

# SAC MEETING MINUTES

Willis Elementary School

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April 19, 2024 Meeting called to order by Nicole Delaney at 6:01 pm, Ashley McIntyre seconded.

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## In Attendance

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Kathy Price, Nicole Delaney, Samantha Beebe, Jackie Elmore, Tim Fink, Ashley McIntyre, Denise Herrera, Kwame Yeboah, Susan Goodhue, David Kincaid, Allison Boccaccio, Jennifer Beirau, Michael Barber, Paul Damico, Ariana Kennedy.

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## Approval of Minutes

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The meeting minutes from May 2024 were reviewed. Motion to approve minutes without changes. Nicole Delaney motioned, Samantha Beebe seconded. Minutes approved as is.

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## Principal's Report

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1. Safety & Security
    - a. School Safety Specialist Inspection – passed, no findings
  2. Staffing
    - a. 10-day count, gained a para position
  3. PTO Update
    - a. Book Fair, Grandparents Night, Back to School Night, Kindergarten Play Date
  4. School Grade 23-24
    - a. A grade for 2023-24 school year and the Highest A, "in the east county".
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## New Business-Agenda Items

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1. Returning SAC Members introduction
2. SAC Board Election:
  - a. 1 open position > ballots were passed out- David Kincaid was elected for the position.
    - i. Board Chairs: Nominations for the following positions:
      1. Chair: David Kincaid
      2. Vice Chair: Tim Fink
      3. Secretary: Ashley McIntyre
3. Approval of bylaws 24-25 – Approved with 8/9 votes-Kincaid abstaining since new
  - a. Kwame Yeboah motioned to approve - Ashley McIntyre, seconded.
4. Future Meeting Dates:
  - a. Oct 17<sup>th</sup>, Dec 5<sup>th</sup>, Jan 23<sup>rd</sup>, Feb 27<sup>th</sup>, April 10<sup>th</sup>, May 8<sup>th</sup>
5. Paul Damico – Safety & Security shared events happening around district.
6. Millage Referendum informational discussion – Mike Barber
  - a. Information Presentation – Mil Supports

- i. 30 minutes of additional instruction
  - 1. K-12 will add more than a year of additional instruction
- ii. Competitive Pay for teachers
- iii. Support STEM programs
- iv. Support local Charter Schools
- v. Support Art Programs
- b. 2016 to 2024 Manatee District has increased 14 spots in academic rankings based on student test scores.
- c. Future Priorities:
  - i. Early Literacy Programs
  - ii. Adding more options for STEM
  - iii. Enriching Arts & Athletics
  - iv. Support Charter Schools
- d. Ballot Measure 7

1) Next meeting Oct 17<sup>th</sup> 2024, 6:00 pm at Willis Elementary  
Meeting adjourned at 7:03 pm.