



FAYETTE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

DISTRICT SAFETY ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING SUMMARY

March 29, 2018



Fayette County Public Schools Superintendent Manny Caulk established the District Safety Advisory Council to examine best practices in school safety and develop specific recommendations to ensure all Fayette County Public Schools are safe places to learn and work.

The Council is comprised of 28 students, teachers, parents, principals, district officials, Lexington-Fayette Urban County representatives, community advocates, law enforcement officers, business representatives and faith leaders.

The group will meet six times during the month of March and deliver a white paper with recommendations during the first week of April. You can follow the work of the council by visiting www.fcps.net/advisorycouncil.

TONIGHT'S DISCUSSION

The Fayette County Public Schools District Safety Advisory Council wrapped up its final meeting with a review of public input from hundreds of community



members including students, families, staff and other stakeholders received via email and online comments.

The group then broke up into small groups to brainstorm and prioritize potential recommendations for different audiences, including lawmakers, schools, students and families, and the community at large.

The final recommendations of the council will be released in April in the form of a white paper.

Fayette County Public Schools Superintendent Manny Caulk thanked the council for its work and comprehensive approach.

"I applaud you for looking at this issue systematically and considering recommendations to ensure our children are safe in school, in the community and in their homes," he said. "This issue is bigger than Fayette County. We are concerned about the safety and well-being of children throughout the Commonwealth. It shouldn't matter where you live. Children deserve our best."

SEE FOR YOURSELF

Meetings of the District Safety Advisory Council are recorded and will be televised on Spectrum cable channel 197 beginning the Monday after each meeting. To access them on demand, visit www.fcps.net/advisorycouncil

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