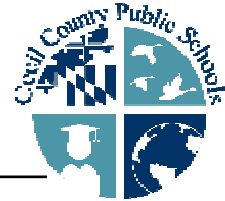


Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting Notes

October 19, 2021



Board members/committee co-chairs Christie Stephens and Dianne Heath opened the meeting by welcoming all CAC members and meeting attendees; thanked Dr. Lawson and all who helped with meeting logistics; provided a brief overview of the agenda; and welcomed the following leadership team members:

- Dr. Jeffrey Lawson, Superintendent
- Dr. Joseph Buckley, Associate Superintendent for Administrative Services
- Dr. Carolyn Tieglund, Associate Superintendent for Education Services

There were 21 total attendees, including 18 CAC members.

- Dr. Lawson presented an updated Covid-19 Q&A. He reviewed current statistics including positive case numbers, student and staff quarantine numbers.
- Ms. Stephens and Ms. Heath then opened the floor for questions and discussion. Topics discussed included the following: student and teacher mental health and supports; teacher burnout; and the challenges when students are quarantined without synchronous learning.
- Dr. Tieglund presented "Literacy Now," a new series of adjustments to improve grade level performance in literacy and mathematics. These changes include changes to grading and reporting, instructional time allocations, instructional materials, and teacher planning.
- Ms. Stephens solicited help from the CAC members to identify potential candidates for the Curriculum Committee. Interested persons should email Liz Orr at lorr@ccps.org.
- Ms. Stephens and Ms. Heath asked the CAC members to email any potential topics of discussion to clstephens@ccps.org or dlheath@ccps.org

Adjournment

Ms. Heath and Ms. Stephens thanked CCPS staff members for providing information/answers, and all CAC members and meeting participants for their thoughtful comments and questions. Information regarding the next meeting, scheduled for November 16, 2021, will be sent to CAC members via email.

- Upcoming meeting dates: November 16, January 18, March 15, May 10