THE SCHOOL BOARD OF PALM BEACH COUNTY
ANNOUNCES THE FOLLOWING VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETINGS THAT WILL BE BROADCAST LIVE
AND記錄 FOR LATER VIEWING VIA OUR WEBSITE
(UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)

DATE: WEDNESDAY, August 26, 2020
TIME: 2 p.m.
PURPOSE: VIRTUAL WORKSHOP: 1) Policy 1.03 School Board Meetings; 2) Capital Budget Workshop; 3) COVID Operations

TIME: Immediately Following Workshop
PURPOSE: VIRTUAL SPECIAL MEETING: 1) Policy 1.03 School Board Meetings – Development; 2) Personnel; 3) Board Advisory Membership; 4) Charter Schools; 5) Academic Agreements

A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY EXISTS DUE TO THE COVID-19 VIRUS PANDEMIC. THE STATE SURGEON GENERAL AND STATE HEALTH OFFICER DECLARED ON MARCH 1, 2020 THAT A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY EXISTS IN FLORIDA. ON MARCH 9, 2020, THE GOVERNOR DECLARED A STATE OF EMERGENCY FOR THE ENTIRE STATE AND THE EMERGENCY DECLARATION WAS EXTENDED BY SUBSEQUENT EXECUTIVE ORDERS. THE CDC HAS ISSUED RECOMMENDATIONS AND THE GOVERNOR HAS ISSUED MULTIPLE EXECUTIVE ORDERS, INCLUDING EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-69 (ALLOWING VIRTUAL MEETINGS) WHICH HAS BEEN EXTENDED BY SUBSEQUENT EXECUTIVE ORDERS. THE SCHOOL BOARD OF PALM BEACH COUNTY APPROVED EMERGENCY POLICY 1.03 RELATING TO SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS, WHICH ALSO ALLOWS VIRTUAL MEETINGS. AS A RESULT, THE SCHOOL BOARD OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT IT WILL CONDUCT VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETINGS USING “GOOGLE MEET” TECHNOLOGY ON THE DATES LISTED ABOVE.

PUBLIC COMMENT CAN BE MADE IN ONE OF TWO WAYS:

1. IN PERSON:
The public can attend the meeting in a room or rooms at the Fulton-Holland Educational Services Center. A room or rooms will be provided for the public to view, listen, and/or provide public comment IN A VIRTUAL SETTING. Speakers must be signed up in advance of the meeting by calling the Board Office at: 561-434-8136, 561-434-8139, 561-434-7481, OR 561-434-8131. THE DEADLINE TO SIGN UP TO SPEAK IS NOON THE DAY OF THE MEETING.

2. BY RECORDED MESSAGE:
Public comment can also be received by leaving a voice-recorded message that will be played in the meeting by calling: 561-684-5103. Comments are limited to 4 minutes for elected official/delegates and 3 minutes for agenda and non-agenda topic speakers. Your recorded comments will be heard during the live meeting where appropriate in the agenda. Please be sure to state name in message as no anonymous comments will be accepted. DEADLINE TO BE INCLUDED IN THIS MEETING IS NOON THE DAY OF THE MEETING. After that time, comments can only be accepted in writing by email the Board Clerk at CAROL.BASS@PALMBEACHSCHOOLS.ORG. Best efforts will be made to include comments and evidence received after noon and up to the time of the meeting is called to order. All public
comments and evidence timely received as state will be attached to the meeting minutes. Any person interested in additional information may contact Carol Bass, Board Clerk at 561-434-8136 or email: CAROL.BASS@PALMBEACHSCHOOLS.ORG. 

