

## LANGSTON SCHOOL BOARD

Meeting notes | 4.12.2022

#### **MEETING AGENDA & NOTES**

Micah Valentine Brian McKay Elizabeth Driscoll Allison Farr Miranda Horton Terri Kittel Present Stephanie Byrd Sam Sims Rob Venable David Wooten Daniel Lumm Berra Byrd (late arrival) Lienne Medford Absent Linda Melcher Suzanne Turner

# MEETING NOTES

Meeting began at 6:05

#### **MOTION: APPROVE AGENDA**

- Motion by Micah
- Seconded by Brian
- Approved

### MOTION: APPROVE PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

- Motion by Micah
- Seconded by Brian
- Approved

Motion: Enter Executive Session at 6:08

- · Motion by Micah
- Seconded by Stephanie
- Approved

Motion: Close executive session at 6:18

· Motion by Micah

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- Seconded by Brian
- Approved

#### **REPORTS**

- David Wooten, Principal
  - Completed active shooter training for faculty with Proactive Response
    - Fox News came to highlight Proactive Response
  - o Received information earlier this month that the state will raise minimum teacher base pay
    - Greenville County and Langston teacher pay is already higher than state minimum
    - Greenville County is determining if it will raise base pay and if it does, Langston will work to remain comparable
    - Faculty health benefit premiums are increasing
  - Making professional development plans for next year including Clemson program
  - Spring break Costa Rica trip was great
  - Preparing for June DC trip
  - Have 3 self-nominations for available board positions
  - o Plans for Charger Day for next year's 6th graders are moving forward
  - Annual meeting is May 12, 2022
- Lienne Medford
  - No report
- Daniel Lumm
  - No report
- Sam Sims
  - Moving forward with backyard project
    - Budget for entire project is approximately \$460,000
    - Considering budget if the project is phased instead but recommending it is all completed this summer
    - Will communicate via email once final plans are in place
    - Langston Foundation will be presented with budget
  - Will have unplanned expense for pest control
- Stephanie Byrd
  - Budget update
  - Will have email vote after May board meeting for 2022-23 budget approval
- Micah Valentine
  - Micah will be exiting board in June
  - Brian McKay will be appointed as next board chair effective after June dinner

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

None

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

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None

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

## **MOTION: ADJOURN MEETING**

- Motion made by Micah
- Seconded by Teri
- Approved

Meeting ended at 6:50PM

## **NEXT MEETING**

May 10, 2022 at 6:00 pm