



# Hernando School District

## School Board Workshop

### Minutes - Draft

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Thursday, August 10, 2023

2:30 PM

District Office-Board Room  
919 N. Broad Street  
Brooksville, FL

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(Re-scheduled from 8/8/23)

#### CALL TO ORDER

**Present:** Gus Guadagnino  
Susan Duval  
Mark Johnson  
Linda Prescott

**Excused:** Shannon Rodriguez

*The Workshop was called to order at 2:32 P.M. Also present were Nancy Alfonso and John Stratton, Superintendent. Mr. Guadagnino announced that Mrs. Rodriguez will be late due to prior engagements made before the rescheduling of this meeting. He also stated that Mr. Dyer, the presenter of the first item on the agenda will not be able to attend.*

#### PRESENTATIONS

1. [24-1618](#) Juul Litigation Update and Social Media Discussion

**Attachments:** [Budget Sheet Sept 2021 Revised NO Financial Impact ACC](#)

*This item was not presented.*

2. [24-1566](#) Review the Job Description for the District Athletic Director

**Attachments:** [Job Description District Athletic Director Strikethrough](#)  
[Job Description DISTRICT ATHLETIC DIRECTOR Clean Copy](#)  
[Budget Sheet District Athletic Director](#)

*Gina Michalicka, Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning and Steve Crognale, Executive Director of Support Operations came forward to present this item.*

3. [24-1605](#) Presentation of Skyward Update, by Joseph Amato

**Attachments:** [Skyward Utilization and Deployment Update 7-2023](#)  
[Budget Sheet Sept 2021 Revised NO Financial Impact ACC \(3\)](#)

*Joseph Amato, Director of Technology and Information Services came forward to present this item. Mr. Johnson would like the board to have access to the business side of Skyward. Nancy Alfonso, School Board Attorney explained Florida Statutes on this. Ms. Duval said that any time she has had questions with the budget, she has been able to sit with Joyce or Kendra to go over any questions she has had. Mrs. Prescott stated the same. Consensus is to not provide access to board members.*

**4. [24-1568](#) Review of the 2023-2028 Strategic Plan**

**Attachments:** [Strategic Plan 2023-2028 Board Presentation](#)  
[Budget Sheet - NO Financial Impact](#)

*Karen Jordan introduced this item.*

*Student Success by Gina Michalicka, John Morris, Martha Ann Zopf, Sonsee Sanders, Beth Lastra, Anna Jensen: Mrs. Prescott suggested providing an acronym page.*

*Talent Management by Ray Pinder, Matt Goldrick, Paula Clark: Mrs. Prescott suggested changing the word "system". Mr. Guadagnino suggested using "culture".*

*Community Connection by Karen Jordan, Tammy Brinker, Magen Schlecter: Mr. Guadagnino questioned businesses not being referenced. Mrs. Jordan will add business and community organizations. Mrs. Prescott would like to see employee recognition as a separate strategy.*

*Financial Transparency and Capital Planning by Steve Crognale, Kendra Sittig, Joyce McIntyre: Mrs. Prescott would like the bond rating listed.*

*Safe and Healthy Learning Environment by Lisa Cropley, Jill Renihan, Ralph Leath, Jill Kolasa, Lori Drenth, Holly Longo, Steve Crognale.*

**INFORMAL TOPIC DISCUSSION****Topics:**

*1. Trespass Issues: Nancy Alfonso stated that she had some conversations with the Sheriff's Office Attorney, Ashley Miller about trespass issues at school board meetings. They thought it would be proper to provide notice to someone before they were issued a trespass. Mrs. Alfonso stated that it was her understanding that the Sheriff's Office was going to communicate with the people who have been previously trespassed.*

*2. Linda Prescott - Battle of the Books*

*3. John Stratton - WWK8 Update; ESE Rooms*

**GENERAL COUNSEL****ADDENDUM ITEMS****GOOD OF THE ORDER/BOARD DISCUSSION****School Board Comments****ADJOURNMENT**

*The Workshop adjourned at 5:04 P.M.*

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**Superintendent**

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**Board Chair**

Mission Statement

The Hernando County School District Collaborates with students, parents and other community stakeholders to effectively prepare all students for a successful transition into a diverse and changing world.

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