SAFETY PROTOCOLS FOR ENTERING FHESC TO VIEW/LISTEN/SPEAK VIRTUALLY: Temperatures will be taken before entrance is permitted. Facial coverings (masks) are requested. Social distancing required. Rooms will have a maximum number of guests allowed. A non-mask room may be provided. Anyone denied access due to temperature will be given instructions to email comments to the Board Clerk at the address mentioned above. THE PUBLIC CAN ALSO ATTEND VIRTUALLY BY WATCHING AND/OR LISTENING LIVE via COMCAST Ch. 235; https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIK9Uc6_PlykRg3PoZtPA/live; or www.palmbeachschools.org (Look for link in banner on home page.) (Courtesy Option to Listen) Call in number: 561-357-5900 or toll free 1-866-930-7015 Meeting ID: 15618801124# * Meetings will follow consecutively. Thus, start times are an approximation and may commence earlier or later than is posted/advertised. Moreover, the order of agenda items within a special meeting/workshop may vary. An agenda for these meetings may be obtained by calling Public Information at 561-434-8228. Pursuant to the provisions of the American with Disabilities Act, any persons requiring special accommodations to participate in these meetings is asked to advise the School District at least 48 hours before the meeting by contacting Carol Bass at 561-434-8136 or for the Hearing Impaired please call 711, Florida Relay (https://www.ftri.org/relay) or email carol.bass@palmbeachschools.org. If any affected person decides to appeal a decision made by the School Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, such person will need a record of the proceedings and for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, including testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. (Such person shall have the responsibility, at his or her own cost, to arrange for the transcript).

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA
NOTICE OF PROPOSED EMERGENCY RULE ADOPTION
on August 26, 2020

RULE TITLE: Visitation Protocols on District Property Due to COVID-19 RULE NUMBER: Policy 2.065 SPECIFIC REASONS FOR FINDING AN IMMEDIATE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC, HEALTH, SAFETY OR WELFARE: With the start of the school year, there will be visitors in district facilities. Due to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, which has caused many declarations by the Governor and health organizations, the Superintendent finds that there is an imminent danger and a need to protect the public health, safety and/or welfare for the reasons as stated in the Board report on this item. REASONS FOR CONCLUDING THAT THE PROCEDURE USED IS FAIR UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES: The notice will include publication of the proposed emergency revised policy in the newspaper, and is being made accessible to the public via the School Board’s proposed policy website and on the Board meeting agenda and as stated in the Board report. PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The emergency rule will facilitate the continuous operations of the District and protect the health, safety, and welfare of students, staff, and visitors by adhering to COVID-19 District safety protocols in compliance with CDC, state and local guidelines during this
national emergency. SUMMARY: The Visitor Protocols due to COVID 19 set forth to protect the health, safety and welfare of students, staff, and visitors while on school property. The proposed protocols are stated in policy and found in the Board report. RULEMAKING AUTHORITY: Fla. Stat. §§ 120.54 (4); 120.81(1) (a); 1001.32(2); 1001.41(1) & (2); 1001.42 (28) LAWS IMPLEMENTED: Fla. Stat. § 1001.42(19); 1001.54; 1006.145 SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COST (required, if one has been prepared): The Agency has determined that a SERC is not required and has not prepared a SERC. The Agency has determined that based on information, including that contained in the proposed rule and the Board report, the rule is not expected to require legislative ratification. Any person who wishes to provide the District with information regarding a statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative, must do so in writing within 21 days of the publication of this Notice. CONTACT PERSON: Keith Oswald, Deputy Superintendent/Chief of Schools THE TEXT of the proposed rule adoption may be obtained without cost from the School District’s web site at http://www.boarddocs.com/fl/palmbeach/Board.nsf/Public. SUPERVISOR OR PERSON WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: Donald Fennoy II, Ed.D, Superintendent of Schools. PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE: The proposal for adoption of the rule is anticipated to be considered at the School Board’s Special Meeting (which includes Policies) on August 26, 2020 anticipated to begin at 2 p.m. (an approximate time, as the actual start time may vary early or later) in the Board Chambers at 3300 Forest Hill Boulevard, West Palm Beach, Florida. AGENDA: An agenda will be available by August 24, 2020 on the District’s web site at http://www.boarddocs.com/fl/palmbeach/Board.nsf/Public. Pursuant to the provisions of the American with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this hearing is asked to advise the agency at least 48 hours in advance by contacting Carol Bass, Board Clerk at 561-434-8136. A person may submit written comments (12 copies) about the proposed action to the Clerk no later than the time of the public hearing. This hearing is open to the public and public comment is accepted on this matter. Please contact the Clerk at the number provided prior to noon the day of the meeting, or by submitting a blue card to the Clerk at the meeting prior to start of meeting.

Carol Bass, Clerk of the School Board
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