GBMS School Improvement Council Minutes 12.12.2023 Google Meet Attendees included: Parents and community members: Kiffany Perlote SIC Chair, Vickie Allan Black SIC Vice Chair, Pamela Davis, Cheryl Murdock, Tabitha Miller, and Pastor Bart Kelley; Heather Peters, SIC Secretary, Henrietta Williams, Principal, Cecilie Price, Guidance Counselor, and teacher Charlotte Palmer

Mrs. Perlote called the meeting to order. Minutes from October 2023 were read and approved. Pastor Kelley was asked to open in prayer.

Ms. Williams updated SIC on this year's ESSR funds. Essr funds are being used to provide afterschool tutoring program for students in ELA math, a snack, and transportation. Any student who would like to participate may do so. ESSR funds also provide a math interventionist on site daily for math. Ms. Williams also explained the purpose and ideas behind the mentoring program and how we will meet the needs of all students.

Mrs. Peters presented the Literacy goal for the school year.

To support the GBMS literacy and reading improvement initiative, the GBMS SIC will partner with the school's ELA Department to provide a book for each student after state testing. Our goal will support the improvement of reading comprehension. Each student will receive their own copy of the specified book. Classes will have a reading schedule and a discussion/activity guide to be used along with the book.

This goal was approved by the SIC.

In New Business, Mrs. Peters proposed developing GBMS SIC Bylaws as a guiding document for the SIC. Everyone is in agreement to move forward with the development of GBMS SIC BYlaws.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Peters GBMS SIC Secretary