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Site Based Meeting

September 27, 2011, 6:30pm Media Center

- Introduction- Began at 6:30pm
- Present- Sam Basden,, Susan Forgione, April Dawkins, Colleen Johnson, Gabriela Grello, Brooke Stegall, Phil Collins (in for Kelly Crowell), Steve Jackson, Trey Staviski, Jill Reed, Marianne Conti, Taylor West, Victoria Edmonds, William Turner, Shelby Darling
- Absent- Ian Faires, Rebecca Manning

- Approval of Minutes
- May 10, 2011 Minutes- approved by unanimous vote
- September 6, 2011 Minutes- approved by unanimous vote

- Site-Based Operations
 - Required workday, November 23- Basden explained that we would have the workday on November 23, 2011. However, a small number of exceptions would have the opportunity to go to Cuthbertson or Monroe High School on Sat. November 11, 2011 instead. This group would have brought their situations to the attention of Human Resources (Dr. Clarke) for approval already. Using November 11, 2011 instead of November 23, 2011 is not an option for the staff. Staff members that go to Cuthbertson or Monroe High School will have to participate in the activities the school is doing on that day.
 - Motion to approve November 23, 2011 as the teacher workday - 1st by Phil Collins, 2nd by April Dawkins
 - Approved by unanimous vote

- PRHS Instruction
 - Approval of amended School Improvement Plan/Goals- Forgione explained that the School Improvement Plan is a “work in progress”. As a result, one correlate changed some things while others just amended. Basden showed the School Improvement Plan and explained these changes. We are increasing our goals for the school, such as the cohort graduation rate to 93%. PRHS wants to improve recognition of academic award winners and increase AP performance. Brooke Stegall asked about the Global School Program. Basden discussed that changes have been made in the scoring process. It is now a rubric style grading system. The School Improvement Plan is on the school website for perusal.
 - Motion to approve the School Improvement Plan- 1st Steve Jackson, 2nd Colleen Johnson
 - Approved by unanimous vote



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- PRHS Operations
 - Budget Overview- Basden discussed and showed us the budget from last year. He explained the 4 resources of money and restrictions for each set. PRHS had \$173,825.00 dollars last year. The school needs to anticipate 25% less money this year, \$130,368.75. Basden justified his money choices and the needs of the school in the current proposal for the budget. He is submitting the proposal to the county for approval.

- Old Business
 - none
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- New business
 - Homecoming Dance is on October 22, 2011
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- Conclusion
 - Next meeting – Tuesday, November 8, 2011, 6:30 p.m., Media Center.
 - We discussed the possibility of moving the date, due to November 8, 2011 being Election Day. The decision was made to keep the day and time for the next meeting.



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