

## MVES Advisory Council Agenda & Minutes

March 25, 2025



*Attendance:* Mrs. Harrison, Natalie Lint, Shade Oyeбанjo, Kari Nieto, Casey Joаquin, January Corbin

### Proposal for Specialty Program School for STEAM

I received a response from Dr. Alissa Fraser, Assistant Director for Student Learning, regarding our proposal to become a PWCS Specialty Program school. Unfortunately, our proposal request was denied. We are encouraged to continue with our focus on STEAM and to wait for the outcome of their department's current review of specialty programs and use any new information to revamp our application at the conclusion of the 2026-27 school year. I will present this information at our meeting tomorrow afternoon.

### Superintendent's Advisory Council on Instruction (SACI)

Report from Shade Oyeбанjo

Budget-approved 2025-26 budget. Many renovations happening throughout county. Adding 14<sup>th</sup> high school, renovating older elementary schools. Uncertainty with the cuts from the Dept. of Education. May be some programs that need to be put on hold.

Mrs. Harrison: Time to start looking at next year-planning classes, request forms for next year will be coming soon. Looking at end of year parties. Fifth grade promotion will be held the last day of school. Field Day is coming up. SOL testing and pep rally coming soon.

### Open Chair Time

Mother Son event incident. Is there training that high school volunteers go through like the training that parents have to go through. Some of the high school helpers were on their phones and took pictures of a student. Ms. Harrison reached out to the high school club sponsor. How can we ensure that the students being sent to volunteer have been trained? Is there a sign-in process for volunteers? During the school day, yes. After school events sponsored by the PTO are a little different. The sponsor at BHS had a list of kids who signed up to volunteer. PTO had a Sign-up Genius to sign up for shifts and a PTO member signed off on volunteer hours sheet when they checked in and checked out. After hours volunteers need some sort of name tag or lanyard that identifies them as a volunteer. Need more accountability/formality.

### Next Meeting

*\*The next Advisory Council Meeting will be Tuesday, April 22, 2025 at 4:30 p.m.*

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