

Non-Public DAC Meeting Minutes

September 8, 2025

In attendance:

Chase Allen

Kristina Burns

Lamia Clipps

Jackualyn Deanes

Torsha Haynes

Jack McClellan

Kaitlyn McCollum

Cindy Plansky

Candace White Halverson

I. Introductions

II. Chairperson Selections

- a. Chair - *Candace White Halverson (Unanimous Consent)*
- b. Vice Chair - *Torsha Haynes (Unanimous Consent)*
- c. Secretary – *Jack McClellan (Unanimous Consent)*
- d. Media - *Jackualyn Deanes (Unanimous Consent)*

III. Back-to-School Events

1. *Discussion of a need for a calendar with all the available dated on it.*
2. *The “fast facts” sheet is going to be sent out so we can all spread out at individual events and encourage participation.*
3. *Anything we can do to promote participation is key this year.*

IV. Public Meetings

1. *To be scheduled. Primarily going to be digital. School system is working out some ways around the technology issues that came up last year.*

V. Goals for the Year

a. Additional Members

1. *DAC has been invited along side Superintendent to talk to HS students about joining the DAC.*
2. *No student participation yet.*
3. *Anyone interested in joining is encouraged to apply. There is no “conflict of interest” or ban on children of DAC members applying/joining.*

b. Training

c. School Tours

1. *Are necessary. It shows both that we are watching what is going on and helps us keep up with changes in challenging areas.*
2. *Typically happen during the school day. Schedule to be announced. We might have to divide them up to make sure of coverage.*

d. Survey

1. *Developed last year. We need to take another look and push out to the community to try and get more/better responses this year.*
2. *Maybe set as a QR code we could put on the fast facts sheet or a small business card sized sheet we can hand out?*
3. *Who collects and when should we study that data?*

e. What else?

1. *Last report/presentation seemed to come off as contentious with the school system. We should strive to find some items within the report this year to celebrate. But at the same time, we should not shy away from the truth of the data.*