Metropolitan Nashville Public Schools Board of Education Regular Meeting Minutes

Minutes August 9, 2016

TOPIC	DISCUSSION/MOTION	FOLLOW-UP/OUTCOME				
Roll Call	Present: Dr. Jo Ann Brannon					
	Amy Frogge					
	Tyese Hunter					
	Dr. Sharon Gentry, Chair					
	Elissa Kim					
	Mary Pierce					
	Will Pinkston					
	Anna Shepherd, Vice-Chair					
	Jill Speering					
	Shawn Joseph, Director of Schools					
	Dr. Gentry called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.					
Pledge of Allegiance	Led by Mayor Megan Barry.					
Proclamation for Chris Henson	Mayor Barry presented a Proclamation for Chris Henson.					
	AWARDS AND RECOGNTIONS					
Sandy Irwin – Bellevue Middle Prep -	The Board and Dr. Joseph presented Ms. Irwin with a Certificate of					
State-wide Finalist for Teacher of the Year	Appreciation for being a State-wide Finalist for the Teacher of the Year					
Award	Award.					
School Opening Successes	The Board and Dr. Joseph thanked members of the Maintenance and					
	Construction departments for their hard work in opening schools for the					
2016-17 school year. AND THE GOOD NEW IS						
Hume-Fogg Magnet High School	The Hume-Fogg Academic Jazz Combo performed before the start of the					
	meeting.					
	PUBLIC PARTICIPATION					
Kathryn Bennett – Hillwood High School –	Ms. Bennett addressed the Board concerning Hillwood High School. She					
Rebuild or Move	asked the Board to rebuild Hillwood High School at its current site.					
Teena Cohen – Future Site of Hillwood	Ms. Cohen addressed the Board concerning the Future Site of Hillwood. She					
High School	asked the Board to keep Hillwood at its current location.					
Tom Baker – Hillwood High School	Mr. Baker addressed the Board concerning Hillwood High School. He asked					
Analysis of School Location	the Board to keep Hillwood High School at its current location.					
Judge Rachel Bell – Alive at 25	Judge Bell addressed the Board concerning Alive at 25. Judge Bell asked					
	the Board to support the Alive at 25 initiative.					
T.C. Weber – School Board	Mr. Weber congratulated the newly elected and re-elected Board Members.					
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	• Consent Agenda Ms. Shepherd read the following consent agenda: V-A-1-a- Recommended						
-	Consent Agenda						
		Award of Contract for Architectural Services for Pennington Elementary School Renovations - Melvin Gill & Associates Architects; V-A-1-b-					
		Recommended Award of Contract for Architectural Services for Antioch					
		High School Additions - Johnson Johnson Crabtree Architects PLLC; V-					
		A-1-c- Awarding of Purchases and Contracts (1) Alignment Nashville, (2)					
		American Paper & Twine Co., (3) Business Systems & Consultants, Inc.,					
		(4) CDW Government, Inc., (5) Centerstone of Tennessee, (6)					
		Distinguished Professionals Educational Institute (DPEI), (7) East Penn					
		Manufacturing Co., (8) Educational Based Services, (9) Hearing Bridges,					
		(10) Institutional Wholesale Co., Inc., (11) Knowledge Academies, Inc.,					
		(12) LEAD Public Schools, (13) New Vision Academy, Inc., (14) STEM					
		Preparatory Academy, (15) Studies Weekly, (16) Vanderbilt University;					
		V-A-1-d- Approval of Textbook for Automotive Diesel Technology					
		Course: Diesel Technology, 8th Edition; V-A-1e- Compulsory Attendance Waivers.					
		waivers.					
		Ms. Shepherd made the motion to approve the consent agenda as read.					
		VOTE: 9-0 – Unanimous					
•	Charter Application Resubmissions	Mr. Pinkston seconded. Mr. Queen and Ms. Swann presented the Charter Application Resubmissions					
Charter ripphearion resummissions		to the Board.					
The Charter F		The Charter Review Committee recommended that the Board deny the					
		Rocketship Freshstart Amended Charter Application.					
		Ms. Shepherd made a motion to deny the Rocketship Freshstart Amended					
		Charter Application based upon the recommendation of the committee.	TYO THE 0.1 (TT)				
		Dr. Brannon seconded.	VOTE: 8-1 – (Hunter – no)				
	The Charter Review Committee recommended that the Board deny the						
		Rocketship Conversion Amended Charter Application.					
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Ms. Shepherd made a motion to deny the Rocketship Conversion Amended Charter Application based upon the recommendation of the committee. Dr. Brannon seconded REPORTS Mr. Henson and staff presented a Back to School Report to the Board.	VOTE: 8-1 – (Hunter – no)
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McGavock High School on August 11 th , at Overton High School on August 12 th , and Stratford High School on August 13 th .	
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Ms. Speering announced that she attended the Ribbon Cutting at	
Goodlettsville Middle Prep.	
Ms. Shepherd welcomed all of the new principals to the district, especially	
those new to District 4.	
Ms. Shepherd announced that a second Listen and Learn session would be	
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on August 17 th at 6:00 p.m. at Rose Park Middle Magnet Prep.	
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	WRITTEN INFORMATION TO THE BOARD									
•	Naming of Parts of Buildings and Programs									
•	Sales Tax Collections as of July 20, 2016									
•	Adjournment	Ms. Frogge adjourned the meeting	ng at 6:40 p.m.							
•	Signatures	Chris M. Henson Board Secretary	Sharon Dixon Gentry Board Chair	 Date						