MEETING AGENDA

with time ( ) and *action expected*

School Improvement Council
Edith L. Frierson Elementary, virtual Zoom Meeting
Wednesday, November 29, 2023
5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

1. Welcome & Introductions – Members and Guests (5)

2. Appreciation of Outgoing Members (2)

3. Election of New SIC officers for current year (5)

4. Schedule and location for regular SIC meetings for current year (3)

5. Reminder of "SIC Basics" trainings and resources sc-sic.org (2)
   a. Distribution of School SIC Bylaws, 5-yr School Renewal Plan, & SIC Handbook

6. Principal's Report (10)
   a. School Report Card Overview-recap

7. Update on status of SIC goals and activities from previous year (5)
   a. Gymnatorium
   b. Historical marker

8. Committee Reports
   a. Garden Committee – Hope Ivanova (5)
      i. *Information:* Green Heart, Clemson progress
   b. Tennis – TBD, interim Nicole Grogan (5)
      i. *Information:* participation update, transportation
   c. Salt Marsh Education, Restoration, & Recreation – Taylor Bensinger (5)
      i. *Information:* program update

9. Public Comment (5)
   a. Trailers
   b. Proposed new committee – mentoring

10. Announcements (3)
11. Review assignments and agenda for next meeting (5)
12. Adjourn

Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 9, 2024, 5:00 to 6:00p.m., Zoom Meeting

SIC Training (11/09/2023) slide from presentation by Tom F Hudson w/ CCSD Maggie Dangerfield [South Carolina School Improvement Council (sc-sic.org)]

What Are SICs Intended To Do?

1. **Provide input and feedback on school strategic improvement plans and updates**
2. **Assist the school in implementing various improvement activities**
3. **Monitor and report on school progress toward improvement goals**

"Civic Engagement at Work for Public Education"

SICs and the Five-Year Plan

Describes school needs and strengths in three areas	➢ Academic Achievement ➢ Teacher/Administrator Quality ➢ School Climate
Identifies areas of focus and goals for each	➢ SIC selects focus area from Plan ➢ May choose a related focus area
Provides an "Action Plan" of activities for achieving those goals	➢ SIC can help with Plan activities ➢ May chose additional activities