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Visitors were: Leslie Grant, Stephanie Flowers, Cheryl Bennett, Pierre Gather, Chris Lemons

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# Reports

We received austerity funds of $35,000 back into our budget. We would like to have 2 instructional coaches to help with all core contents, particularly Math and Science. Portee will continue to work with ELA and SS. We were able to move funds around such as 25K that was used for Math Solutions for only 4 times a year. With Go Team’s approval we can budget for an additional instructional coach. Principal Christian would also like a SBM, School Business Manager, who will be an administrative assistant and help with business/events for the school. A person who understands school operations and can assist the Principal to allow her more time with instruction. The position will not need to work in the summer which could decrease the cost. Funds were not taking from teachers only from instructional supplies and Math Solutions. Turn around funds are used for turnaround specialists. We will have 2 Reading and 2 Math Specialists. Science lab will also stay in the budget.

Motion to approve the change in budget. 8 members voted.

# New business

Leslie Grant discussed setting up the name approval was approved and the Board has approved to move with a committee to change the name of DH Stanton. Committee will be 5-7 members. It needs to be a community engagement process and school engagement process including Emmaus House and Emory engagement. If it is decided on by May 1st, it could go into effect next school year. Leslie Grant would like to convene on April 26th at 6pm at DH Stanton to discuss. The decision will be made by the committee. PTA is forming a Family Engagement and Communications Committee that will involve community members who are involved to discuss challenged of the community. Chris Lemons stated violence is down in the community why name change? Principal Christian stated she wants others to see what we are doing. Charter schools are surrounding us (competition) and we want others to see what we are doing to grow our school. Current name is hindering us and we need to rebrand. A name change gives us an opportunity and a clean slate.

Meeting adjourned

Announcements

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| Yaquetta Crockett |  |  |
| Secretary |  | Date of approval |