

Pulaski Elementary School Council | MINUTES

November 16, 2020 | 5:00 pm | Meeting location **Zoom**

Attendees: (List Name)

Chairperson	Mrs. Samari Hernandez
Principal	Dr. Saroya Pendleton-Brown
Teachers	Mrs. Olivia Willilams Mrs. Venesia Holman
Parents	Mrs. Imani Moore
Business/Community Partners	

Guest and others attending

Mr. Charles McMillan	McMillan and Associates

Agenda topics

TOPIC	DISCUSSION and Summary*
Opening: Pledge Allegiance/Inspiration	Mr. Charles McMillan called the meeting to order at 5:07 pm.
APPROVAL OF MINUTES:	
OLD BUSINESS:	No Old Business to discuss at this meeting.
PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:	No Principal's Report at this meeting
OTHER REPORTS:	
NEW BUSINESS:	
SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS:	<p>Mr. McMillan completed an Introduction of School Council Laws training for the members in attendance. The following was highlighted as crucial information:</p> <p>Membership: Members of School Council will include the Principal, teachers, parents, and business partners. Parents must outnumber teachers on the council. Parents are elected by parents, teachers are elected by other teachers, and business partners are appointed. Teachers are not permitted to hold the position of Chairperson or Co-chairperson even if they have a child that attends the school. School Council positions are held for a 2-year term. The council runs from July 1-June 30.</p> <p>Meetings: School Council must meet a minimum of four times a year. It is permitted to have more meetings. All meetings dates must be posted and given the public adequate notice.</p>

	<p>The minutes of each meeting are to be posted within 20 days. A record of the minutes must be kept on file dating back to the opening of the school and maintained until the current date. All meetings are open to the public. The only time a meeting is closed (and it should be voted upon by the members) is to interview a potential Principal candidate; the only part of the meeting that is closed is the actual interview itself, voting on the candidate is open to the public. However, any information regarding the interview must be kept confidential.</p> <p>Lastly, Mr. McMillan stated that members of the School Council should have their pictures posted to the website.</p> <p>Dr. Brown motioned and nominated Mrs. Hernandez as our new Chairperson. Mrs. Holman seconded the motion.</p> <p>Mrs. Williams motioned and nominated Mrs. Holman as the Secretary. Dr. Brown seconded the motion.</p> <p>It was motioned and approved that Dr. Brown be the new Vice Chairperson.</p> <p>The date for the next meeting was set for December 8, 2020.</p>		
UPCOMING EVENTS:	<p>Spirit Night/PTA Drive at Texas Roadhouse 11/16 5-7 pm. Virtual Town Hall via Zoom 11/19 5:30-6:00 pm.</p>		
Other:			
NEXT MEETING DATE:	December 8, 2020	ADJOURNED:	5:46

*Attached additional information to any agenda item as necessary