



School Improvement Council

Meeting Agenda

Location: Via Zoom

Date: Tuesday, September 17, 2024 **Time:** 6:00 PM

I. Call to order

- The first SIC meeting of the 2024-2025 school year was called to order at 6:02 PM – motion by Arriel Young, seconded by Andrea Murray; unanimously passed.
- Present were Elandee Thompson, Andrea Murray, Arriel Young, Rhakeem Brown, Shelisa Benson, Marcus Dupree, Amanda Williams, Deanna Mansker, Carmalita Lawton, Shavon Jenkins, Tiffany Reynolds, Amy Trask, Jessica Chalco, Ms. Lorenzo, Kayla Felix, Kiawah Jacobs, Annie Powell, Cynthia Goethe, Margaret's Hiner, Debbielyn Worgs-Dixon, Christina Roberts, Carl McCleod, Charlotte Lawrence, and Aaron John

II. Review/Approve Minutes

- The minutes of the May 2024 meeting were reviewed and unanimously approved for acceptance.

III. Principal's Report – Dr. Thompson

- Dr. Thompson delivered the monthly principal's report. Celebrations included recognition of our current student of the month, A. Backus, fall sports successes and our school's meaningful observance of 9/11.
- Dr. Thompson reviewed school safety upgrades, discussed the current challenges faced due to community rumors, reviewed the StopIt reporting app for families, and discussed updated event safety protocols.
- Ongoing Construction projects were reviewed, to include work being done on the media center.

IV. Open issues/New Business

- a) Renaming Media Center
 - Dr. Thompson and Mrs. Trask presented a proposal to the SIC that would allow the school to rename the

newly updated media center after Beaufort Middle School's inaugural principal, Carole T. Ingram. **Motion passed unanimously.** Next steps include taking the proposal to the school board.

- b) Officers
 - o Currently, BMS SIC has a full slate of officers for the 2024-2025 school year with the exception of a secretary.
- c) Title I Planning – presentation and discussion
 - o Dr. Thompson presented the annual Title I Planning presentation to all, discussed the work of this year's allocation and answered questions.
- d) School Renewal Plan
 - o Dr. Thompson presented the updated school renewal plan for the 2024-2029 cycle. In addition, an updated Mission and Vision were also shared.

V. Announcements

- a) Next SIC Meeting October 15, and will include the Fall Arts Steering Committee.

VI. Adjournment

- The meeting adjourned at 7:04 PM.