



Student Assignment Meeting Summary

12/10/2025

Lithonia High School Cafeteria

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Meeting Agenda

- ✓ Welcome and Agenda
- ✓ Meeting Goals
- ✓ Timeline
- ✓ Facility Planning (Scenario) Evaluation Metrics
- ✓ Teamwork
- ✓ Share Out
- ✓ Considerations
- ✓ What's Next

Meeting Goals

- Determine primary and secondary evaluation metrics.
- Determine if there are any metrics we shouldn't use or should add?



Facility Planning (Scenario) Evaluation Metrics

The committee is developing and refining **facility planning evaluation metrics** (not making school closure or boundary decisions yet) to ensure future consolidation and program scenarios are assessed consistently, equitably, and with broad community input.

Purpose of the Work

- ✓ Align district facilities with declining enrollment and long-term sustainability.
- ✓ Ensure access & opportunity to quality educational environments across the district.
- ✓ Avoid premature redistricting discussions while focusing on buildings and programs.

Evaluation Metrics Framework

- ✓ **Proximity metrics** measure how closely schools are located to one another and to students.
- ✓ **Building metrics** assess capacity, educational adequacy, and physical condition.
- ✓ **Enrollment metrics** examine current and projected utilization and student proximity.

Use of Data and Tools

- ✓ Metrics are decision-support tools, not single determining factors.
- ✓ A public, sortable facility planning dashboard [\[on the HPM Dashboard\]](#) is available for transparency.
- ✓ Some considerations (e.g., transit access, drive-time service areas) may inform decisions even if not numeric.

Community and Stakeholder Engagement

- ✓ Multiple engagement layers include staff, principals, teachers, families, and underrepresented communities.
- ✓ Targeted outreach (e.g., language-specific sessions, focus groups) is underway.
- ✓ Feedback will be iterative and incorporated throughout scenario development.



Worksheet and Metrics Exercise

- ✓ Members found the worksheet complex and time-intensive.
- ✓ Clarification is needed to shift thinking from individual impacts to districtwide outcomes.
- ✓ Programs are intentionally excluded from metrics and will be addressed in scenario planning.

Next Meeting

To Be Determined