Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School

School Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes

Date: March 4, 2026

Time: 3:15 PM

Location: Media Center

I. Welcome/Call to Order/ Review of Agenda- Van Tassel 3:15

II. Attendance- See attached sing in sheets

III. Revision/Approval of February 2026 SAC minutes- Rubenstein Motion, Wanamaker Second, Unanimous Approval, 3:16

IV. Principal's Report- Begins at 3:19

a. SESIR
   i. Alcohol = (+0)
   ii. Disruption on Campus – Major = (+0)
   iii. Drug Possession and/or Use = (+0)
   iv. Fighting = (+0)
   v. Tobacco Possession = (+6)
   vi. Other Major Unclassified = (+0)
   vii. Weapons Possession = (+0)
   viii. January data last updated, as of March 3, 2026

b. Course Card fully distributed to 8-11 grade students, collection continues, 9-11 grade students continue counselor visits, school choice seat and registration will happen

throughout March ,400 spots have been requested, Course selections will be visible on Focus by the end of May,

c. No budget timeline has been set yet, as the district is slowing the process down, updates will be provided next month, if they come in,
d. Cattle Car Exhibition took place between 2/25-27, Social Studies department lead visits and discussion,
e. Testing continues, today was SAT Day, Spring break is approaching and heavy testing will resume in April,
f. Underclass Awards will be May 20th at 6 pm, Senior Awards will be May 21 at 6 pm,
g. Senior Exam Schedule has been posted, May 18-21, Exam Days are full days, Cap and Gown and Grad Ticket pick-up will be May 26-27 along with Senior Week events, Graduation is June 1st, Grad Bash is April 30th
h. Come see "Between the Lines" this Thursday – Saturday, an MSD Drama Production

V. Meetings dates for 2025-2026 at 3:15 pm in the media- Reviewed by Van Tassel, 3:24

Wednesday, April 29th (SPBP vote, create a nominating committee)
Wednesday, May 20th (Election for 2026-2027 SAC Co-Chairs and Secretary and budget review)

VI. Officers' Report

a. School Improvement Plan (SIP): Monitoring- Reviewed by Van Tassel 3:25
    i. Stakeholder Feedback- None provided, open for comment at 3:26
b. PSD and Continuation Waiver- Vote PASSED- announced by Van Tassel 3:26
c. SAC School Accountability Funds: $73577 + $31,071 (leftover A+ funds)
    1. ELO camp- Requesting up to $5000 Approved
    2. Delta Math- Requesting a year 3 year contract for $20,656, or 2years for $14, 448, or 1 year for $8240: Reviewed by Cari Buddman, Marcano questions about prior year's usage, Kefford responds about ongoing negotiation with district to get approval, Marcano asks about training, Budman responds and offers further explanation; Rubenstein Motion, Berger Second, Unanimous Approval, 3:19

VII. Special orders/unfinished business from previous meeting

a. New business

b. Announcements/Reminder:

Next meeting: April 27, 2026 at 3:15 pm in the media center

VIII. Adjournment- Rubenstein Motion, Berger Second, Unanimous Approval, 3:16