

I was trying to pull it up so we can go and get started so they can see it one moment please show me music case can you see my screen yeah so we have your cold roll so we can establish A quorum OK I'm on the wrong screen then I'll change it OK yes yeah hi so we have doctor Jones can you hear me regrets that he couldn't be here he had to be at his daughter recital so he apologized for not being here perfect OK Gilliard Dr. Gilliard I'm here present present and I'll change it is that April by T3 can you hear me absent Mr. John Gibbons here doctor Bruce Williams absent Ricky Davis be Ricky Davis good afternoon the right singer Ray Singer here OK and Kevin Scott junior OK we do have a quorum so we continue with the meeting we have miss's premise reading the previous minutes from the last meeting awesome action items move down the date was OK action items a continuous improvement plan goals overview doctor smart literacy proficiency goal goal number one to improve literacy proficiency among students this goals aimed to enhance reading and comprehension skills across all grade levels #2 numeracy proficiency goals goal #2 to enhance mercy proficiency focusing on math skills and problem solving abilities #3 post graduation preparedness goal #3 to prepare to better prepare students for life after graduation including readiness for college careers and life skills #4 college and career readiness goal number four to improve college and career readiness by enhancing guidance support and opportunities for students to explore various career paths Dr. smart reiterated the mission of best Academy which is to provide all students with school wide daily rigorous stem instruction expose them to innovative practices to ensure that 100% of students are proficient or distinguished in all core content the vision of best Academy is to offer learning experiences and opportunities where students not only possess a strong academic foundation but are also motivated to think critically solve problems engage in creativity and work collaboratively for the benefit of themselves the school and the community that's the Academy has identified 3 key goals number one increase the percentage of students proficient or above ELA on the map assessment from 29% in spring 2023 to 41% or higher in spring 2024 number two to increase the percentage of students proficient or above in math on the map assessment from 17% in spring 2023 to 25% or higher in spring 2024 #3 increase the percentage of students scoring in the highest performance category by 3% points on the on the right score doctor smart then presented the strategic plan priorities and rank order for APS which include or included implementing a stem enriched curriculum to support interdisciplinary and project based teaching and learning approaches #2 using data to drive instructional decisions #3 implementing a whole child system of support with the integration of social and emotional learning to address both academic and non academic performance #4 utilizing flexible learning tools technology integration and targeted instruction to personalized learning for all students #5 strengthening staff capacity to support core content knowledge and skill needs for students number six increasing family engagement through positive interactions with the school and partnership opportunities following the review of the strategic plan priorities a motion was made and seconded for approval doctor smart highlighted best academy's commitment to rigorous stem instruction it's ambitious goals for student proficiency core content areas and alignment with the APS district strategic priorities for fostering academic excellence providing student support empowering leaders and staff creating a system of school support discussion items ELA map data doctor Julia Johnson Dr. Julia Johnson emphasized the significance of map testing which is administered 3 * a year in the fall winter and spring this data serves several crucial purposes including measuring student growth in comparison to other district students the results of the assessment impact student aptitude funding all allocation teacher effectiveness in school and principal effectiveness therefore students are encouraged to give their best effort during these assessment as the data provides essential baseline information regarding their proficiency and numeracy and literacy doctor Johnson then dialed into the data starting with a school wide snapshot of student

