**G.C. BURKHEAD SITE BASED COUNCIL**

**JANUARY SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

**January 25th, 2:45pm**

The meeting was called to order by the chairperson, Hal Bender, with the following members present: Mary Horn, Alisa Nichols, Heather Korrell and Dannya Mora.

Members Absent –Erica Nichols

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS – Anita Curry, Jennie Riney

Alisa Nichols made a motion to approve the agenda. Mary Horn seconded. Motion carried by consensus.

Alisa Nichols made a motion to approve the November minutes. Mary Horn seconded. Motion carried by consensus.

Mr. Bender went over the instructional update. Mr. Bender stated that the staff had been preparing for the possibility of NTI in the future due to weather. By January 26th, all students will have the materials they need sent home in the case of NTI. Mr. Bender thanked the staff for the quick turnaround in providing that.

The council discussed the Homework Policy, picking up the conversation from last month. Discussion ended in December with the issue of assigning nightly reading as homework. After debate, the council was able to come up with a suggested policy. Ms. Korrell will revise the current proposal for review and present at our next meeting.

Mr. Bender presented the budget. Currently, the school’s per pupil budget is higher this year than it was last at this time last year. A recent refund from IReady was deposited, accounting for this.

New business – None

**ADJOURNMENT – There being no further business Alisa Nichols motioned to adjourn the meeting. Heather Korrell seconded. Motion carried by consensus.**

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