

#### **School District of Indian River County** African American Achievement Plan 2021 -2022 Assurances of Implementation of Strategies/Action Steps



**Quarter of the School Year: 2** 

**District Office: Human Capital & Operations** 

In August 2021, the School District of Indian River County initiated the implementation of the 2021-2022 African American Achievement Plan. To review and ensure compliance with progress of action steps associated with the African American Achievement Plan, the District provides quarterly updates related to action steps accomplished and quarterly outcomes.

The attached documentation provides school level evidence of progress towards accomplishing action steps incorporated into the 2021-2022 African American Achievement Plan. Documentation requirements have been designed to honor the full intent of the developed African American Achievement Plan while optimizing the efficiency and effectiveness of outlined actionable steps.

To support ongoing accountability of action step implementation, documentation, and progress the following assurances have been verified by the principal of each school:

- Action steps included within the 2021-2022 African American Achievement Plan have been implemented with consistency and purpose to eliminate the achievement gap.
- Progress related to action steps has been monitored at designated intervals (e.g., monthly, quarterly) outlined in the African American Achievement Plan.
- Data reviews have been conducted to identify areas of strength and concern and disaggregated data will be provided upon request.
- Progress related to the elimination of the achievement gap has been monitored in an ongoing way and needed modifications have been made as identified.

These assurances have been reviewed and verified on: 1/5/2022  $\,\,$  (initials)

#### **Quarterly Reflection**

(Please summarize any reflections based upon action step implementation for the quarter. What are areas of progress or opportunities for growth? What are next steps based upon work accomplished?)

SDIRC Recruitment Team is committed to grow its relationships with HBCUs in and out of the state of Florida. So far this school year we have participated in seven HBCU Career Fairs and have registered for three additional fairs. With a few fairs being in person this year, we are able to have one-on-one conversations with possible candidates and have created a TALENT BENCH to remain in contact with them until graduation and beyond. All administrators continue to use Culturally Responsive questions during the interviewing process and have a diverse interviewing committee. The committee roster is reviewing by the Director of HR for each hire.

The SDIRC Workforce Housing Committee presented to the School Board in December and is currently researching possible sites and community partners for a development.

Our School Choice Transportation participated in the School Choice Fair and answered questions from families. The transportation department continues to promote the program and make itself available to the community. Transportation will be provided for families and community members at the next School Choice Fair.



# School District of Indian River County African American Achievement Plan 2021 – 2022 Quarterly Summary of Implementation of Strategies/Action Steps



Quarter of the School Year: 2 Date of Summary: 1/5/2022

**District Office: Human Capital & Operations** 

**Strategies:** 4.2, 4.3, 4.4, 5.1, 5.3

## Strategy AAAP 4.2: Expand and enhance established relationships with career placement offices and officials at Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) while also utilizing a broad arrange of platforms for publicizing instructional staff job vacancies.

Dates of Contact with Career Placement Offices and HBCUs	Type of Contact
See attached Career Fair Log	

<sup>\*</sup>Attach examples of contacts with career placement offices or HBCUs

# Strategy AAAP 4.3: Maintain diverse interviewing committees, while using universal application and interview protocols for the selection of instructional vacancy candidates.

Dates of Monitoring for Diverse Interviewing Committees	Interview committees are screened for each job vacancy by the
Districtwide	Director of Human Resources.

## Strategy AAAP 4.4: Facilitate a Workforce Housing Committee to identify affordable housing options for new educators in the local community.

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Dates of Workforce Housing Committee Meetings	1/19/21, 4/21/21, 7/21/21, and 10/20/21
Summary of Planned Action Steps from Meeting	The committee is currently researching possible community
	partners for a future workforce housing development,
	researching funding opportunities, possible sites, and surveying
	staff for housing needs.

<sup>\*</sup>Attach agendas of Workforce Housing Committee Meetings

Strategy AAAP 5.1: Enhance school choice and magnet school offerings, including transportation to access school choice, districtwide to maximize opportunities for African American students to enroll in schools that best align with their needs and interests.

# Strategy AAAP 5.3: Implement a school transportation plan that includes the use of school transportation depot stops to ensure equitable access to school transportation.

Dates of Communication/Publicity Regarding School Transportation Depot Stops	Type of Communication/Publicity	
October 9, 2021	Participated in the SDIRC School Choice Fair; SDIRC Transportation Dept routing staff was on site and available answer questions and provide depot stop information to parents and students considering and/or selecting choice schools.	
October 9, 2021	Provided school bus transportation to/from SDIRC School Choice Fair located @the Intergenerational Center (IG) at no cost to families to assist parents with obtaining information regarding school choice and be provided depot stop locations in support of their choice.	

