

ARLINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
School Board Committee of the Whole on Boundaries

Item C-1-a

The Arlington School Board convened on Thursday September 17, 2020, at 6:12 PM at 2110 Arlington Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia.

Present were:

Monique O’Grady, Chair (participated virtually)
Barbara Kanninen, Vice Chair
Reid Goldstein, Member
Tannia Talento, Member
Nancy Van Doren, Member (participated virtually)

Also present were:

Dr. Francisco Durán, Superintendent
Brian Stockton, Chief of Staff
Lisa Stengle, Executive Director, Planning and Evaluation
Arron Gregory, Chief Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Officer
Jonathan Turrisi, Director, Strategic Planning
Michael Frickel, Assistant Director, Planning and Evaluation
Gladis Bourdouane, Integrated Project Planner
Kathy Mimberg, Community Engagement Coordinator

Ms. O’Grady called the meeting to order at 6:12 PM and announced that she and Ms. Van Doren were participating virtually from their homes in Arlington, Virginia, due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The group discussed data and options for possible elementary boundary changes. Staff shared a preliminary overview of the approach being taken to developing recommendations for elementary boundary changes, and presented some draft proposals. Staff also provided questions for the Board’s consideration and requested input from Board members to inform their work as they refined the draft proposals. Board members discussed the information presented and provided input to staff. Topics included projections, capacity, and transfers and grandfathering. In closing, the group reviewed the timeline and next steps in the process, which will include community engagement, work sessions, and presentations at upcoming Board meetings.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM.

ATTEST:

Melanie Elliott, Clerk
Arlington School Board

Monique O’Grady, Chair
Arlington School Board