

**REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
Kirby-Smith Center**

**FEBRUARY 15, 2000
Tuesday, 7 p.m.**

The mission of the Alachua County school district, the vital force in the heart of northern Florida, is to guarantee each student will excel in every chosen arena through an education system characterized by compassion and integrity, an engaging curriculum tailored to meet individual needs and aspirations, application of innovative approaches, and the courage to continuously form and reform to meet every new challenge.

AGENDA

A. PRELIMINARY ITEMS

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING OF FEBRUARY 1, 2000
- 4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA
- 5. BOARD MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 6. RECOGNITION—1999-2000 Outstanding School Volunteers Scarborough
- 7. SCHEDULED AGENCIES *(This provides agencies the opportunity to address the Board prior to the regular business meeting. Approximately five minutes will normally be scheduled for each agency.)*
- 8. CITIZEN INPUT *(This provides citizens the opportunity to address the Board prior to the regular business meeting. It is requested that citizens keep their comments to approximately three minutes.)*

B. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT--ACTION ITEMS/ PRESENTATIONS/REPORTS

- 1. PRESENTATION—Guidance Daniels
- 2. REPORT
- 3. ACTION ITEMS
 - a. Charter School Application Childs

Genesis Preparatory School of Gainesville, Inc.—An application for a new charter school to serve 40 kindergarten students in the 2000-2001 school year has been submitted.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The superintendent recommends that the School Board (1) approve the application in concept; (2) authorize the staff to develop a proposed charter contract; and (3) schedule a public hearing on the proposed charter contract for 7:30 p.m., April 4, 2000.

- b. Student Cases No. 00-05-X Wittmer
- c. Schedule a Workshop 9 a.m., March 9, 2000, to receive the Career Service Compensation Study Marazza

C. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT--CONSENT AGENDA

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The administration recommends that the School Board approve the Consent Agenda as described in item 1.

- 1. Employment of Personnel--Attachments A & B..... Cake

D. DISCUSSION ITEM

Board Member Requests

E. ADJOURNMENT

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