Manning Oaks Elementary School Governance Council

Thursday, August 20, 2026 3:00 pm Conference Room

Meeting Norms
Silence Phones, Be Respectful of Others' Opinions, Work for the good of all Students

Lisa Pittman – Attending on behalf of principal

Katie Lawson – Governance and Flexibility Facilitator

SGC Members:

Nikkole Flowers (Principal), Morgan Duerr (Teacher), Kathryn Hadden (Appointed Staff), Cassidy Concannon (Teacher), Nicholas Walker (Parent), Malisa Diamond (Parent), Kathy Gould (Community Member), AK Dash (Community Member), Lucy Pasture (Parent), Amanda Luper (Teacher)

3:00PM Call to Order *(Katie Lawson)*

3:02PM Action Item: Approve Agenda *(Katie Lawson)*

Motion-Duerr
Second-Walker
All in Favor-approved

3:05PM Action Item: Approve Previous Minutes *(Katie Lawson)*

Motion-Duerr
Second-Walker
All in Favor-approved

3:10PM Discussion Item: Member Introductions *(All Members)*

3:15PM Action Item: Approve nominated Community Member *(Katie Lawson)*

AK Dash is nominated for another term

Motion-Luper
Second-Duerr
All in Favor-approved

3:17PM Action Item: Elect New Officers (Chair, Vice Chair, Parliamentarian) *(Katie Lawson)*

Motion-Luper

Second-Walker
All in Favor-approved
*26-27 New Officer Election-
Chair-Hadden
Vice Chair- Duerr
Parliamentarian-Concannon
3:25PM Action Item: Action Items: Staff Standing Committees (Budget and Finance, Outreach and Communication, Principal Selection) *(Chair)*

Budget and Finance Committee-Hadden, Luper, Walker
Outreach and Communication-Dash, Concannon, Diamond, Duerr
Principal Selection Committee- Hadden, Duerr, Walker, Diamond
Motion-Walker
Second-Robertson
All in Favor-approved

3:30PM Discussion Item: Confirm Parent/Community Superintendent Advisory Council Representative

Malisa Diamond

3:35PM Discussion Item: Determine Meeting Schedule for SY26-27 *(All Members)*

3rd Thursday 3:00 (Calendar invites sent)

3:40PM Discussion Item: Strategic Planning Updates *(All Members)*

3:45PM Informational Item: Principal's Update *(Lisa Pittman for Ms. Flowers)*

A. Potential School Staffing Changes

B. Shifts in District Policy or School Practices

C. Calendar of Upcoming School Events

D. Training Requirements for new members

Pittman-Student numbers low in kindergarten, changes may go in effect after Labor Day, Pathways to Life Partnership (Grant for school for entire year) Bubble Trouble 8/21 5:30, Curriculum Night September 3rd, Attendance Awareness in September

3:55PM Discussion Item: Draft Next Meeting's Agenda *(All Members)*

Author, back field, repair fence, Walker will continue to help with Donor's Choice, Pittman is working on grant for Georgia Outdoor Learning

4:00PM Action Item: Meeting Adjournment *(Chair)*

Motion-Walker
Second-Duerr
All in Favor-approved