

SOUTH ATLANTA HIGH SCHOOL

Date: **October 24, 2024**

Time: **5:10**

Location: **Zoom**

- I. Call to order: 5:10
- II. Roll Call

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Dr. Patricia Ford	present
Parent/Guardian	Carol Leslie	absent
Parent/Guardian	Donnieka Factory	present
Instructional Staff	Camil Anderson	present
Instructional Staff	James Springfield	present
Instructional Staff	Melvin Moore	present
Instructional Staff	Jasma Credle	present
Instructional Staff		
Community Member	Tyrese Miller	absent
Community Member	Wykeshia Howe	absent
Swing Seat		
Student (High Schools)	Genesis Morgan	present
Student (High Schools)	Joy Williams	present

Guests Present: N/A

Quorum Established: Yes

III. Action Items Review of Agenda

- a. **Approval of Agenda:** Motion made by: Joy Williams; Seconded by: Mr. Springfield
Members Approving: Jasma Credle, Melvin Moore, Camil Anderson, Genesis Morgan, and Joy Williams
Members Opposing: 0
Members Abstaining: 0
Motion Passes
- b. **Approval of Previous Minutes:** Motion made by: Camil Anderson; Seconded by: Mr. Springfield

Members Approving: Jasma Credle, Melvin Moore, Camil Anderson, Genesis Morgan, and Joy Williams

Motion Passes

- c. **Action Item 1:** Naming the multipurpose room after Tom Dunn, a respected former employee/community member of South Atlanta community
Motion: passed
Motion made by: Dr. Ford; **Seconded by:** Mr. Springfield
Members Approving: Jasma Credle, Melvin Moore, Camil Anderson, Genesis Morgan, and Joy Williams
Members Abstaining: none
Motion: Passes

- d. **Action Item 2:** n/a
Motion made by:
Members Approving:
Members Abstaining:
Motion:

IV. Discussion Items

- a. *Discussion Item 1: School Strategic Plan principal Ford discussed ways the school is working to improve student achievement, such as quality teacher retention and hiring*
- b. *Discussion Item 2: MAP Data Fall 2024 The participants of the meeting viewed the reading and math data for MAP Assessment administered during Fall 2024. Questions asked about the data such as, how is this data in comparison to last year? What happens after 9th grade because the 10th grade data is lower. Could the pandemic be a factor for low reading skills? Students were not reading as much during the pandemic. One student reported students are not reading long passages and would like to see more engagement around reading using incentives and resources such as MYON, school library. Principal Ford discussed the increase of engagement around reading by the book mobile from the Media Center librarian F. Baines and the book exchange structure in the school courtyard.*
- c. *Discussion Item 3: School Uniform Policy is optional. The participants of the meeting discussed the pros and cons of school uniforms. One parent, D. Factory, explained how her children not wearing school uniforms helps with her budget because school uniforms were costly for her with growing children. Students reported not having a uniform policy that allows them to express themselves.*

V. Information Items

- a. **Principal's Report:** *The principal report was not viewed due to time constraints.*
- b. **Information Item 1:** *(N/A)*
- c. **Information Item 2:** *(N/A)*
- d. **Information Item 3:** *(N/A)*

VI. Announcements [N/A]

- a. October 30: 9th Career assessment, PSAT administration for, 10th/11th grade, 12th grade ASVAB
- b. October 30 HOSA Fall Festival @ South Atlanta 5p-9p

VII. Adjournment

Motion made by: Camil Anderson; Seconded by: Dr. Patricia Ford

Members Approving: Jasma Credle, Melvin Moore, Camil Anderson, Genesis Morgan, and Joy Williams

Members Opposing: 0

Members Abstaining: 0

Motion Passes

ADJOURNED AT [6:23pm]

Minutes Taken By: [Camil Anderson]

Position: [Secretary]

Date Approved: [Thursday, October 24, 2024]