

**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING**

January 17, 2024

Summary

Members Present

Geanny Ruiz	Nethel Stephens
Matt Walters	Ram Tewari
Nathan Cherson	Sue Colton
Nancy Fry	

Members Absent

Liza Erazo
Maya Gordon

STAFF PRESENT: Tom Albano, Coordinator (via TEAMS), Marion Williams, Committee Liaison, Carlisa Russell, Human Relations Council Liaison, Lisa Eutsey, Instructional Facilitator, Equity, Diversity & School Climate; Latricia Lauture, Office Manager, School Counseling.

CALL TO ORDER

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board of Broward County, Florida Human Relations Committee was held on Wednesday, January 17, 2024, at 4:00 p.m. at the Lauderdale Manors Administrative Center. The meeting was called to order by Nancy Fry at 4:16 p.m. A quorum was not present.

PRESENTATION:

A presentation by Tom Albano on the Inclusive Schools Student Support Guide was followed by questions from the committee.

QUORUM ESTABLISHED

A quorum having been established the meeting continued with the business requiring committee approval.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the regular meeting for December 20, 2023, were approved by unanimous consent.

AD HOC COMMITTEE MEETING

An Ad Hoc online committee meeting is scheduled for Monday, January 29th at 6:00 p.m. to review and make recommendations to the bylaws.

MOTIONS:

A motion was made by Nethel Stephens and seconded by Ram Tewari that School Board Policy 1.5 be adopted as written with highlighted changes that have been identified in the current document. The Motion was adopted.

A motion was made by Geanny (Joseph) Ruiz and seconded by Narciso Cherson to recommend that the District creates a formal process of dissemination of the Inclusive Schools Student Support Guide to parents, guardians and families. The Motion was adopted.

A motion was made by Narciso Cherson and seconded by Matt J. Walters for a compliance process which will ensure that all instructional and non instructional staff receive training on the Inclusive School Student Support Guide. The Motion was adopted.

Meeting adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for
February 21, 2024, at 4:00 p.m. at
the Lauderdale Manors Administrative Center