



## **DIVISION of LEARNING**

**Bob Bedford**  
*Assistant Superintendent*



### **Social Studies Instructional Materials Adoption Law Studies Advisory Committee Recommendation Meeting Minutes January 23, 2024**

**Lemon Bay High School  
5:00 p.m.**

#### **Members in Attendance:**

**See attached sign in sheets**

#### **Advisory Meeting Called to Order: 5:01 p.m.**

##### **I. Welcome and Introductions**

- a. Mr. Bob Bedford, Assistant Superintendent for Learning, welcomed the Advisory Committees and thanked them for their time and talent.**
- b. Mr. Bedford introduced, Donna Dunakey, the Lead Facilitator**

##### **II. Administrative Process**

- a. Lead Facilitator reviewed the purpose, objectives, format, meeting norms, and next steps for the group.**



- b. Lead Facilitator introduced the individual Committee Facilitators from the Division of Learning.**
- c. Each Committee Facilitator escorted their assigned Advisory Committee to their appointed location.**

### **III. Review of Data**

- a. Committee Facilitator distributed folders with the applicable data.**
- b. Committee Facilitator provided 5 minutes for Advisory Committee Member to independently review and carefully consider the applicable data.**

### **IV. Open Discussion**

- a. The Advisory Committee Member was given 2-3 minutes to provide an overview of their overall opinion on what they reviewed.**
- b. Committee Facilitator distributed the Summary Report with the quantitative score from EdCredible to the group.**
- c. Committee Facilitator solicited feedback from the Committee.**
- d. Discussion ensued about:**
  - i. Overall- it is good for an entry level book.**
  - ii. Online materials allow expansion to level 2.**
  - iii. There are no level 3 materials**



***iv.* Cases are lacking- but can be accessed through the Supreme Court.**

**V. Reaching Consensus**

- a. Committee Facilitator asked the Committee to come to consensus and rank the instructional materials package under review for recommendation to the Superintendent.**
- b. Committee Facilitator used thumbs up/thumbs down to determine consensus on on the following recommendation:
  - i. McGraw-Hill's *Street Law*.****
- c. Committee Facilitator recorded results on the Recommendation and Ranking Form.**

**VI. Submission of Recommendation and Ranking Form**

- a. Committee Facilitator distributed the Recommendation and Ranking Form.**
- b. Advisory Committee member signed the Recommendation and Ranking Form.**

**Meeting Adjourned at 5:26 p.m.**

**Respectfully submitted by Ellen Harvey**