performance in the reading assessment this data will be used to evaluate the school's overall performance in this specific area doctor Johnson highlighted the importance of math testing and its role in assessing students progress teacher and school effectiveness and providing valuable insights into students numeracy and literacy proficiency math math data miss you Smith Miss Smith provided an overview of the math map data she explained that many of the processes and procedures used for reading are also applied to math allowing her to focus on presenting the data the presentation began with the school wide overview of the data including percentiles indicating student performance relative to their grade level peers Miss Smith highlighted areas of excitement in areas that require improvement in the data notably she pointed out that the performance in the 61st through the 80th percentile range particularly high and the goal was to maintain the positive momentum similar to reading assessment individual student data was analyzed in the case of math this data included domains and their associated score ranges specifically in geometric and spatial reasoning and numerical reasoning Miss Smith Robert I know that you're glasses up oh sorry Miss Smith covered a comprehensive review of math data identifying both strengths and areas for growth and underline the significance of monitoring student performance to inform instructional strategies CIP miss Kelly miss Kelly provided a more in depth examination of the contacts input process product goals building on doctor smarts earlier presentation she took a comprehensive approach by going through the goals line by line and encourage questions from the audience based on both doctor smarts and her own presentation information items five map innovation thinking miss heard miss heard discussed the connection between their work and a PS fives kieras with a particular focus on data curriculum and instruction whole child intervention and personalized learning she emphasized the importance of map data and driving instruction as previously explained by miss Kelly miss Hart provided a sample scenario to illustrate how they can personalize learning for a student with a particular risk score such as 191 she mentioned the use of a tool known as exhale and hinted as its capabilities but further details or a demonstration may have followed her statement her presentation emphasized the practical application of data and tools to support personalized learning for students aligning with the broader goals of APS

announcements all pro dads kick off Thursday October the 26th 4:00 through 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM auditorium small gym the next meeting November the 2nd November the 7th Election Day virtual learning parent teacher conference November the 13th Atlanta Falcons coach of the week coach good trip and F required trainings update doctor Williams meeting was adjourned at 6:09 PM thank you ma'am could we have a motion to approve the minutes as read by miss Epps-Primas call mobile second (thank you has been approved OK

I'll continue the reading of the the **present agenda** that discussion item strategic plan and continuous improvement plan alignment progress on strategic plan priorities action items as a result of discussion in a ranking this strategic plan priorities in preparation for the fiscal year 2324 school budget to be

discussed January March 2023 required after discussion announcements and adjournment can I have a motion to approve the agenda as read I move we approve the agenda **Patterson** second second **Mr. Davis** second approved

OK we'll start with

Mr. Landsman on the discussion items good evening everyone this is my distinct honor of being invited to present today and steadfast of our visionary leader doctor Timothy Jones I'm excited to be able to do this this is the lower side and my quick introduction is I think my initial work on leadership began at what we was initially called the local school council and since you know move to go game so I'm excited to be here this evening so tonight's discussion is related to the strategic plan and the continuous improvement plan the connections and the relationships of 1 to the other mom says I am sure can you all see my screen they can see it so our first goal is literacy and numeracy fostering academic excellence for all our specific strategic plan we highlighted that we would implement stem enriched curriculum specifically stem as one of the APS five signature programs the second item that we highlighted as part of our strategic plan was to conduct stem activities with real life application including the pathways development success clubs and enrichment programs and then finally the third element under literacy and numeracy A strategic plan was to conduct grade level meetings to review the data examples of map data amplify math modules right scores and assessments to create and execute action plans the continuous improvement plan correlates to our strategic plan and in the connection of how it is that we are using these to move forward item number one on the continuous improvement plan is to conduct calibrated observation data or walks of classroom instruction to evaluate teachers skill sets in various areas connected to the stems demand so APS five DTT and single gender strategies all of these are continuous improvement plans are related to a number one of the strategic plan #2 correlated to number two of the strategic plan was to implement coaching cycles complete with fast feedback the alignment protocols data digs and consistent data analysis to determine whether or not we are on track for our specific goals as related to number two of the strategic plan and then number three are continuous improvement was to conduct PLC observations to evaluate effectiveness and impact on the instruction to the the grade level meetings and the review of the data more specifically to identify whether or not the meetings are resulting in the effect of student learning outcomes our alignment to these is the strategic plan first bullet point if I can direct attention under alignment to strategic plan and the CIP work together as checks and balance to our work at the Best Academy . number two is the strategic plans and listing that action steps that we will take to provide the quality intentional instructions center on stem in a right here the APS5 and then finally on the continuous improvement plan details how we will inspect and evaluate the instructions and the professional learning outlined in the strategic plan. The second element highlighted under our continuous improvement plan and strategic with the whole child intervention if I can direct your attention under the strategic plan category first. Number one was to implement the SEL curriculum for us the SEL curriculum was broken down into two parts one was focusing on the middle school band and the other was focusing on the high school band and more specifically with the middle school we were looking at attendance and with the high school we were looking at graduation rate and using SEL as part of our our initiative and program to increase our our work in that area the second one was to promote the attendance and the engagement through these school initiatives and then the third one was to implement district academic interventions and enrich and the technology program continuous improvement plan details again in the same manner with #1 to conduct a bullet point number one if you will a A1A conducting biweekly monitoring of

