Pioneer Middle School SAF Notes/ Minutes

South Region Advisory General Meeting September 21, 2022

- 1. First meeting of the year. Many principals were in attendance.
- 2. Nomination committee looking for 2022-2023 positions:
 - a. Citizen at Large
 - b. Business Rep
 - c. Teacher Rep
- 3. Presentation / Introductions
 - a. Alan Strauss South Region Superintendent
 - b. Teresa Hall, Director Secondary Schools
 - c. Saemone Hollingsworth, Directory Elementary Schools
 - d. Davida Johnson, Director Elementary Schools
 - e. Dr Alister Alexis, Assistant Director
- 4. Alan Strauss mentioned that there are at least 19 policies that need to be discontinued with 20 additional in review.
 - a. At the beginning of school year, they still had 102 teacher vacancies, 30 non instructional and 95 PT food service vacancies.
- 5. Guest Speaker Dr. Wanza
 - a. Discussed the policies under review school dress code, school day hours, SAF guidelines
 - b. Addressed importance of "Here Comes the Bus app" and completing the Free and Reduced lunch application.
 - c. Book fairs are not to be cancelled but suggests that a committee be formed to review books that can be sold. What one may find offensive may not be to someone else.
- 6. Next meeting October 19, 2022