

MINUTES - AS PRESENTED 10/5/21
CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
ATTENDANCE ZONE ADVISORY COMMISSION

TELECONFERENCE ONLY

January 19, 2021

9:31 a.m.

Roll Call:

Members Present

Becky Nielsen, Vice Chair
Barbara Dreyer, Member (arrived at 9:36 a.m.)
Bruce Ewing, Member
Dave Flatt, Member
Diane Kinsel, Member (arrived at 9:47 a.m.)
Mallory Levins, Member
Lois Mack, Member
Dr. Greta Peay, Member
Matthew Tramp, Member (switched to webcam at 9:46 a.m.)
Colleen Wilson-Pappa, Member
Rachel Wren, Member

Members Absent

Albert Delgado, Chair

Rick Baldwin, Director II
Tracy Murphy, Coordinator IV
Steve Burda, GIS Coordinator III
Sheri Garbiso, GIS Senior Analyst

Ray Negrete, Transportation Coordinator IV

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA.

Motion to adopt agenda dated January 19, 2021.

Motion: Dave Flatt Second: Matthew Tramp
Albert Delgado, Barbara Dryer, and Diane Kinsel were not present to vote.

Vote: Unanimous

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD ON AGENDA ITEMS.

No public comments were submitted.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.

Approval of the AZAC meeting minutes for December 1, 2020.

Motion: Dave Flatt Second: Rachel Wren
Albert Delgado, Barbara Dryer, and Diane Kinsel were not present to vote.

Vote: Unanimous

REPORTS.

Rick Baldwin stated that there were no new reports.

REVIEW OF PUBLIC INPUT SUBMITTED VIA EMAIL AND CONSIDERATION TO ESTABLISH AN ATTENDANCE BOUNDARY FOR THE NEW HANNAH MARIE BROWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, OPENING 2021, AT CHAPATA DRIVE AND CASADY HOLLOW AVENUE.

Becky Nielson read the description of Focus Area E1. She said this is to establish an attendance boundary for the new Hannah Marie Brown Elementary School at Chapata Drive and Casady Hollow Avenue scheduled to open 2021 and evaluates the existing attendance boundary of Lorna J. Kesterson, Neil C. Twitchell, and John C. Vanderburg Elementary Schools.

Mallory Levins stated that AZAC has received a lot of public input regarding the proposals. She said that there was more support for Proposal 2.

Rick Baldwin proudly announced that the new elementary school opening for the 2021 school year at Chapata Drive and Casady Hollow Avenue had been named Hannah Marie Brown Elementary School. He stated that he had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Brown a few years ago. Rick said he was excited to have a school named after such a remarkable woman.

Rick Baldwin informed AZAC that the current principal of Neil C. Twitchell Elementary School, Michele Wooldridge, had been appointed principal for the new Hannah Marie Brown Elementary School. He said that he believed the appointment was very positive and that it would make the transition a lot easier for the students.

Becky Nielson stated that she too was glad that the new school had been named. She said she has seen great response from the parents and the public when a highly regarded principal takes over a new school.

Colleen Wilson-Pappa did a recap stating that Scenario 1 was dropped, Scenario 2 is Proposal 1 and Scenario 3 is Proposal 2. She said that her notes stated that Proposal 2 was Justin Hepworth's preference and that was the best scenario for Transportation. Colleen stated that from the public comments most were in support of Proposal 2 and that is what she is leaning towards.

Mallory Levins stated that is what she recalled from Justin Hepworth's statements from the last meeting and that was the best option from Transportation. She said the majority of public comments were in support of Proposal 2.

Motion to move Proposal 2 to recommendation to establish the new Hannah Marie Brown attendance boundary and reassign Lorna J. Kesterson, Neil C. Twitchell and John C. Vanderburg Elementary Schools.

Motion: Mallory Levins

Second: Dr. Greta Peay

Vote: Unanimous

Albert Delgado and Diane Kinsel were not present to vote.

REVIEW OF PUBLIC INPUT SUBMITTED VIA EMAIL AND CONSIDERATION TO ADJUST THE ATTENDANCE BOUNDARIES FOR LINDA RANKIN GIVENS, WILLIAM LUMMIS, AND BILLY AND ROSEMARY VASSILIADIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

Becky Nielson read the description of Focus Area E2. She said this evaluates the attendance boundaries of Linda Rankin Givens, William Lummis, and Billy and Rosemary Vassiliadis Elementary Schools.

Matthew Tramp stated that no current students will be affected by these zone changes. He said that AZAC had received a few emails with the public concerns regarding the rezoning however, they were cleared up. Matthew stated that Proposal 2 is the proposal he and Rachel Wren are leaning towards.

Rick Baldwin stated that the emails received did show that the public had some confusion about no current students being affected by the rezoning of this area. He said that the Public Comments flyer stated "These proposals only consider reassigning the residential growth areas. No currently enrolled students would be reassigned." Rick stated that Vassiliadis Elementary School can not continue to handle all the growth. He stated that he is very concerned with all the potential growth coming in that area. He stated that Givens Elementary School does have space available as they are under capacity.

Rachel Wren recapped the emails AZAC received for Focus Area E2.

Motion to move Proposal 2 to recommendation to reassign Linda Rankin Givens, William Lummis, and Billy and Rosemary Vassiliadis Elementary Schools.

Motion: Matthew Tramp

Second: Rachel Wren

Vote: Unanimous

Albert Delgado was not present to vote.

REVIEW OF PUBLIC INPUT SUBMITTED VIA EMAIL AND CONSIDERATION TO ESTABLISH AN ATTENDANCE BOUNDARY FOR THE NEW BARRY AND JUNE GUNDERSON MIDDLE SCHOOL, OPENING 2021, AT MOUNTAINS EDGE PARKWAY AND BUFFALO DRIVE.

Becky Nielson read the description of Focus Area M1. She said this is to establish an attendance boundary for the new Barry and June Gunderson Middle School at Mountains Edge Parkway and Buffalo Drive.

Rick Baldwin stated that the new middle school opening for the 2021 school year at Mountains Edge Parkway and Buffalo Drive had been named Barry and June Gunderson Middle School.

Rick Baldwin informed AZAC that the current principal of Frias Elementary School, Pamela Lindemuth, had been appointed principal for the new Barry and June Gunderson Middle School. He said that he had not received any emails for this area.

Dr. Greta Peay stated that she had spoken with Albert Delado and did not receive any public concerns or emails. She had the pleasure of working with the Gundersons and was excited to have a school named after them.

Motion to move Proposal 2 to recommendation to establish the new Barry and June Gunderson attendance boundary and reassign Wilbur and Theresa Faiss, and Lois and Jerry Tarkanian Middle Schools.

Motion: Dr. Greta Peay

Second: Dave Flatt

Vote: Unanimous

Albert Delgado was not present to vote.

CALENDAR, DATES, AND TIMES.

Rick Baldwin stated that the special joint zoning meeting with the Board and AZAC will be held on Monday, March 1, 2021, 5:30 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS.

No public comments were submitted.

ADJOURN.

Motion to adjourn meeting at 10:06 a.m.

Motion: Matthew Tramp

Second: Dave Flatt

Vote: Unanimous

Albert Delgado was not present to vote.