Call to order

A meeting of FATE GO Team was held at the Toomer Elementary Media Center on April 26, 2017. The meeting was called to order at 350P.

Attendees

Attendees included: Joseph Wang, Sagirah Jones, Reshell Baldini, Brian Bastek, Susannah Davis, Vijay Makar, Ashley Adamo, Angela Tigner.

Members not in attendance

Members not in attendance included: Amanda Haimes, Emily Max

There was a quorum present.

Approve meeting agenda

Susannah Davis motioned to approve today's agenda. Vijay Makar seconded the motion. The motion was approved. (Approved: 7; Opposed: 0)

Approval of minutes

Corrections: Typo in Prinicpal's Report title

Strategic Plan open to adjustment with new member input

Brian Bastek motioned to approve. Susannah Davis seconded. (Approved: 7; Opposed 0)

Discussion Items

Old Business

- Only required committee is Family Engagement. Must be formed by next GO Team term.
- Do not have to be on GO Team to serve on GO Team committee. Committees must have GO Team member as chair and one other GO Team member. Committees cannot have more than 6 members.
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- Strike Grant/Funding Committee. FATE Foundation fulfills role. Brian Bastek and Reshell Baldini will serve as liaisons.
- Will table selecting Family Engagement Chair and members until newly merged GO Team formed.
- School Innovation Committee name changed to School Based Solutions Committee.
- Ashley Adamo provided school innovation ideas to provide framework for GO Team.
- Building Committee necessary to help with facility developments from TSPLOST funds.
- Committee Interest
  - Family Engagement: Vijay Makar, Sagirah Jones
  - School Based Solutions: Reshell Baldini, Angela Tigner
  - Building: Brian Bastek, Susannah Davis

New Business

- Only one (1) parent member from Whitefoord GO Team will have a student have attending Toomer.
- Discussed quorum requirements with additional members.
- Recommended four (4) new members

Action Items

- Vijay Makar motioned to approve Family Engagement & Communications Committee. Reshell Baldini seconded the motion. The motion was approved. (Approved: 7;Opposed: 0)
- Angela Tigner motioned to approve School Based Solutions Committee. Sagirah Jones seconded the motion. The motion was approved. (Approved: 7; Opposed: 0)
- Susannah Davis motioned to approve Building Committee. Brian Bastek seconded the motion. The motion was approved. (Approved: 7; Opposed: 0)
- Reshell Baldini motioned to approve adding four member. Vijay Makar seconded the motion. The motion was approved. (Approved: 7; Opposed: 0)

Information Items

Principal's Report

- Budget increased – no vote necessary
- Created teacher slots based on teacher and parent concerns about class size
- FT Staff: PE, Music, Art, Mandarin, Keyboarding/Writing, Special Education, Behavior Specialist, Counselor
- Funded Playworks
- Toomer Pre-K at Whitefoord (3 classes)
  - Pre-K will be housed at Whitefoord by Whitefoord, Inc.
  - Students are still FATE students just on different campus

- o Early Learning will hire site administrator for Pre-K program
- o SoulShine will pick up at both Whitefoord and FATE
- o Included transportation line in order to transport Pre-K students to FATE campus once a month for activities
- Ashley Adamo & David White (Burgess-Peterson Principal) interviewed five (5) teaching candidates from Whitefoord interested in working at either location. Also, observed and checked references. Two teachers accepted positions at Toomer.

Public Comment

Gary Long (as visitor): Whitefoord GO Team Chair, Edgewood Community Member

- Whitefoord Inc. is looking for community feedback
- APS should be involved in GO Team member process

Announcements

- Last regular meeting of school year
- Next meeting on Wednesday, May 24 @ 345P
- FATE Foundation working on 501(c)3 application and grant research

Reshell Baldini made a motion to adjourn. Angela Tigner seconded the motion. The motion was approved.

Meeting adjourned at 501P.

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Secretary   Date of approval