



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LEE COUNTY

District Advisory Council

May 9, 2007

Mission Statement: The District Advisory Council in cooperation with the Lee County School Board will gather information and seek input from the schools and the community at large in an effort to advise the Board and develop recommendations for constant improvement of our educational system.

Call to Order/Minutes

Ms. Donna Butts welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m., after the refreshment/social time in the Snack Bar.

Ms. Carrie Chase-Robideaux made the motion that the minutes of the April 18, 2007 DAC Meeting be accepted as presented. The motion carried.

Public Comment (Agenda Items)

None

Board Member Update

Dr. Elinor Scricca shared upcoming District events.

Breakout Group Discussions

Ms. Butts asked that subcommittees try to wrap up their topics, so that she can carry their recommendations back to the Board on June 19th.

Mr. Richard Shafer, Ms. Cathy Reese, and Ms. Karen Lepore will meet with the Elementary Subcommittee to answer questions regarding cumulative folders.

Breakout Group Reports

Breakout group reports are on file.

Public Comment (Non-Agenda Items)

None

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Ms. Butts noted the handout "2007-08 Meeting Dates for District Advisory Council (DAC) and Executive Committee for DAC."

Adjournment

Ms. Christina Chuderski made the motion to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Thanks to the following schools for representation at this DAC meeting:

Elementary Schools: Allen Park, Alva, Buckingham ESC, Cape, Edgewood, Edison Park, Fort Myers Beach, Franklin Park, Gateway, Gulf, Hancock Creek, Harns Marsh, Hector A. Cafferata, Jr., Heights, Lehigh, Littleton, Mirror Lakes, Orange

River, Pelican, Pine Island, Pinewoods, Rayma C. Page, River Hall, San Carlos Park, Tanglewood/Riverside, Tropic Isles. **Middle Schools:** Alva, Caloosa, Dunbar, Gulf, Lee, Michigan International, Varsity Lakes, Veterans Park Academy for the Arts. **High Schools:** ALC-West, Cape Coral, Cypress Lake, Dunbar, East Lee County, Ft. Myers, High Tech Central, Ida S. Baker, Mariner, N. Ft. Myers, South Ft. Myers High. **Board Appointees:** Donna Butts, Patti Lochner, Dieter Philippi, Rocio Restrepo, Nannette Smith, JoeAnne Thomas-Joseph, Karen Wood. **Staff Liaison:** Mike McNerney. **Guests:** Richard Shafer, Cathy Reese, Karen Lepore.

Schools not represented at this DAC meeting were:

Elementary Schools: Bayshore, Bonita Springs, Caloosa, Colonial, Diplomat, J. Colin English, Orangewood, Ray V. Pottorf, Sanibel (excused), Skyline, Spring Creek, Sunshine, Three Oaks, Tice, Trafalgar (excused), Villas. **Middle Schools:** Bonita Springs (excused), Challenger, Cypress Lake, Diplomat, Fort Myers, Lehigh, Lexington, Mariner, N. Ft. Myers Academy, Royal Palm Exceptional, Three Oaks, Trafalgar. **High Schools:** ALC Central/LAMP/Academy High, Estero (excused), High Tech North, Lehigh Senior, Riverdale, Juvenile Justice Sites.

The next meeting of the District Advisory Council has been scheduled for: Wednesday, September 19, 2007 at 6:00 p.m. in the School Board Meeting Room, Lee County Public Education Center, 2855 Colonial Blvd., Ft. Myers, Florida.

Susan M. Johnson
Recording Secretary