

**Whiddon-Rogers Education Center
School Advisory Council Meeting
700 SW 26th Street, Ft Lauderdale, FL 33315
General Meeting
September 24, 2025 – 9:45 am**

Time meeting called: 9:45 am

Location: Media Center

- I. Desired Outcomes
 - a. Monitor School Improvement Plan (SIP)
 - b. Areas of Focus: Attendance and Graduation
- II. Introduction
- III. Welcome – Mr. Howard, *Principal*: Ms. Morris spoke on behalf of Mr. Howard
- IV. Review of May 2025 minutes: Ms. Thompson moved to accept the May 21, 2025 minutes and Ms. Merone seconded the motion.
- V. Administrative Report
 - a. Main Campus (High School and Middle School): Ms. Morris reported –
 - a. We are now in the testing season.
 - b. The math department was lauded as being one of the top 5 schools in the district in terms of math performance.
 - c. Our attendance committee and attendance plan were recognized by the district.
 - a. DJJ Report: Ms. Tapper reported on behalf of Ms. Smith –
 - a. Chef Rock and Z. Smith have been working with the students.
 - b. DJJ have conducted 2 open houses for their students.
 - c. DJJ has had one graduate.
 - b. Workforce Programs
 - c. SESIR Updates: Mr. Schubert reported that we had 8 events that were reported to the state. This is lower than it was last year at this time.
- VI. New Business
 - a. Presentation to Teacher of the Year Mr. Golson and School Related Employee of the Year Ms. McBride: Ms. Morris acknowledged both Mr. Golson and Ms. McBride for their respective wins.

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- b. New Committee Members Vote: Members of the SAC committee voted on the following items.
 - i. Ms. Hucey discussed the need to establish a nomination committee. Ms. Thompson nominated herself, Ms. Hucey nominated herself, and Ms. McFarlane nominated herself. Ms. Hucey made a motion to close the nominations, and Ms. Thompson seconded the motion. A vote for Dion Thompson, Tamakia McFarland, and Valerie Hucey as members of the nomination committee was taken. The floor was opened for discussion. A vote was taken, a quorum of 9 members was present, and the vote passed.
 - ii. Ms. Hucey asked for nominations for SAC Chair and Co-chair. Ms. Thompson nominated Ms. Hucey and Mr. Schubert. Anjelica Maharaj seconded the motion. The floor was opened for discussion. A vote was taken, a quorum of 9 members was present, and the vote passed.
 - iii. Ms. Hucey nominated Dion Thompson as SAC Secretary. Mr. Schubert seconded the motion. The floor was opened for discussion. A vote was taken, a quorum of 9 members was present, and the vote passed.
- c. SAC By-Laws: SAC- By-Laws: Ms. Hucey discussed adjusting Article 3, Section 3 of the SAC By-Laws to reflect a term length of 2 years as opposed to 1 year for members of SAC. A motion was made by Ms. Thompson to adjust it to 2 years, and Ms. McFarlane seconded the motion. The floor was opened for discussion. A vote was taken, a quorum of 9 members was present, and the vote passed.
- d. Roberts Rule of Order
- e. Presentation by Community Partners on Prevention Control: Ms. Hallmon spoke about the Prevention Control program.
- f. Current Accountability Funds Balance (to be determined)

VII. Questions and Concerns

VIII. Adjourn

Time meeting adjourned: 10:27 am

Next Meeting Date:

October 22, 2025

SAC Meeting Dates:

1. Wednesday, September 24, 2025
2. Wednesday, October 22, 2025
3. Wednesday, November 19, 2025

4. Wednesday, December 10, 2025
5. Wednesday, January 21, 2026
6. Wednesday, February 25, 2026

7. Wednesday, March 11, 2026
8. Wednesday, April 22, 2026
9. Wednesday, May 20, 2026