

Education Advisory Committee Minutes

Date February 1, 2017

Attendees: Cobby Witherington, Bob Riggs, Jim Kellen, Hank Burch, Brad Summersell, Robert Brown, Hill Robinson

SUBJECT	DISCUSSION	ACTIONS
Meeting called to order at 4:45 pm J Larry Newton	NONE	NONE
FES Update	Julie Pierce mentioned several upcoming FES events- Silent Auction, Blood Drive, Teacher Appreciation	"
Principal EAC Funding Proposals	Plans A and B presented by principals for funding with the major difference being inclusion of Two SROs (Safety Resource Officers) for schools. Concern over responsibility for the SRO was expressed. All agreed that City of Fairhope should be providing this resource for the schools and not the EAC, however, EAC understands the desperate need for such positions and will consider options based on how Council addresses this public safety need. Additionally, EAC asked that more detail be provided over specific expected costs for the FMS proposed National Science trip to CA for \$28,500.	Brad will craft a proposal for the City Council meeting on 2/13. Angie Hall to provide itemized costs for the trip to CA. Principals also have a dream plan to be discussed in a future meeting.
Fairhope Numbers	Brad provided a detailed summary of Fairhope enrollment numbers, Aspire test results, and Penny Tax 3 mill impact info.	None

Visitors: Carol Broughton, Angie Hall, Jon Cardwell, Julie Pierce, Patrice Krueger, James Watkins, Amy Foley, Joyce Woodburn, Hope Zeanah, Kellie Boudin