FOR DISTRICT STADIUMS AND FIELDS; (17) CONTRACT: ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING (ERP) IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES; (18) CONTRACT: TITLE ONE PROCUREMENTS OF $50,000 OR MORE; (19) TURF INFILL.

**CALL TO ORDER:**
THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MET AT STEVENSON ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2016. CHAIRWOMAN HARRIS CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:00 P.M.

**PRESENT:**
CHAIRWOMAN CHERYL HARRIS, MR. VINCE FORD, MRS. PAMELA ADAMS, MRS. BEATRICE KING, MR. AARON BISHOP, MR. JAMIE DEVINE.
DWAYNE SMILING NOT PRESENT FOR TONIGHT’S MEETING.

INVOCATION: REVEREND AARON BISHOP OF GRACE CHRISTIAN CHURCH, GAVE THE INVOCATION.


SHE STATED THAT THE AGENDA WILL BE RE-ARRANGED TO TAKE THE OFFICE OF OPERATIONS CONTRACTS PRIOR TO ACADEMIC SPOTLIGHT, WHICH WILL BE A LENGTHY DISCUSSION.

MOTION: MRS. KING MOVED FOR APPROVAL AND WAS SECONDED BY MRS. ADAMS.

VOTE: IN FAVOR: UNANIMOUS (6-0)

SCHOOL BOARD MR. FORD GAVE THE SCHOOL BOARD SPOTLIGHT: SPOTLIGHT FOR THE OCTOBER 11, 2016 MEETING. (SEE ATTACHMENT FOR DETAILED INFORMATION)

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: NONE.
CONSENT AGENDA: MINUTES

MOTION: MRS. KING MOVED FOR APPROVAL AND WAS SECONDED BY MR. DEVINE.

VOTE: IN FAVOR: UNANIMOUS (6-0)

OFFICE OF THE BOARD REPORT

CHAIRWOMAN HARRIS STATED THAT THE BOARD HAS BEEN VERY INVOLVED IN CHAT WITH THE CHAIR INITIATIVE WHICH TAKES PLACE IN OUR MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOLS.

MRS. ADAMS EXPRESSED GRATITUDE TO HER COLLEAGUES AND MRS. WILSON FOR GOING ALONG WITH PUTTING THE COMMITTEE SIDE DOCUMENTS INTO THE DISTRICT’S BOARD DOCS SYSTEM.

CHAIRWOMAN HARRIS EXPRESSED EMOTIONAL GRATITUDE AND SALUTED HER COLLEAGUES AND THE DISTRICT FOR ALWAYS BEING THERE IN TIMES OF CRISIS.

MR. DEVINE AND MR. BISHOP APPLAUDED CHAIRWOMAN HARRIS FOR HER LEADERSHIP.

NOMINATION FOR REGION 8 DIRECTOR FOR SCSBA

MOTION: MR. FORD NOMINATED MR. JAMIE DEVINE FOR REGION 8 DIRECTOR AND WAS SECONDED BY
MR. BISHOP.

**VOTE IN FAVOR: UNANIMOUS (6-0)**

MR. FORD NOTED THAT IF THERE IS OPPOSITION OR COMPETITION AT THE STATE MEETING THE BOARD IS PREPARED TO VOTE, IF NECESSARY.

**PERSONNEL MATTER**

CHAIRWOMAN HARRIS STATED A PERSONNEL MATTER WAS DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION. THIS IS AN INFORMATION ITEM.

**OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

**SUPERINTENDENT:**

DR. WITHERSPOON STATED JASON HURDIC, WHO IS A CERTIFIED DEAF INTERPRETER, BECAME A FAMILIAR FACE TO SOUTH CAROLINIANS THROUGH HIS PARTICIPATION IN THE PRESS CONFERENCES AND BRIEFINGS THAT WERE HELD BY GOVERNOR NIKKI HALEY LEADING UP TO AND DURING HURRICANE MATTHEW.

