



Meeting Minutes Duval County Public Schools

August 15, 2023, Board Workshop

Dr. Kelly Coker, Chairman
Ms. Cindy Pearson, Vice-Chairman
Ms. April A. Carney
Ms. Lori Hershey
Mr. Warren A. Jones
Ms. Charlotte D. Joyce
Mr. Darryl Willie
Dr. Dana Kriznar, Superintendent

ATTENDANCE AT THIS MEETING OF THE DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD: All Board Members were present. Dr. Dana Kriznar, Superintendent, and Mr. Ray Poole, Office of General Counsel, were also present.

Call Meeting to Order

The meeting was called to order at 12:03 p.m.

Items to be Discussed

1. STAFFING PROCESS FOR EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT EDUCATION

Amy Valentine, Executive Director, Exceptional Education Student Services, presented a PowerPoint presentation (see attached), Eligibility Process Students with a Disability, and joined in the discussion on the following:

- Frustration for teachers who have the least restrictive students and balancing the needs of those including the additional documentation needed while teaching a full class. This is resulting in students transferring to private schools, and teachers leaving the district.
- Eligibility requirements.
- Professional Development for early detection.
- The evaluation process was explained. Recommendations to expedite the evaluation process.
- A request for principal feedback to improve the process.
- The number of students that are being provided services that are outside the county is 10 or less.

Adjournment

1. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 1:05 PM.

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Superintendent

Chairman