

Landry Walker Unification DRAFT PROPOSAL

December 8, 2012

ORIGIN of WORKING GROUP

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- Unification established by BESE approved Master Plan
- ACSA offered opportunity to manage unification process

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- **Unification Parameter 1:** All students at both campuses will attend school at Landry campus in August 2013.
- **Unification Parameter 2:** All students will be educated by staff employed by ACSA.

Origin of Working Group

- ACSA held meetings with constituent groups
 - Oct 17 Walker Stakeholder Meeting
 - Oct 23 Landry Stakeholder Meeting
 - Nov 3 Joint Landry/Walker Meeting

Origin of Working Group

Working Group Established

Landry

Tyrone Casby

Landry

Ed Robinson

Landry

Darryl Williams

Walker

Tarence Davis

Walker

Ryan Lloyd

Walker

Darren Bedell

Landry/Walker

Shan Williams

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1. Today's proposal addresses major issues:
 - Leadership
 - School Structure
 - Enrollment
 - Legacy
 - Facilities

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2. Open Stakeholder meetings will begin in January to address specific details:

- Joint Alumni
- Joint Students
- Joint Parents
- Joint Teachers

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LEADERSHIP

Mary Laurie will be the the principal of the new school.

She is the current principal of O.P. Walker, and formerly principal at Guste Elementary and Woodson Middle.

- All staff will be ACSA employees
- A process will be established to hire staff for next year from both Landry and Walker
- Staff will begin to receive contracts in January

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SCHOOL STRUCTURE

There will be one school, and one school program, serving all students, grades 9 – 12.

- One team, one band, etc.
- Students will have a major role in planning

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ENROLLMENT

The school will serve approximately 1,300 students in grades 9 – 12.

- All students who currently attend Landry or Walker are guaranteed a seat for next year.
- There is enough space for all returning students to be enrolled.

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LEGACY

Students will be able to request school specific customizations (e.g. class rings)

- Any student who wants a Landry OR Walker class ring, varsity jacket, etc. will be able to request and receive one.

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FACILITIES

Facility improvements will be made to enhance the learning environment.

- Fencing and lighting will be installed.
- Students will have access to Fox park.

NEXT MEETING

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The next meeting will be held
Wednesday, December 12 at 6pm.
Behrman Auditorium

COMMENTS & QUESTIONS

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