

NORTH ATLANTA HIGH SCHOOL

September 21, 2023

4:30pm

NAHS Media Center

I. Called to order@ 4:30pm

II. Roll Call

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Curtis Douglass	P
Parent/Guardian	Nikita Brown	P
Parent/Guardian	Cidjah Somersall	P
Parent/Guardian	Elizabeth Wickland	P
Instructional Staff	D'Andra McPhail	P
Instructional Staff	Casandra Jones	P
Instructional Staff	Venisha Johnson	A- no longer eligible
Community Member	Betsy Cowell	A
Community Member	Seat not filled	
Swing Seat	Dr. Abifee Thomas	P
Student (High Schools)	Zoe Marrero	P
Student (High Schools)	Chase Hankin	A

Quorum Established: Yes

III. Action Items

A. Approval of Agenda: Motion made by Wickland; Seconded by Marrero

Members Approving: 8

Members Opposing: 0

Members Abstaining: 0

Motion Passes

B. Fill Vacant Positions

Vacant Position:	Staff
???	will have nominee names to present at next meeting

C. Fill Open Community Member Seat:

Open Position:	Community Member
???	will have nominee names to present at next meeting

D. Approval of Previous Minutes:

Motion made by Wickland; Seconded by McPhail

Members Approving: 8

Members Opposing: 0

Members Abstaining: 0

Motion Passes

IV. Discussion Items

- A. No one was present for Public Comment
- B. Venisha Johnson was promoted to NAHS AP and is no longer eligible to serve in the Instructional Staff seat. Nominee names will be brought forth at the next meeting.
- C. Strategic Plan
- D. SMART Goals
- E. MAP Score from Spring 2023
- F. Milestones EOC Scores Spring 2023
- G. IB Eval is coming up and will be virtual

V. Information Items

- A. Principal's Report: Student Enrollment
 - i. Total- 2332
 - ii. Male- 1142 (49%)
 - iii. Female- 1190 (51%)
 - iv. Hispanic/Latino- 563 (24%)
 - v. Black-/AA 869 (37%)
 - vi. White- 715 (30%)
 - vii. Other- 184 (8%)
- B. Principal's Report: Staffing Information
 - i. Venisha Johnson- new 9th grade Assistant Principal
 - ii. Ms. Perciosa Bulauan- new college advisor granted through Achieve Atlanta
 - iii. Recommendations given for 3 additional Hall Monitors
- C. Principal's Report: Facilities
 - i. 6 new custodians
 - (a) 1 dedicated to the upkeep of school grounds
 - ii. New night cleaning crew started work on 9/1/23
- D. Principal's Report: Curriculum and Instruction
 - i. Released Time Education: Bible Education Course
 - (a) School Ministries Atlanta @ Mt. Paran Church
 - (b) For 11th and 12th graders only, if adopted
 - (c) school can not hire teachers
 - (d) church provided shuttle transportation
 - (e) NA will be the 1st APS school, if adopted
 - (f) Conduct interest survey; lottery system if there is high interest
 - (g) Grades will be on student transcripts
 - (h) No vote today; this is only an option presented by the principal
 - (i) Wickland requested a presentation to the GoTeam
 - (j) Proposed having a formal vote at the October meeting

VI. **Announcements**

- A. Go Team G3 Summit at Pheonix Academy- Saturday, 9/23 from 8:30- 3:20
 - i. Wickland, Douglass, and Somersall will attend from NA
- B. Next meeting 9/19 @ 4pm
- C. School bd elections 11/6; early voting starts 10/16; virtual learning day
- D. Candidate Forum @ E. Rivers on 10/18

VI. **Adjournment**

Motion made by Marrero; Seconded by Jones

Members Approving: 8

Members Opposing: 0

Members Abstaining: 0

Motion Passes

ADJOURNED AT 6:10pm

Minutes Taken By: Dr. Thomas

Position: Swing Seat

Date Approved: [\[Insert Date When Approved\]](#)