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Fairfax County School Board Luther Jackson MS

Work Session No. 71/Linkage

January 29, 2009

71.01 Call to Order and Announcements

Committee Chairman Center convened the meeting at 5:03 p.m. with the following Board members present:

Elizabeth T. Bradsher (Springfield)
Brad Center (Lee)

Martina A. Hone (At Large; arr. 5:06)
Jane K. Strauss (Dranesville)

Also present were Division Superintendent Jack D. Dale; Assistant Superintendent for Communications and Community Outreach Barbara Hunter; Assistant Superintendent for Accountability Pat Murphy; and Deputy Executive Assistant and Deputy Clerk Pat Charbonneau.

71.02 Community Leadership Council (CLC)

- Consensus to merge the CLC with the Superintendent's Business Community Advisory Council for its monthly meetings and to notify CLC members;
- will coordinate with Governance Committee to reflect this change in the manual.

71.03 Update and Review of Linkage Activities for Later Start Times (Exhibit A)

- Reviewed and finalized the seven community dialogue sites for the week of February 23;
- information about community dialogues and the online survey would be released January 30 via press releases, Keep in Touch (KIT), bulletin boards, parent liaisons, and an invitation for community participation provided to schools in English, Spanish, and Korean for distribution in school newsletters;
- reviewed the survey for parents/guardians, students, FCPS employees, and the community at large;
- asked for specific feedback from all Linkage members by the following Monday;
- discussed the format for the introductory video to be shown at each community dialogue meeting;
- Board discussion of Linkage activities scheduled for February 9 work session.

71.03 Community Outreach Activities Related to the Budget

- Consensus to schedule additional community outreach with interaction and dialogue between invitees and Board members;
- Ms. Hone to draft proposal.

The meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m.