HE REPORTED THAT THIS MORNING (OCTOBER 11), MR. HURDIC VISITED WITH STUDENTS IN THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING PROGRAM AT BRENNEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. THE STUDENTS WERE USING AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE TO DESCRIBE WHAT NOT TO DO DURING STORMS,
SUCH AS AVOIDING FLOODED AREAS AND FALLEN TREES. WE THANK MR. HURDICH FOR TAKING TIME OUT OF HIS BUSY SCHEDULE TO VISIT STUDENTS AT BRENNEN.

DR. WITHERSPOON REPORTED THAT THIS WEEK (OCTOBER 10-14, 2016) IS NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH WEEK. THE THEME FOR THIS YEAR’S OBSERVANCE IS “SHOW YOUR SPIRIT” WHICH REMINDS STUDENTS, PARENTS AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS THAT A HEALTHY LUNCH HELPS STUDENTS POWER THROUGH THE DAY. HE THANKED TRACY DIXON AND THE ENTIRE STUDENT NUTRITION SERVICES TEAM FOR THE WORK THEY DO EVERY DAY, AND IN TIMES OF CRISIS, TO ENSURE THAT OUR STUDENTS GET HEALTHY AND NUTRITIOUS MEALS.

IN RICHLAND ONE, ALL OF OUR STUDENTS CAN EAT SCHOOL MEALS AT NO COST TO THEM OR THEIR FAMILIES THROUGH THE DISTRICT’S PARTICIPATION IN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE’S COMMUNITY ELIGIBILITY PROVISION PROGRAM.

DR. WITHERSPOON REPORTED THAT YESTERDAY (OCTOBER 10), WE KICKED OFF OUR 2016 UNITED
WAY EMPLOYEE GIVING CAMPAIGN. LAST YEAR, RICHLAND ONE EMPLOYEES CONTRIBUTED MORE THAN $112,000 TO THE UNITED WAY OF THE MIDLANDS. IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THAT THE DISTRICT’S CAMPAIGN TOPPED THE $100,000 MARK. THIS YEAR, WE HAVE SET OUR CAMPAIGN GOAL AT $118,000 AND WE ARE AIMING FOR 100 PERCENT EMPLOYEE PARTICIPATION AS WE ALWAYS DO. HE ASKED THAT ALL OF OUR EMPLOYEES CONSIDER MAKING A CONTRIBUTION THROUGH THE CAMPAIGN TO HELP THE UNITED WAY OF THE MIDLANDS CONTINUE TO PROVIDE MUCH-NEEDED PROGRAMS AND SERVICES IN THE COMMUNITY, INCLUDING MANY THAT BENEFIT RICHLAND ONE STUDENTS AND FAMILIES.

DR. WITHERSPOON REPORTED THAT FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN DIRECTOR FOR YOUR SCHOOL OR DEPARTMENT, OR GO TO WWW.UWAY.ORG.

DR. WITHERSPOON REPORTED THAT LAST MONDAY (OCTOBER 3), WE HELD A NEWS CONFERENCE TO ANNOUNCE THE SIX PERSONS WHO WILL BE INDUCTED INTO THE RICHLAND ONE HALL OF FAME.
IN JANUARY. THIS YEAR’S HONOREES ARE: MR. BILL DUKES; DR. BENJAMIN DUNLAP; MR. DON FIERSON; MR. THOMAS SINKLER MARTIN (POSTHUMOUSLY); MR. CRAIG MELVIN AND DR. RONALD RHAMES. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THE INDUCTION CLASS MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES. HE ADDED THAT OUR HALL OF FAME INDUCTION GALA WILL BE HELD THE EVENING OF SATURDAY, JANUARY 28 AT THE COLUMBIA METROPOLITAN CONVENTION CENTER. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE GALA WILL BE SHARED IN THE COMING WEEKS.

