

February 28, 2023

The regular meeting of the **EDUCATION ADVISORY BOARD** was called to order by Chair Spradley at 7:04 P.M., Tuesday, February 28, 2023, in the Carl Shechter SW Focal Point Senior Center, 301 NW 103rd Avenue, Pembroke Pines, Florida.

Present: Chair Spradley, Vice Chair Mansfield, Member Hawkes; Alternate Member Swanson

Absent: Member Jones-Ferguson

Also present: City Liaison Dr. Sporillo and Board Secretary Katherine Borgstrom

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A motion by Vice Chair Mansfield, seconded by Member Hawkes, to approve the minutes of the January 24, 2023 meeting as received passed unanimously.

EXCUSED ABSENCES:

A motion by Alternate Member Swanson, seconded by Vice Chair Mansfield, to excuse the absence of Member Jones Ferguson from the February meeting passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS:

Members discussed making attempts to connect with their assigned schools again. Many have not had responses to inquiries.

Members discussed current curriculum legislation before the state house and senate. Members discussed the City's stance on curriculum matters and teaching of non-approved curriculum, with what fallout there would be for teachers. Members were guided to understand that all schools in the county, traditional or charter schools, are required to follow the county guidelines and standards, and can choose to use any State approved curriculum.

Members asked for a speaker to be contacted from the school district offices that might be able to answer questions on this subject. Members are asked to send questions in advance of the meeting when the speaker can be scheduled, so that the speaker can be equipped with correct and adequate information.

NEW BUSINESS:

There was no new business.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned by Chair Spradley at 7:41 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Katherine Borgstrom

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Board Secretary

ADJOURNED: 7:41 P.M.

APPROVED: March 28, 2023