Renaissance Elementary School
January SGC Summary of Action

1/20/25

During the meeting, members approved the January agenda and the previous month's meeting minutes. The council reviewed prior meeting items, including the SGC website page audit, the strategic plan, and charter dollar expenditure proposals.

The council discussed planning for upcoming Parent/Teacher SGC elections. A nominating committee is needed to support engagement and outreach. There are three open positions, including two parent positions and one teacher position. Members also revisited charter dollar expenditure proposals, including ideas for a Father-Daughter Dance and trophies to recognize scholars who participated in the Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl, Science Olympiad, and History Bowl.

The council discussed planning for annual budget approval, with the Budget Committee expected to determine a meeting date to review and approve new expenditure proposals. The principal's update included strong midyear schoolwide data, continued progress toward the RES strategic goal, Construct and Connect/SIP Fridays to support new writing and ELA standards, refined PLC structures, instructional priorities, and professional learning for teachers. Staffing updates included welcoming Kristie Street as the newest fifth grade teacher. Student achievement highlights included Cassidy Davison advancing to the district spelling bee and the Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl team placing 9th overall and 1st in the zone.

Upcoming events included the Spring Scholastic Book Fair and the Black History Month program scheduled for the last day of February. The council also discussed preliminary agenda items for the next meeting, including developing SGC initiatives to support the strategic plan, completing a final website compliance check for audit readiness, and reviewing prior action items and updates. The meeting concluded with adjournment by Ms. Weaver.