

TSMS
GOVERNING BOARD MEETING MINUTES

3434 North Monroe St.
Tallahassee, FL 32303
Wednesday, March 27th , 2024
5:05 pm

- 1- Call to order
- 2- Approval of the agenda items
- 3- Public Remarks
- 4- Principal Remarks
- 5- Approval of Board meeting minutes (12/06/2023)
- 6- Title-I Update
- 7- School Financials
- 8- Closure of the meeting

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Additional Information

– Board members present –

Dr. Dogan Tozoglu, Dr. Ugur Baslanti, Dr. Mark Bourassa, Bill Gladwin

Issues/Items motioned and voted on by Governing Board Members:

1. The Board meeting was called to order at 5:05 pm
2. **Approval of the agenda items** – Dr. Tozoglu moved to approve the agenda items as it is presented. Mr. Galdwin 2nd the motion. **The Board unanimously approved the agenda item.**
3. **Public Remarks** – There were no public remarks.
4. **Principal Remarks** – Principal Temel mentioned that the school is almost done with the enrollment for the next year. He mentioned that they had some challenges last year with the kindergarten enrollment however they did not experience the same difficulties with the numbers. Principal Temel stated that they are aiming higher this year in terms of enrollment numbers to be in a safer spot. Principal Temel stated that most of the students returning and there were few additional hiring and some internal changes would take place but that he was expecting less hiring compared to last year. Principal Temel also stated that the school is getting ready for the FAST testing. Dr. Tozoglu recommended that Valdosta State University is holding an educational Job Fair and if needed Principal Temel can go.
5. **Approval of Board meetings minutes (12/06/2024)** – Dr. Tozoglu moved to approve the agenda items as it is presented. Dr. Baslanti 2nd the motion. **The Board unanimously approved the agenda item.**
6. **Title-I Updates**—Principal Temel stated that they received the Title-I budget and seemed a little less than last year's budget and they already submitted the Title-I plan and relevant documents. The money will be utilized on staffing or devices if needed and all seems to be ready for next year. Dr. T suggested that they may need to sit down and go over the budget since ESSER funding is done and will no longer exist.
7. **School Financials**—Mr. Yaksikli stated that the FTE projected was 570 and we were receiving funding based on 579 they have just updated the numbers for this year as of the end of February with the adjusted FTE number to 588. Dr. T asked if this was the average student number and principal Temel confirmed that it was the average student number. Mr. Yaksikli stated that the school no longer received ESSER III and they have budgeted based on these. Mr. Y stated that the school will be receiving more FTE than budgeted since the school budgeted for 570 and school will be receiving for 588 therefore there will be a surplus at the end of the year.
8. **Closure of the meeting** – Dr. Tozoglu moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Gladwin 2nd the motion and the meeting were adjourned at 5:23

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