

Luther Judson Price Middle School

Date: **March 13, 2025**

Time: **4:15 p.m.**

Location: **Zoom**

I. Call to order: **[4:20 P.M.]**

II. Roll Call

Role	Name <i>(or Vacant)</i>	Present or Absent
Principal	Natasha Hogan-Mahan	Present
Parent/Guardian	Britney Carter	Present
Parent/Guardian	Sonya Carr	Absent
Parent/Guardian	LaShundra Huey	Absent
Instructional Staff	Charlie Jackson	Absent
Instructional Staff	William Oliver	Present
Instructional Staff	Nakeisha Mason	Present
Community Member	Pastor Winston	Present
Community Member	Travelle Primus	Present
Swing Seat	Joquita Ferguson	Present

Quorum Established: **[Yes]**

III. Action Items

- a. **Approval of Agenda:** Motion made by: **[Joquita Ferguson]**; Second by: **[Nakeisha Mason]**
Members Approving: All
Members Opposing: None
Members Abstaining: None
Motion [Passes]
- b. **Approval of Previous Minutes:** Previous Minutes
Motion made by: **[Joquita Ferguson]**; Seconded by: **[Nakeisha Mason]**
Members Approving: All
Members Opposing: None
Members Abstaining: None
Motion [Passes]

- c. **Review events that recently took place**
 - i. Our 8th grade scholar Ms. Madison Wicker won first place in the Young Author Writer Georgia Competition and will represent APS in further competitions for Metro-RESA.
 - ii. 3 students placed third in the APS district wide science fair.
- d. **Review school calendar**
 - i. After school tutorial are being held after school on Wednesdays till **April 23** from 3:45 till 5:45 for ELA and Math for 6th and 7TH grade and all content area for 8th grade
 - ii. We developed a partnership with WesCare. WesCare will initiate conversations with our students that will focus on health care, mental health, and building relationships. Our sessions will be held between **March 14 - April 25.**
 - iii. **March 18 - 20** - Our gifted and advanced students will attend a field trip in Washington D.C.
 - iv. **March 21** - Our band students will participate in a band competition
 - v. **March 27 - 28** - Our Robotics students will participate in FRC: Albany Qualifier competition held in Albany
 - vi. **April 23 - 26** - Our FAA students will attend the Georgia State FAA Convention in Macon
 - vii. **April 25** - We will hold our GMAS pep rally with an appearance from a celebrity guest (Jocquis)

IV. Discussion Items (Planning for 25-26 SY)

- a. **Discussion Item 1: Budget Priorities**
 - i. Parent and community engagement is a top priority
 - ii. Price leadership team administered surveys to determine the barriers educators experience when conversing with families.
 - iii. Price had 27 survey participants and based on data obtained from the survey it was shown that the participants believed that Price should:
 - 1. Open more lines of communication with parents
 - 2. Exercise flexibility to meet with parents
 - 3. Use digital scheduling tools
 - 4. Utilize translation services
 - 5. Provide additional training on effective communication
- b. **Discussion Item 2: Student Uniform**
 - i. We will provide parents with a survey to obtain feedback

- ii. Met with one of PBSA partners COR and was told they will assist with building a uniform closet

V. Information Items

a. Principal Report:

- i. Enrollment has slightly increased
- ii. Attendance Take Rate has increased since the previous SY - This time last year the attendance take rate was 85.8% it is currently 93.5%
- iii. The attendance percentage has increased since the previous SY - This time last year the ADA Attendance was 90.2% it is currently 91.3%
- iv. Behavior incident has decrease since the previous SY
- v. Fully staff with an expected return of all staff members returning during the 25-26 SY

VI. Announcements

- a. Price Go Team has one candidate, for each position, for the upcoming Go Team
- b. Check email and complete all Go-Team training.

VII. Public Comments

VIII. Adjournment

Motion made by: [Joquita Ferguson]; Seconded by: [Nakeisha Mason]

Members Approving:

Members Opposing:

Members Abstaining:

Motion [Passes]

ADJOURNED AT [4:52 p.m.]

Minutes Taken By: [Joquita Ferguson, LMSW]

Position: [Interim secretary]

Date Approved: []