DR. WITHERSPOON REMINDED ALL RICHLAND ONE PARENTS TO COMPLETE THE ONLINE PARENT SATISFACTION SURVEY. THE INPUT AND FEEDBACK PROVIDED BY PARENTS THROUGH THE SURVEY WILL HELP THE DISTRICT SET REALISTIC AND MEASURABLE GOALS FOR CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT. THE SURVEY RESULTS WILL BE SHARED, ALONG WITH OUR PLANS TO ADDRESS AREAS CITED AS NEEDING IMPROVEMENT. THE PARENT SATISFACTION SURVEY WILL BE OPEN THROUGH OCTOBER 25. THE SURVEY LINK IS
POSTED ON THE HOME PAGE OF OUR WEBSITE (WWW.RICHLANDONE.ORG) AND ON ALL OUR SCHOOL WEB PAGES. PARENTS WHO PREFER TO COMPLETE A PAPER SURVEY INSTEAD OF THE ONLINE SURVEY CAN OBTAIN A PAPER SURVEY FROM THE FRONT OFFICE AT THEIR CHILD’S SCHOOL.

DR. WITHERSPOON EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR SCE&G AND TRI COUNTY’S WORK FOR GETTING SCHOOLS BACK UP AND FOR THE WORK WITH THE POWERLINES AND TREES; COMMENDED MAINTENANCE STAFF FOR PREPARING FOR BOTH BEFORE AND AFTER THE STORM; FOR THE TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT DOING A FANTASTIC JOB MAPPING OUT ROUTES THAT HAD TO BE CHANGED.

DR. WITHERSPOON ADDED THAT THE MONDAY MORNING (OCTOBER 10) DELAY WAS FOR THE NAVIGATION OF THE ROADS. HE ADDED THAT WITH REGARD TO MAKE-UP DAYS, WE DO HAVE DAYS BUILT INTO THE CALENDAR. WE WILL GET MORE INFORMATION OUT. HE ADDED THAT WE ARE
WAITING FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE GOVERNOR’S OFFICE.

HE ADDED THAT THERE ARE STILL PARENTS WHO ARE STILL WAITING TO GET BACK POWER, WE WILL WORK WITH THOSE PARENTS AND STUDENTS TO GETTING BACK TO NORMALCY AND THE ROUTINES. COMMENDED SUPPORT STAFF FOR STEPPING UP DURING EMERGENCIES AND CRISIS.

LEGAL STATUS

ATTORNEY WILLIAMS STATED INFORMATION WAS PRESENTED DURING EXECUTIVE SESSION ON THE STATUS OF LEGAL MATTERS IN THE DISTRICT.

RECEIPT OF LEGAL ADVICE: ADMINISTRATIVE STREET CLOSING

MR. PERKINS STATED THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CONSIDER AND APPROVE TO ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSE A PORTION OF PRINCETON STREET LOCATED ON DREHER SITE.

MOTION:

MR. BISHOP MOVED FOR APPROVAL AND WAS SECONDED BY MRS. ADAMS.

DISCUSSION:

MRS. ADAMS STATED FOR CLARIFICATION: THIS IS CURRENTLY THE DRIVEWAY AT DREHER THAT IS
BETWEEN THE AUDITORIUM, CAFETERIA ENTRANCE AND THE PARKING LOT.

MR. PERKINS RESPONDED YES, THIS IS THE AREA THAT IS USED FOR THE BUSES.

VOTE: IN FAVOR: UNANIMOUS (6-0)

OFFICE OF PERSONNEL/HR UPDATES

HUMAN RESOURCES:

DR. SAVAGE-COUSAR STATED PERSONNEL CONCERNS WERE PRESENTED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION AS INFORMATION.

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENT

DR. SAVAGE-COUSAR STATED THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS THE APPOINTMENT OF MS. APRIL WELLS FOR THE POSITION OF TITLE ONE CONSULTANT. MS. WELLS IS CURRENTLY A TEACHER AT BURTON PACK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. THE RECOMMENDATION IS PENDING HER SUCCESSFUL REPLACEMENT.

