

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and Commissioners
THRU: Charles Dodge, City Manager
FROM: Katherine Borgstrom, Board Secretary
DATE: June 1, 2026 for the meeting date of May 28, 2026

SUMMARY

FSU/PINES CHARTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD/PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

Present: Vice Chair Founds; Members Bonilla, Cayson, Jeffries, Gregory, Garfield and Roman

Absent: Chair Jones, Member Miranda

Also Present: Principal Lisa Maraj, Vice Principal Dr. Pizzo, and Katherine Borgstrom, Board Secretary

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

Jonathan Bonilla, Assistant City Manager, presented the 2026-2027 Charter FSU Budget to the board members. He took questions. The board members voted to approve the budget as presented.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dr. Maraj presented Ms. Perez who presented the final results of the 2025-2026 A+ Funds Distribution Committee to the board. These funds will be distributed according to the vote of the staff of the school when the state announces A+ schools and distributes the funds. The board approved the plan.

Dr. Maraj presented the District Comprehensive Evidence-Based Reading Plan for 2026-2027 and the board approved the plan.

Dr. Maraj presents the ESOL Plan from the FSU PAEC and the board approved the plan.

Dr. Maraj shared that Dr. Jones is retiring from FSU and therefore the board. She spoke about him and that he had been involved with the Charter FSU school since the beginning in 2003. She reported that a plaque will be presented to Dr. Jones for his service to the Charter FSU Advisory Board and community. She also shared that Member Garfield is moving and will not continue to be a board member. Dr. Maraj and Dr. Pizzo presented certificates of appreciation to all the board members and they also each received a 2025-2026 yearbook.

Dr. Maraj spoke about upcoming events for the Charter FSU students and families.

OPEN FORUM

No one spoke during the Open Forum.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting was set for Thursday, October 1, 2026.

ACTIONS TAKEN

- Motion passed to approve the March 11, 2026 minutes, as received.
- Motion passed to excuse Chair Jones and Member Miranda from May meeting.
- Motion passed to approve the 2026-2027 Charter FSU Budget as presented
- Motion passed to approve the 2025-2026 A+ Funds Distribution Committee plan as received.
- Motion passed to approve the District Comprehensive Evidence-Based Reading Plan for 2026-2027.
- Motion passed to approve the 2026-2027 ESOL Plan from the FSU PAEC.
- By consensus, the next meeting date was set for October 1, 2026 at the Charter FSU Elementary School Campus.