

MINUTES

Fairfax County School Board

Gatehouse Administration Center I

Work Session No. 10/Instruction and Special Service

July 23, 2008

10.01 Call to Order and Announcements

Meeting manager Storck convened the meeting at 7:05 p.m. with the following Board members present:

Elizabeth T. Bradsher (Springfield)
Brad Center (Lee)
Stuart D. Gibson (Hunter Mill; ABSENT)
Martina A. Hone (At Large)
Kaye Kory (Mason)
Ilryong Moon (At Large)

Phillip A. Niedzielski-Eichner (Providence)
James L. Raney (At Large)
Kathy L. Smith (Sully)
Daniel G. Storck (Mount Vernon)
Jane K. Strauss (Dranesville)
Tessie Wilson (Braddock)

Also present were Deputy Superintendent Richard Moniuszko; Deputy Executive Assistant and Deputy Clerk of the Board Linda Sabo; Executive Administrative Assistant Andrea Shimer; Minority Student Achievement Oversight Committee chairman Ralph Cooper; Advisory Committee for Students with Disabilities co-chairmen Jeff Nolan and Lisa Fagan; Gifted and Talented Advisory Committee chairman Cindy Waters; and certain other individuals. The Student Representative to the School Board Arvin Ahmadi was present.

PRESENTATIONS

10.02 Minority Student Achievement Oversight Committee (MSAOC) Annual Report (Exhibit A)

10.03 Advisory Committee for Students with Disabilities (ACSD) Annual Report (Exhibit B)

10.04 Gifted and Talented Advisory Committee (GTAC) Annual Report (Exhibit C)

DISCUSSION

- Consistency across the schools required to include reading programs, training, and Individual Education Plan (IEP);
- students should be treated equally, but not the same;
- relevance of committee being given a specific charge;
- committees give School Board different insight and perspectives into programs.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:21 p.m.