MOTION:

MR. DEVINE MOVED FOR APPROVAL AND WAS SECONDED BY MRS. ADAMS.

VOTE: IN FAVOR: CHR. HARRIS, MR. FORD, MRS. ADAMS, MR. DEVINE, MR. BISHOP

IN OPPOSITION: MRS. KING (5-1)
DISCUSSION: FOR THE RECORD, MRS. KING STATED THIS PERSON IS SO VALUABLE IN THE CLASSROOM AND WE ARE ALREADY NINE WEEKS INTO THE SCHOOL YEAR. OUR APPROACH IS TO DO WHAT IS BEST FOR OUR CHILDREN; I DO THINK IT NOT BEST TO TAKE ONE OF OUR BEST TEACHERS AFTER NINE WEEKS INTO SCHOOL YEAR FROM AN AREA THAT IS CRITICAL, WHICH IS SPECIAL EDUCATION. I AM IN FULL SUPPORT OF PROMOTIONS.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

DR. SAVAGE-COUSRAR STATED THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF THE LEAVE OF ABSENCE AS PRESENTED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR MEDICAL REASONS.

MOTION:

MR. DEVINE MOVED FOR APPROVAL AND WAS SECONDED BY MRS. ADAMS.

VOTE: IN FAVOR: UNANIMOUS (6-0)

HIRING OF PERSONNEL

DR. SAVAGE-COUSRAR STATED THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS THE FOUR CANDIDATES AS PRESENTED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION AS TEACHERS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS SCHOOL YEAR.
MOTION: MRS. ADAMS MOVED FOR APPROVAL AND WAS SECONDED BY MR. DEVINE.

VOTE: IN FAVOR: UNANIMOUS (6-0)

NEW FLSA OVERTIME RULES UPDATE

MS. THOMPSON PRESENTED A POWERPOINT ON THE NEW FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT OVERTIME RULES AND THE RECENT CHANGES IN THE FEDERAL LEGISLATION.

OFFICE OF OPERATIONS: MR. HARDISON STATED THE ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING CONTRACTS:

CONTRACT: NEW YORK CITY LEADERSHIP ACADEMY SERIES

CONTRACT: FOR RICHLAND ONE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS

CONTRACT: PROFESSIONAL ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR MEMORIAL STADIUM

CONTRACT: BULK PURCHASE OF SPORTS LIGHTING FOR DISTRICT STADIUMS AND FIELDS

CONTRACT: ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING (ERP) IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT MANAGEMENT SERVICES
CONTRACT: TITLE 1 PROCUREMENTS OF $50,000 OR MORE

MOTION:
MR. DEVINE MOVED FOR APPROVAL AND WAS SECONDED BY MRS. ADAMS.

MRS. ADAMS REFERENCING PROFESSIONAL ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES FOR MEMORIAL STADIUM, SHE ASKED WHOSE “HOME FIELD” WILL MEMORIAL BE?

MR. PERKINS RESPONDED THE PLAN FOR MEMORIAL WILL BE SHARED BY BOTH A.C. FLORA AND DREHER HIGH SCHOOL.

MRS. ADAMS STATED WHEN SHE LOOKED AT THE EVALUATION TEAM, NO ONE FROM EITHER OF THOSE SCHOOLS WAS PART OF THAT EVALUATION TEAM. SHE ASKED IS THAT SOMETHING THAT SHOULD HAPPEN FROM A PROCUREMENT STANDPOINT. SHE STATED MY QUESTION IS WHY WASN’T SOMEONE FROM DREHER OR FLORA ON THAT SELECTION TEAM WHEN IT’S THEIR STADIUM?

