

## Community Advisory Board Meeting

January 12, 2017

5:30 PM

In attendance: L. Clark; M. Chavarria-Garcia; M. Fox; A. Hampton; K. Hughes; J. Wood

- I. Celebrations
  - i. Welcome Kandi Hughes to the Board
  - ii. Bright Futures Kick Off and Partnership with Goodwill and the City of Little Rock (sponsorship by eight banks)
  - iii. One Book, On District – District-wide Reading Initiative in partnership with Economics Arkansas (Bank of the Ozarks and First Security Bank sponsorships)
    1. Grade level Literacy and Financial Literacy Curriculum will be taught
  - iv. Extension of Debt
    1. Election in March
  - v. National School Board Week Presentation
  - vi. Poore Man on the Roof Food Drive; Jan. 18 – Feb. 1
- II. Distressed School Trends
  - a. Attendance
    - i. Dr. Whitehorn presented an interpretation of the data
    - ii. Discussion about improvements in attendance
    - iii. Request for additional data
      1. court referrals for too many absences
      2. Drill down of attendance (percentage)
  - b. Student Grades
    - i. Dr. Whitehorn presented a comparison of A's and F's
    - ii. Request for additional data
      1. Drill down of data into percentage
      2. Math and Literacy grade trends
- III. CAB Quarterly Report
  - a. Mr. Wood distributed first quarterly report
  - b. Discussion about upcoming community meetings
- IV. Public Comments – no comments
- V. Other
  - a. ASBA Delegate – Antony Hampton volunteered.
  - b. Personnel Hearings – Jan. 19<sup>th</sup>, Jan 26, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, February 16<sup>th</sup>, Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>.
  - c. Adopted a policy of limiting employee suspension hearing presentations to 120 minutes for both District and Appellant
- VI. Personnel Hearing