

## SOUTH ATLANTA HIGH SCHOOL

Date: **February 26, 2025**

Time: **5:00**

Location: **Zoom**

- I. Call to order: 5:18 pm
- II. Roll Call

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

Guests Present: Chandra Wilson, GO Team Office personnel

Quorum Established: **Yes**

- III. Call to order by Ms. Anderson
- IV. Roll Call; Establish Quorum
- V. Action Items

- a. **Approval of Agenda** yes, by Tyrese Miller, Melvin Moore, Jasma Credle, J. Springfield, C. Anderson  
**Members Approving:** Tyrese Miller, Melvin Moore, Jasma Credle, J. Springfield, C. Anderson, Rev. Leslie, Joy Williams, Genesis  
**Members Opposing:** 0  
**Members Abstaining:** 0
- b. **Approval of Previous Minutes**

## VI. Discussion Items

- a. **Budget Development Presentation-** Dr. Ford shared the requested funds for signature programs, such as STEAM. A request was made for \$278,646, and 257,000 was granted. A question was posed in the form of, “Is there a robotics club at South Atlanta?” Dr. Ford’s response, “ we do have STEAM and robotics is an activity of STEAM; robotics can be offered as a club after school”. Dr. Ford shared the Summary Tab overview which displays the allotment/funding for staff. There will be changes in staffing pertinent to clerks being decreased by 2, and the AD being utilized part time, graduation coach and CTAE position being abolished. THE FY26 Strategic Breakdown was shown to display priorities for the school budget. The budget was shown in a pie chart visual to show how the budget functions, with 71% percent being used for *instruction*. Reserve funds from the FTE count will be used to fund STEAM Coach salary. The plan for the Title 1 Holdback funds of \$63, 518 will be used for community engagement, after school tutorials for students, necessary technology, i.e Raptor. Go Team office personnel asked, “What will happen in the event that you do not receive the funds?”. Go Team office personnel suggested discussing with the current school Go Team what are some needs for the school. Dr. Ford posed the question what are some essentials the school needs to keep. A student member responded , “CORE teachers, Special education teachers, deaf/hard hearing teachers/and hall monitors. The staff was advised to vote on Budget tonight by C. Gipson due to a quorum being established and Dr. Ford already having her staff conferencing meeting with cluster superintendent.

- i. **ACTION ITEM:** GO Team vote on motion to meet in Fall 2026 to make any necessary changes budget based on student enrollment.

Motion to meet in Fall 2026 made by chair J. Springfield , and voted upon by 6 members.

**Members Approving:** Tyrese Miller, Melvin Moore, Jasma Credle, J. Springfield, C. Anderson, Rev. Leslie, Joy Williams, Genesis

**Members Opposing:** 0

**Members Abstaining:** 0

**Motion Passes**

- ii. **ACTION ITEM:** GO Team vote on Draft Budget

Motion made by J. Springfield to approve the budget.

Motion approved: J. Credle, T. Miller, C. Anderson, Rev. Leslie,

**Members Approving:** Tyrese Miller, Melvin Moore, Jasma Credle, J. Springfield, C. Anderson, Rev. Leslie, Joy Williams, Genesis

**Members Opposing:** 0

**Members Abstaining:** 0

**Motion Passes**

**VII. Information Items**

- a. **Principal's Report: Dates were shared for MAP Assessment (March) and EOCs will take place after returning from Spring Break**
- b. **Committee Reports**
- c. **Cluster Advisory Report-School rezoning TBD by SY 27-28 due to school building under utilization and \$100 M deficit**

**VIII. Announcements, next GO TEAM Meeting 3/27/25.**

**IX. Public Comment**

**X. Adjournment**

Motion made by: [Camil Anderson](#); Seconded by: [Dr. Patricia Ford](#)

**Members Approving:** James Springfield, Melvin Moore, Tyrese Miller, Genesis Morgan, Joy Williams

**Members Opposing:** 0

**Members Abstaining:** 0

**Motion Passes**

**ADJOURNED AT [6:24 pm]**

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**Minutes Taken By:** [Camil Anderson](#)

**Position:** [secretary](#)

**Date Approved:** [Wednesday February 26, 2025](#)