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SBDM Minutes Special- Called Meeting January 23, 2025

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 5:32 PM by Dr. Orr. Dr. Anthony Orr, Mr. Matthew Conrad, Ms Leslie Davis, Mr. Alex Dixon, Mr. Scott Emmons, Mr. Tim Mitsumori, Mr. Bryson Perry, Ms. Sophie Schwab, and Ms. Whitney Walker were all in attendance.

Guests Present: Dr. Candice Conley was present.

Approve the Agenda: There was a motion to approve the agenda by Mr. Conrad and seconded by Mr. Perry. All were in favor.

Approve Minutes: There was a motion to approve the minutes from December 5, 2024 by Ms. Walker, and seconded by Mr Emmons. All were in favor.

Public Comments: There were none.

CSIP Development and Approval: Dr. Conley shared Lafayette's CSIP plan. The only change noted was an update to Family Engagement data. There was a motion to approve the CSIP as presented by Ms. Walker. It was seconded by Ms. Schwab and all were in favor.

First Reading of the Final Exemption Policy: There was a first reading of the revised final exemption policy. To build upon the success of last year's revision to include EL students, Dr. Conley drafted a proposal to incentivize students with IEPs during state testing. Mr. Perry suggested all use of the word "senior" to be changed to "graduation student" to continue the format of current policy which isn't limited to only seniors. There was a motion to approve the first reading of the Final Exemption policy by Mr. Emmons with edits as noted. The motion was seconded by Ms. Schwab. All were in favor. There will be a second reading during February's regular scheduled meeting.

25-26 Course Directory: Dr. Orr shared the proposed 25-26 Course Directory. He would like a motion to approve. These course directories and their wording are very intentional and important to Lafayette and the Council. There was a motion to approve the 25-26 Course Directory by Mr. Perry. It was seconded by Ms. Walker and all were in favor.

Administration

Consideration to add section of EL Government: Mr. Mitsumori asked the council to approve the addition of an EL Government class this Spring semester, 2025. Our EL population increases throughout the year. This will be a first semester class offered in the Spring to decrease class numbers and to separate by content and level. It is suggested that Mrs. Riley Murray will teach this section where they will have a hybrid class block mirroring the schedule of EL English and Math classes. There will be a 90 minute block separated into two 45 minute blocks. One 45 minute block will deliver new material while the other will focus on support and remediation. There was a motion to approve by Mr. Perry. It was seconded by Mr. Dixon and none were opposed.

SCAPA Visual Art: Architecture Specialization:

The proposal presented at the November 2024 meeting to approve a SCAPA Arts Specialization in Architecture was reviewed. The new pathway opportunities will increase options for post secondary readiness and will help with KSA results. There was a motion to approve by Mr. Perry. It was seconded by Mr. Emmons and all were in favor.

Budget & Staffing:

- **Section 6 School Budget report:** Dr. Orr shared the Section 6 budget report for the month of December.
- **Second Month Adjustment:** Dr. Orr shared the status of the second month adjustment.

Revision of Consultation Policy: There was a first reading of the revised consultation policy by Dr. Orr. Although this is mainly for the hiring of principals, this could also affect certified and classified staff members. There was a motion to approve the new policy as written by Ms. Walker. It was seconded by Ms. Schwab and all were in favor. There will be a second reading during February's regular scheduled meeting.

Adjournment: Mr. Perry made a motion to adjourn at 6:30 pm, it was seconded by Mr. Emmons and all were in favor.