Ongoing throughout the school year	Provide parents depot stop locations when schools of choice are selected for enrollment
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<sup>\*</sup>Attach examples of communication/publicity



## SDIRC CAREER FAIRS RECRUITING SCHEDULE 2021-2022



CAREER FAIR	DATE	TIME
PACE UNIVERSITY-Job Fair for Recent Graduates	6/15/21	11-2pm
Georgia State University Virtual Alumni Career Fair (PBI)	7/9/21	11-2pm
Cornell University Career Fair Days 2021	9/2/21	11-2pm
Wake Forest University Career Fair	9/15/21	12-4pm
NC A&T State University Fall Career Awareness Fair (HBCU)	9/15/21	12-4pm
FAU Diversity Recruiting Showcase (VIRTUAL)	9/21/21	4pm
Howard University Fall 2021 Virtual All Majors Job and Internship Fair	9/28/21	5:00pm
FAMU Fall 2021 All Majors Career & Internship Expo	9/29/21	4:00PM
Delaware State University Fall 2021 Career Fair	10/25/21	4:00pm
Bethune-Cookman University's Fall 2021 Virtual Graduate School and Career Fair	10/27/21	7:00pm
UCF Fall 2021 Virtual Career Expo	11/19	1-3pm
Alabama State University College of Education Virtual Career Fair	11/4	11-1pm
UCF Resume Building with an Employer (virtual)	1/14	1-3pm
Diversity in Education Career Fair (virtual)	12/8	12-4pm
West Chester University of Pennsylvania Virtual Town Hall	12/8	10-11:30am
Virtual Career and Internship Connection 2022	1/12	2-5pm
Recruit at UofSC: A Roadmap to Recruiting at the University of South Carolina (webinar)	1/25	12noon



#### SDIRC CAREER FAIRS RECRUITING SCHEDULE 2021-2022



FAMU Spring 2022 All Majors Career & Internship Expo (in person)	1/26	10-4pm
Georgia State University College of Education and Human Development Virtual Career Fair	1/28	10-1pm
UCF Spring 2022 In-person Career Expo	2/1	1-4pm
Michigan State University Diversity Career Fair 2022 (virtual)	2/2	3-6pm
USF Virtual Career Fair	2/4	12-4pm
Florida Polytechnical University Spring 2022 Career Fair (in person)	2/8	10-4pm
UNC Asheville Career Fair	2/8	12-2pm
FIU Spring 2022 On-Campus Career Fair (All Majors)	2/9	11-3pm
University of Miami Job & Internship Expo Spring 2022	2/23	1-5pm
UNF Virtual Education Career Fair	2/23	5-6:30pm
School District of Indian River County Virtual Career Fair	3/16	12-6pm
FAU Virtual Career Expo Spring 2022	3/31	11-3pm
UDC (University of District of Columbia) Jobs and Internships Virtual Fair Spring 2022	4/12	1-6pm

The purpose of the Workforce
Housing Committee is to address
the issue of affordable housing
opportunities for SDIRC
employees and create incentive
strategy recommendations.



# Application and Approval Process

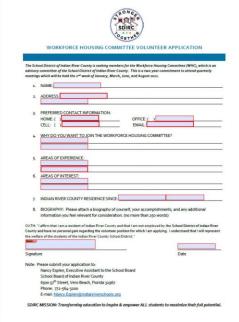
Members were approved by the Board at the November 17, 2020 board meeting.

Focus Area 2: Equity, Culture & Climate

Focus Area 3: Communication & Engagement

Focus Area 4: Talent Development & Support

Focus Area 5: Organizational & Fiscal Responsibility



### **Goals:**

Create incentive strategy recommendations

Define a full course of action to create affordable housing for educators.

Establish relationships with those that can assist in helping facilitate, fund, etc. our goals.

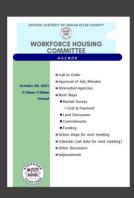












Agendas January, April, July, October

- Group Norms
- Roles- facilitator, timekeeper, note-taker
- Research
- Action Steps
- Discussion

Researching possible community partners for a future housing development.

Researching funding opportunities.

Researching possible sites.

Surveying staff for housing needs.

# Current Action Items school district of Indian RIVER COUNTY WORKFORCE HOUSING COMMITTEE

We invite you to partner with SDIRC's LIVE INDIAN RIVER COUNTY Program. When all students thrive and are supported, our community thrives and prospers. Rent to our dynamic workforce and be the change for our students!



#### SCHOOL DISTRICT OF INDIAN RIVER COUNTY



# WORKFORCE HOUSING COMMITTEE

#### AGENDA

October 20, 2021 5:30pm-7:00pm Virtual

- Call to Order
- Approval of July Minutes
- Interested Agencies
- Next Steps
  - Market Survey
    - Cost & Payment
  - Land Discussion
  - Commitments
  - Funding
- Action steps for next meeting
- Calendar (set date for next meeting)
- Other Discussion
- Adjournment



**Strategy AAAP 5.1 and Strategy AAAP 5.3:** Examples of communications/publications for school choice and magnet school offerings