MR. PERKINS RESPONDED WE TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO GO AHEAD AND DO THAT AND ACCELERATE THE TIME.
MRS. ADAMS STATED REFERENCING TITLE ONE PROCUREMENT, THANK YOU FOR THIS LIST OF ITEMS THAT WERE $50,000 OR MORE. SHE STATED THE PROCESS IS ALWAYS BEFORE THE DEADLINE OR YOU GET AN EXTENSION FOR THE DEADLINE, YOU HAVE AN ALLOTMENT FROM THE STATE THAT STATES THAT YOU HAVE $12 MILLION DOLLARS FOR TITLE ONE. YOU CAN SPEND THAT MONEY AND AS YOU SPEND THAT MONEY AND YOU RECEIVE THOSE GOODS THEN YOU WILL APPLY FOR REIMBURSEMENT. THAT’S ALWAYS THE TITLE ONE PROCESS; IS THAT CORRECT?

MR. CANDILLO STATED THAT IS THE PROCESS.

MRS. ADAMS ASKED DID ANY OF OUR SCHOOLS HAVE A $50,000 ITEM?

MR. CANDILLO RESPONDED WITHIN THOSE PURCHASES.

MRS. ADAMS ASKED WERE SOME OF THOSE PURCHASES FOR SCHOOLS?

MR. HARDISON RESPONDED THEY WENT TO SCHOOLS.

MRS. ADAMS ASKED DO THE SCHOOLS ALSO HAVE SOME ALLOTMENT TO SPEND THIS FALL? DID ANY
OF THE SCHOOLS HAVE A PURCHASE ORDER OVER $50,000?

MR. HARDISON RESPONDED NO.

MRS. ADAMS ASKED FROM PROCUREMENT, IF A SCHOOL HAS A PURCHASE OVER $50,000, WOULD PURCHASE HAVE TO COME IN FRONT OF THE BOARD?

MR. HARDISON RESPONDED YES. PER THE STATE, ANY CONTRACT PURCHASE ORDER OVER $50,000 MUST COME BEFORE THE BOARD FOR APPROVAL.

MRS. ADAMS ASKED DID OUR SCHOOLS MEET THE EXTENDED DEADLINE?

MR. CANDILLO RESPONDED AS A HOLD, YES, WE DID. ALTOGETHER, THE CARRYOVER THAT WE WERE ALLOWED, THAT WAS AS A WHOLE FOR THE ENTIRE DISTRICT POT OF MONEY.

MRS. KING ASKED REGARDING TITLE ONE, WHEN ARE WE SUBMITTING A CLAIM?

MRS. MATHEWS-HAZEL RESPONDED ALL CLAIMS WILL BE SUBMITTED THURSDAY (OCTOBER 13). WE EXPECT TO SPEND A HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE FUNDS.
MRS. KING ASKED IS THIS SEVERAL CLAIMS OR ONE?

MRS. MATHEWS-HAZEL RESPONDED SEVERAL CLAIMS. WE WILL SUBMIT ONE CLAIM AFTER THE BOARD’S APPROVAL TONIGHT TO APROVE THE $3.4 MILLION AND THEN THE BALANCE WE WILL SUBMIT EITHER WEDNESDAY (OCTOBER 12) OR THURSDAY (OCTOBER 13) MORNING. THAT WILL BE ONE HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE FUNDS.

VOTE: IN FAVOR: UNANIMOUS (6-0)

CHAIRWOMAN HARRIS STATED I HAVE TO LEAVE AT THIS TIME. THE REMAINDER OF THE MEETING IS RELINQUISHED TO OUR VICE CHAIRMAN, COMMISSIONER FORD.

TURF INFILL

MR. PERKINS PROVIDED UPDATE ON THE INFILL THAT IS BEING USED FOR THE DISTRICT’S TURF.

