



Meeting Minutes Duval County Public Schools

October 15, 2024, Board Workshop

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

ATTENDANCE AT THIS MEETING OF THE DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD: All Board Members were present. Mr. Michael Ramirez, Chief of Staff, was present for Dr. Christopher Bernier, Superintendent, who was not present due to school-related engagements in Tallahassee. Mr. Ray Poole, Office of General Counsel, was also present.

Call Meeting to Order

The meeting was called to order at 12:15 p.m.

Items to be Discussed

1. QUARTERLY SAFETY AND SECURITY UPDATE

Jackson Short, Chief, School Police, and Glenn Virdin, Supervisor, School Police, presented a PowerPoint presentation 2024-2025 Security Risk Assessment Findings. They and Michael Ramirez joined in the discussion on the following:

- Florida State Statute 1006.07(6)(a)(4) and the responsibility of the district was explained.
- 193 schools completed the 2024-2025 School Safety Risk Assessment on or before October 1, 2024. The confirmation was submitted before October 15, 2024.
- The 10 parts of the School Safety Risk Assessment were explained.
- Positive District Measures were explained.
- Appreciation expressed to Dr. Dana Kriznar for assistance in obtaining a \$1.8 million dollar grant.
- Phase 2 EVOLV.
- CENTEGIX activation numbers.
- Tips submitted to Fortify.
- Appreciation for swift responses and strong consequences was expressed.
- Charter Schools threat management coverage was explained.
- There will be an upcoming Executive Session to go into more details.
- Appreciation to all the school principals for their support.

2. GOVERNANCE

The following items were discussed in Governance:

- Pedestrian Resolution 2025-05.
- Background history of the Foundation.

Adjournment

1. ADJOURNMENT

Motion: That the Duval County School Board move to adjourn the meeting at 1:16 p.m.

Vote Results:

Motion: April A. Carney

Second: Warren A. Jones

PASSED: 7-0

Aye:

Darryl Willie
Charlotte D. Joyce
April A. Carney
Kelly Coker
Lori Hershey
Warren A. Jones
Cindy Pearson

Nay:

None

CRH

Superintendent

Chairman