



Association of Haitian Educators of Dade (AHED)

P.O. Box 610091,

North Miami, Florida 33061

Virtual Meeting

Date: Tuesday November 10, 2020

Starting time: 5:15 PM

Present: Yverose Midy-Placide-President

Paul Fabre-Vice-President

Sabine Duval-Treasurer

Magda Prophete-Secretary

Marie Ocean-Public Relations

Dinah Dorvil-Member-at-Large

Deland Innocent-Advisor

Absent: Jean Robert Bertrand-Advisor

Bernadette Pierre-Past President

- Greetings
- HAPC is holding elections next month-All Board positions are open
- Board voted to pay HAPC \$250 membership fee
- Newly elected School Board Member Lucia Baez-Geller would like to meet with AHED's Board, hopefully before she's sworn in (Board would prefer to meet via zoom)
- Deland and Dinah will create an invitation flyer for upcoming General Assembly meeting
- General Assembly format: Round table. Bring concerns
- There is a new member at the District's Communications Department.
- New principal at Toussaint

- Must hold people accountable once they are placed in a position. Thread lightly, we don't want anyone thinking we are trying to make them lose their jobs. We are here to give support
- PTA is a powerful entity. Every school should have one
- We need to promote PTA. Start with all schools, find out why PTA is non- functional
- Need to disseminate information to keep parents informed. We are losing our best students to schools in other districts
- To retain students, schools have to offer programs of interest
- Should we ask feeder pattern schools to have a round table with AHED to discuss concerns?
- Research Project: Compare data before and after PTA. Can go back to parents and show why PTA's are so important, so successful
- We should consider a round table with administrators to consider ways to retain students
- Few Haitian parents are aware that North Miami Senior High is an IB school
- Send as many invites as possible for General Assembly Meeting (November 19,2020)

Next Meeting: Tuesday November 17, 2020

Adjournment: 6:30pm