

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA  
MINUTES OF SWEETWATER BRANCH CHARTER SCHOOL APPLICATION WORKSHOP  
November 6, 2006

The School Board of Alachua County, Florida, met in work group session duly called at 10 a.m. in Conference Room E, 620 East University Avenue, Gainesville, Florida. Present were: F. Wesley Eubank, chairman; Virginia S. Childs, vice-chairman; Tina Pinkoson, Eileen Roy, and Janie S. Williams, members; W. Daniel Boyd, Jr., Superintendent; and staff members.

The purpose of the workshop was for the Board to discuss and make comments concerning the Sweetwater Branch Charter School Application.

After review by District staff members and the Board, there were several suggested items noted that needed to be added or deleted as addendums to the current application on file. Revisions to the application included: transportation concerns, clearly defined student enrollment, location of charter school site, fingerprinting of all school's personnel, student expulsion policy, reading gains, student attendance policies, revenue projections; a clearly defined job description for the principal, and diversity within the student population. Other than the mentioned suggestions for revisions, the Board found the application for the Sweetwater Branch Academy thorough and well organized.

Based on the current application on file, the Board found no reason for denial.

No other workshops were scheduled at this time.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.