

Lloyd Estates Elementary School

School Advisory Forum (SAF) Meeting Agenda October 6, 2026 Meeting

Report from Thursday, May 21, 2026 | 6:15–8:45 PM Monarch High School North Area

Advisory Meeting

Meeting Facilitator: Mr. Rifkin, SAF Chair

Call to Order and Welcome

- **Budget and Staffing Concerns**

Review of the new staffing allocation model
Enrollment projections and staffing impact
Class size, support positions, and ESE services
Budget transparency and referendum renewal

- **Election Results for 2026–2027**

Announcement of elected officers and representatives
Review of vacant positions

- **Elementary Subcommittee Report**

Computer-based student testing requirements
Student data privacy and collection practices
Impact of testing on instructional time
Proposed optional assessments

North Region Update

Leadership transition for the 2026–2027 school year

Update report from Thursday, September 17, 2026 | 6:15 PM Monarch High School North

Area Advisory Meeting

North Area Advisory Council Updates from

- Elections for open positions
- Bus Patrol presentation
- BCPS referendum information and discussion

Questions, Comments, and Announcements

Adjournment

Lloyd Estates Elementary School SAF Chair Update Minutes

North Area Advisory Council Meeting For May 21, 2026 at Monarch High School 6:15–8:45 PM

May 2026 SAF Meeting Updates Presented at October 7, 2026 SAF Meeting
Presented by: Mr. Ritkin, SAF Chair

Budget and Staffing Concerns

A presentation from the Broward Principals' and Assistant Principals' Association focused on significant concerns regarding the district's new staffing allocation model. Discussion centered on:

- Changes from an FTE-based funding model to a unit-based staffing model.
- Concerns about projected enrollment figures and their impact on staffing allocations.
- Potential increases in class size and reductions in support positions, including ESE services.
- Challenges schools may face in rehiring staff if enrollment increases after October counts.
- Concerns regarding transparency in budget development and school-level funding decisions.
- Discussion regarding the upcoming referendum renewal and its importance in maintaining current teacher salary funding.

Election Results for 2026-2027

Officers and representatives were elected:

- Chair: Mario Marcano
- Vice Chair: Brooke Panagakos
- Recording Secretary: Nicole Diamas
- Elementary Representative: Lisa Reas
- Middle School Representative: Loomi
- Parent-at-Large: Cynthia Dominique
- Citizen-at-Large: Jose "Joe" Morera
- Facilities Representative: Muriel Theophin-Atilius
- Gifted Representative: Loomi
- ESE Representative: Jacqui Luscombe
- Legislative Representative: Dr. Tai Quay Bogle

Several positions remain vacant, including Communications Chair, High School Representative, Student Representative, ESOL Representative, Teacher Representative, and Business Representative.

Elementary Subcommittee Report

The Elementary Subcommittee shared findings regarding:

- Student testing requirements, particularly computer-based assessments.
- Concerns about student data privacy and data collection practices.
- Questions regarding the instructional impact of testing on classroom learning time.
- The District's proposal to make certain assessments optional.

Members agreed that additional information is needed before making formal recommendations and requested greater transparency regarding technology contracts and student data protections.

North Region Update

Members were informed that Dr. Jermaine Fleming and his leadership team will transition to the South Region for the 2026-2027 school year. Alan Strauss and his team will assume leadership of the North Region.

Update report from Thursday, September 17, 2026 | 6:15 PM Monarch High School North Area Advisory Meeting

North Area Advisory Council Updates from

- **Elections for Open Positions:** Elections for vacant positions were planned for the September 17 meeting.
- **Bus Patrol Presentation:** The district's Bus Patrol program was reviewed. School buses are equipped with cameras, and motorists who illegally pass a stopped school bus may receive a citation. Recorded footage is reviewed by local law enforcement.
- **BCPS Referendum Information and Discussion:** An overview of the BCPS referendum was presented and discussed with members.

Submitted by: **Mr. Rifkin**, SAF Chair, Lloyd Estates Elementary School

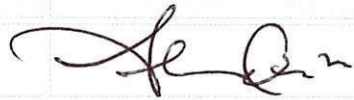
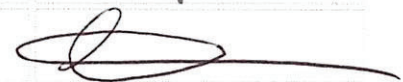
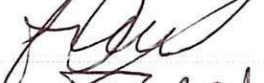
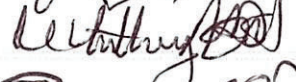
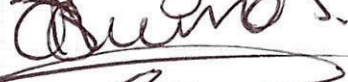
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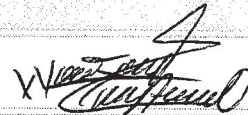
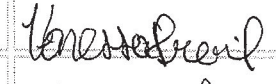
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#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Allen, Shawn	Principal	Yes	No	<i>Shawn Allen</i> <i>Se</i>
2	Joseph, Natacha	Parent	No	Yes	<i>Natacha Joseph</i>
3	Louisma, Yvelene	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	<i>Yvelene Louisma</i>
4	Naylor, Lew	Community School Representative (if applicable)	No	No	<i>Lew Naylor</i>
5	Pierce, Bridgette	Community / Business Representatives	No	No	
6	Pierre Louis, Leonette	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	<i>Leonette P. Louis</i>
7	Rifkin, Andrew	SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	<i>Andrew Rifkin</i>
8	Sotus, Cathy	BTU Steward (or designee)	<u>Yes</u>	No	<i>Cathy Sotus</i>
9	Sylvester, Cecily	Pre-K (if applicable - parent or certified teacher)	No	Yes	

Lloyd Estates Elementary School (1091)
School Advisory Council (SAC)
SAC Sign-In Sheet 2026-2027

Date: October 6, 2026

Time: 8:15 AM

#	Print Full Name	Email Address	Parent of Student (Yes/No)	SBBC Employee (Yes/No)	Community/Business (Yes/No)	Signature
1	Shemeka McPherson	Shmkmphrsna@yahoo.com	Yes			
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6	ESlene Cineus	ESleneCineus9802N	N	N	City	
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9	Yvonne Lewis			Yes		
10	NATACHA Jost			yes		
11	Cheryl Zasun	CherylKent18@gmail.com				

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