



Attendees

Khem Irby, Committee Chairperson
Deborah Napper, Committee Member
Nora Carr, Chief of Staff
Margaret Winslow, Director Policy
Kim Hipp, Administrative Assistant

- I. Call to Order

- II. Approval of Minutes for February 3, 2021
The Committee asked to review the February 3, 2021 minutes at the April 28 meeting.

- III. Council of the Great City Schools Legislative Conference Updates
Margaret Winslow provided an update on the CGCS 2021 Legislative Conference.

- IV. 2021 Legislative Agenda (State and Federal Priorities)
 - A. 2021 Legislative Agenda (Priorities) Draft
The Committee approved presenting the draft 2021 Legislative Agenda, with recommended change incorporated, to the Board of Education for approval.

 - B. HB 159: Education Law Changes

 - C. HB 335: Timely Local Payments to Charter Schools
Committee members may follow up with Rep. John Faircloth, one of the HB335 sponsors, to share the district's concerns regarding this legislation.

 - D. Other

- V. 2021 Meeting with Local Delegation and Advocacy Planning April - End of Session
The Committee asked staff to reach out the Guilford County delegation co-chairs, Rep. Ashton Clemmons and Rep. Jon Hardister, regarding the delegation's availability for the week of April 24 or early May for a meeting with the Guilford County Board of Education. Staff

should also determine if meeting should be held virtually or in-person.

Khem Irby, Committee chairperson will facilitate and host the delegation. The meeting will focus on the following items:

1. COVID-19, Learning Loss and Maintaining Flexibility
2. Teacher, Employee and Principal Pipeline
3. Capital Needs
4. Early Childhood

Once the date and time have been determined, the Committee may schedule a special planning meeting.

VI. Other Legislative Updates

- A. NCSBA Legislative Update, Mar. 12, 2021
- B. NCSBA 2021 Legislative Update: Regional Conversations, Feb. 25, 2021
- C. CGCS Update Re: Draft House Education and Labor Committee Budget Reconciliation (Recovery) Bill Summary
- D. Letter from Richard Burr, Jan. 26, 2021

VII. Other Business

The Committee asked staff to draft a letter to the Guilford County Legislative Delegation co-chairs, communicating the district's support for pay increases for classified personnel.

- A. Next Meeting: April 28, 2021

VIII. Adjournment