OFFICE OF ACADEMICS: 2015-2016 SAT/ACT/AP/IB TEST SCORES

DR. COLEMAN PROVIDED FIRST SERIES OF THREE ASSESSMENTS THROUGH A POWERPOINT PRESENTATION HIGHLIGHTING THE FOLLOWING AREAS:
SENIOR ACT, WHICH IS DESIGNED TO ASSESS HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GENERAL EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT AND TO ASSESS WHETHER OR NOT THEY ARE READY TO COMPLETE COLLEGE LEVEL WORK. COVERS FOUR AREAS: ENGLISH, MATH, READING AND SCIENCE; POSSIBLE SCORE OF 36 ON ACT. COST $54.50 (WAIVERS)

POINT OF CLARIFICATION: DISCUSSION TONIGHT

ACT SENIOR DATA 2016:

ACT SENIOR-NUMBER TESTED

ACT SENIOR-2016 AVERAGE SCORE (CHANGE FROM 2015)

ACT SENIOR SUBGROUP: AFRICAN-AMERICAN AND WHITE STUDENTS

WHAT IS SAT (TOTAL SCORE 2400)

COST $52.50 (WAIVER)

SAT 2015 VS. 2016 (RICHLAND ONE V. STATE)

SAT-NUMBER TESTED (RICHLAND ONE V. STATE)

SUBGROUPS

ADVANCE PLACEMENT COURSES (9-12)

COST 91.00 PER EXAM

RICHLAND ONE NUMBER OF STUDENTS TAKING ONE OR MORE AP EXAMS
PERCENT OF PASSING AP EXAMS

AP 2016 AVERAGE SCORE (CHANGE FROM 2015)

AP PASSING SCORE BY SUBGROUP RICHLAND ONE

V. STATE

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE 2016 (IB)

NUMBER OF STUDENTS TAKING IB EXAMS (329 TAKEN)

PERCENT OF EXAMS PASSED (73 PERCENT)

NUMBER OF IB DIPLOMAS AWARDED

MR. FORD ASKED IS IT POSSIBLE TO BREAK DOWN CORE COURSES FOR SAT STUDENTS WHO HAVE TAKEN THE REQUISITE COURSES THAT WILL LEAD THEM TOWARD TAKING THE SAT AS COMPARED TO STUDENTS, FOR EXAMPLE: A STUDENT HIS/HER SENIOR YEAR DECIDES BECAUSE OF ATHLETICS THAT THEY WANT TO TAKE THE SAT AND MAY NOT HAVE TAKEN THE REQUISITE COURSES?

DR. COLEMAN RESPONDED IT’S ACTUALLY A REPORT THAT COMES PARTICULARLY WITH THE SAT SCORES. THEY WILL SHOW YOU IF A STUDENT HAD FOUR MATH BEFORE THEY TOOK IT, OR IF THEY HAD THREE MATH, WHAT WERE THEIR SCORES. IT’S ACTUALLY WHAT WE WOULD
ANTICIPATE. THE MORE OF THOSE CORE MATH
THAT A STUDENT GETS IN PRIOR TO TAKING – OR
MORE OF THE CORE ENGLISH THAT STUDENTS
TAKE BEFORE TAKING THOSE EXAMS, THE HIGHER
THEIR SCORE.

MR. FORD REQUESTED THE DATA.

DR. COLEMAN STATED WE CAN PULL THAT. I WILL
MAKE A NOTE.

MRS. KING REQUESTED THE COMPARISON OF IB
DATA NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY.

DR. COLEMAN RESPONDED WE WILL PROVIDE IT
ONCE WE GET IT.

MRS. KING STATED SHE WOULD BE INTERESTED IN
HAVING PART OF THIS PRESENTATION BECAUSE
NOW WE HAVE MORE AGREEMENT WITH
SURROUNDING COLLEGES ON DUAL CREDIT
COURSES, TO HAVE THOSE NUMBERS AS WELL.

DR. COLEMAN STATED WE WILL GET THE
INFORMATION ON DUAL CREDIT ENROLLMENT FOR
YOU.

MR. BISHOP RECOGNIZED HIS HIGH SCHOOL
TEACHER WHO IS PRESENT, REVEREND DR.
CANNON, AND A MAN WHO POINTED HIM IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

VICE CHAIRMAN FORD ADJOURNED THE MEETING AT 9:00 P.M.

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STENOGRAPHER  CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

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CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS  SECRETARY/TREASURER, BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS