

Staff Advisory Committee Meeting January 16, 2019

Dr. Price opened the meeting with district updates. Beto Hinojosa has been named Principal of Voss Middle School and Tanya Tate has been named Principal of Herff Elementary School. Tommy Hungate will be the new Director of Human Resources. Also noted, the BISD Academic Strategic Plan for the district was adopted by the board at Monday night's board meeting.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

1. I know Central Office has already heard this a ton from parents, but I as a teacher thought that the window to vote for next year's calendar should have been longer than a week, and not at one of the busiest times of the year (December). **(submitted 1/10/19 - FORES)**
The time frame for voting was modeled after the same timeframe that was used last year. The calendar voting process will continue to be reviewed.

2. Our classroom is freezing cold, while some rooms are warm. Can anything be done to change the temperature settings? **(submitted 1/10/19 - FORES)**
Please let your campus Principal know if you are experiencing problems with the temperature of your classroom or work area. Your Principal can work with Mark Stahl and the facilities department to make adjustments. Work orders are entered through the head custodian at each campus. In addition to notifying your principal, please enter a work order for documentation and follow up.

Additional discussion included questions about leave and absence codes. There will be clarification coming from HR in the February meeting. Other questions posed at the meeting will be researched and posted next month.

Dr. Price turned the meeting over to Dr. Jodi Spoor to discuss calendar and professional development. Dr. Spoor will be seeking feedback from teachers regarding the professional development calendar and the content of the training. Dr. Spoor will be forming a committee to determine the professional development calendar. She then took specific questions from the group.