students attendance and behavior to support those students who are below 90% attendance and who have received one or more disciplinary referrals that is widely captured in our whole child intervention teams as well and then one being conduct transcript audits that is the second part of the SEL the first one with the attendance again just to remind remind our participants was to focus on the attendance for the middle school and then the one being is how we are working on conducting audits and making sure we hit our goal for SCL for our high school band conducting transferred audits there are a series of actions that follow each of these but these these are the overview of the directions that we use to begin our work and then point #2 again still under continuous improvement plan provide wrap around support for our students for example phoenix Academy Ava for students with extenuating circumstances so these are the ways that we are using our programs technology district academic convention interventions where our our number two_improvement goes over to our number three so just you are following along I won't draw that correlation or alignment for the two of them strategic plan and continuous improvement plan again our strategic plan and continuous improvement plan work together as a checks and balance to our intervention work at best Academy the strategic plan lists the action steps that we will take to provide the quality intentional support focused on helping students with the factors that may affect their abilities to be academically successful and then finally the Third Point under alignment bullet point the continuous improvement plan details how we will drill down to the students who will need the additional support in addition to the support strategies that we are already implementing in our strategic plan in summary at best Academy 612 both are strategic plan and continuous improvement plan we're created to plan our work and ultimately for us to God be a guide to work our plans they work in tandem to make certain that we are doing the best work to meet our annual goals meet and exceed our annual goals OK thank you Sir appreciate that OK stated on the agenda the action plan item is rezoned of discussion the ranking of the strategic plan priorities and preparation for this fiscal year 2324 school budget will be discussed between January and March therefore we go straight to the announcements number third divorce city football team will have senior night versus Terrell at Lakewood at 5:30 PM

Davis asked a question. yes may I ask a question to Mr. Landsman before you proceed go right ahead what's the last minute if you could put the slide back up I have a question under the CPI 1B to where could you give me some clarification on exactly when you mentioned you're conducted mainstream audits I'm on the function and I apologize for assuming that you're looking at attendance data correctly so an attendance is part of the transcript audience yes Sir OK are we looking at are right here and I'm excited about what I see are we looking at any type of incentives for those kids who are falling below that threshold of 90% attendance or are we doing anything specifically to engage those kids OK so thank you for the question so the the SEL or or excuse me in terms of the sentence I misspoke on SeL our PBI S is going to be a big component of as we work and do our transcript audits as appropriate to continue to provide incentives strategically more specifically in terms of how that is going how that is working and being discussed is through our whole child intervention team and our coordinator for our PBI S is a critical component of that team awesome so we can look forward to something coming through the PB IS in that regards alright thank you Mr. answer thank you for the question yes Sir sorry any any other questions before I go to this

Announcement OK so continue with the announcements like I said November 3rd can be divorcee senior night versus Terrell at Lakewood 5:30 PM on November 7th asynchronous a virtual day that's going to be Election Day no school so the kids will be virtual that particular day on November 8th best CSK food pantry from four to six entrance gate of CSK November 13th it's gonna be a parent teacher

conferences from 4:15 to 6:15 November 20th through the 24th is going to be Thanksgiving break and our next goal team meeting is going to be January 18th and uh doctor Weiner is not here today so I guess we'll have to table the required training update for the next meeting any questions OK I think that's it so we were ready for adjournment OK we move to adjourn second play again second second I have a good evening and drive safe out there thank you guys be safe have a great evening have a great evening thank you everyone what you say alarm OK so thank you for the questions we're at 18th and doctor Weaver is not here today so this will have to table the required training update for the next meeting any questions OK I think that's it so we were ready for adjournment OK we move to the second play again second second hi well good evening and translate thank you guys have a great have a great evening thank you thanks the go team meeting on November the 2nd 2023 ended at 5:26 like I like it what'd you say hmm