

MINUTES

Fairfax County School Board

Gatehouse Administration Center I

Work Session No. 87/Facilities

March 9, 2009

87.01 Call to Order and Announcements

Meeting Manager Center convened the meeting at 4:05 p.m. with the following Board members present:

Elizabeth T. Bradsher (Springfield)
Brad Center (Lee)
Stuart D. Gibson (Hunter Mill)
Martina A. Hone (At Large; dep. 5:35)
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 Division Superintendent Jack Dale; Deputy Superintendent Richard Moniuszko; Executive Assistant and Clerk of the Board Pam Goddard; Deputy Executive Assistants and Deputy Clerks of the Board Pat Charbonneau and Linda Sabo; Executive Administrative Assistant Kathy Partlow; Chief Operating Officer Dean Tistadt; Director Transportation Linda Farby; and certain other individuals. The Student Representative to the School Board Arvin Ahmadi was absent.

DISCUSSION

87.02 Bell Schedule Change Proposal (Exhibit A)

- Discussed proposed bell schedule (Iteration #3) and the community's feedback from online survey and dialogue meetings;
- based on community reaction, consensus that Iteration #3 was an unacceptable option;
- Board would consider a motion at the March 19, 2009, School Board meeting not to move forward with Iteration #3, and to confirm the existing bell schedule structure;
- noted that, since 2005, the issue of a proposed bell schedule change had been addressed at 24 work sessions Board meetings.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:13 p.m.