

Meeting Minutes

School: Barack and Michelle Obama Academy

Date: February 15, 2023 Time: 4:45-5:45 PM

Location: 970 Martin Street SE, Atlanta, GA 30315 (Media Center)

I. Call to order: Meeting started at 4:53 PM

II. Roll Call by Tanaka Appling

Role	Name (or Vacant)	Present or Absent
Principal	Dr. Robin Christian	Р
Parent/Guardian	Alicia DeCriscio	P
Parent/Guardian	Nichola Joseph	Α
Parent/Guardian	Aiyanna Cottman	P
Instructional Staff	Tanaka Appling	Р
Instructional Staff	Gerren Bell	P
Instructional Staff	Julillian Davis	P
Community Member	Kenya Thompson	Р
Community Member	Rick Laupis	Р
Swing Seat	Katie Beacham	Р
Student (High Schools)		

Quorum Established: Yes

III. Action Items

a. Approval of Agenda: Motion made by: Tanaka Appling Seconded by: Rick Laupis

Members Approving: 9
Members Opposing: 0
Members Abstaining: 0

Motion: Passes

b. **Approval of Previous Minutes:** *List amendments to the minutes:*

Motion made by: Rick Laupis; Seconded by: Kenya Thompson

Members Approving: 9
Members Opposing: 0
Members Abstaining: 0

Motion: Passes

IV Discussion Items



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a. Discussion Item 1: Present the Budget Draft to address the Strategic Priorities

Budget Draft- We are presently on step five.

FY24 Budget- Same as last meeting (02/01/2023)

FY24 Budget Parameters-

- Improve Student Mastery, in core content.
- Build Teacher Capacity in content areas.
- Utilize various interventions to help close academic gaps.

Strategic Plan Breakout Categories-

- 1. Priorities
- 2. APS Five Focus Areas
- 3. Strategies
- 4. Request
- 5. Amount

Since we are no longer a Turn-around school we lost \$331,000.00

We will no longer have 3 Master Teacher Leaders and they will be replaced with a Math Coach and a Reading Coach. Coaches will be tied to K-5, instead of one grade level like MTLs.

Coaches will be able to spend time with all teachers.

Cares funds have run out. We will loose paraprofessionals, a total of only 3 paraprofessionals will remain (2 in kinder and 1 floater), .5 dance, .5 drama and will be replaced with a .5 art. Spanish was funded through CARES. We use well over 50% of our budget instruction/academics. We will continue to have the IXL program and IB dues are \$9,000.00.

IV. Information Items

- a. Principal's Report
- b. Information Item 2: NA
- V. Announcements: GO Team Declarations for office is open

VI. Adjournment

Motion made by: Julillian Davis; Seconded by: Katie Beacham

Members Approving: 9
Members Opposing: 0
Members Abstaining: 0

Motion: Passes



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ADJOURNED AT: 5:38 PM

Minutes Taken By: Tanaka Appling

Position: Secretary

Date Approved: [Insert Date When Approved]