

SCHOOL OF LIBERAL STUDIES @

SAVANNAH HIGH

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Advisory Committee Minutes

Advisory Committee Meeting Thursday, December 17, 2020 at 3pm (Virtual)

Mrs. Valarie Ragland, Chairperson, called the meeting to order.

Members present were: Valarie Ragland – Chairperson, Ashley Dubois – Vice Chairperson, Gequetta Jenkins, Clyde Newton, Joe Brannen, Jacquelyn Ogden, Cornelia Hall, Barbara Foley, Vernon Wright, Angelina Brown, Kenneth Sitterson, Patrick Norris, Jacquelyn Sumpter, Ec Everett, Robert Kicklighter, Sgm. McDowell, Timothy Sheppard, Karyta Byers, Tiwanna Jones, Leona Gerido, Delores Screen.

Minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved.

Opening:

The meeting opened with discussion of the ongoing virtual learning process. The Board was informed that we are using a format called ItsLearning. We are all still trying to get used to the format as well as the students.

There has been some discussion about Savannah High becoming a Career Academy. This discussion was brought up before, however it was tabled. Moving forward there is a good possibility this will happen, especially with the new Engineering and Welding labs. In addition, Savannah High could become a shared facility. The idea here is students from other schools would be able to come to Savannah High to take CTAE classes. This will assist in recruiting students to come and take advantage of our pathway offerings.

Unfinished Business:

None

New Business:

The School of Liberal Studies may be headed toward Industry Certification. Presently, we are the only high school that does not have a certified CTAE program. We will receive additional information on this and will pass it on as the information becomes available. We will need the Advisory Committee to provide us with guidance as we approach this project.

All committee members expressed their support for the Certification project. Tim Sheppard shall serve as the contact person to keep the committee informed of all steps in the process.

There being no other business, meeting adjourned at 4:00pm