

## SSWAG Executive Board Meeting via Google Meet 9am

FEBRUARY 20, 2024

Dr. Jacqueline  
Brown-  
Pinkney  
President

### Call to order.

Meeting called to order at 9AM by Madam President, Dr. Brown-Pinkney.

Vice President  
Crystal Wright

Dr. Katina  
Cooper  
Past President

### Welcome – Dr. Brown-Pinkney

Dr. Bianca  
Booker  
Treasurer

- Stay involved and consistent with social work practices and jobs. Need to be included in SW legislative language.

Sidrah Khan  
Secretary

### District Updates

Crystal Bell  
District 1

District 1 – Crystal Bell - Dr. Brown-Pinkney shared info – D1 chartered bus, shopping, Jacksonville. Meeting in March 2024.

Tia Williams  
District 2

District 2 – Tia Williams – Upcoming March meeting in Bainbridge, GA March 7<sup>th</sup>. The February meeting went well, GAE was present and shared resources.

Maggie Brown  
District 3

**District 3– Maggie Brown – Not present.**

Shayla Snipes  
District 4

District 4 – Shayla Snipes- Upcoming spring meeting – Feb 28<sup>th</sup>. GSU, Fulton County DFCS, meeting for board elections will take place.

Alaiya  
Henderson-  
Shotwell  
District 5

**District 5 – Alaiya Henderson-Shotwell – Not present.**

Maria Josey  
District 6

**District 6 – Maria Josey – Not present.**

Cecilia Hebard  
District 7

**District 7 - Cecilia Hebard – Cory Lowe will update us.**

District 8 – Teri Hendrix – District meeting on Feb 27<sup>th</sup>

Teri Hendrix  
District 8

District 9 – Ashley McDuffie- District meeting Feb 26<sup>th</sup>. Anxiety conversation. Oliver will review legislative policies and procedures. Local elected board members will be selected.

Ashley  
McDuffie  
District 9

District 10 – Monica Payton -

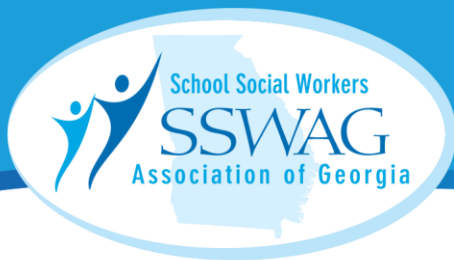
### Secretary Report – Sidrah Khan

Monica  
Payton  
District 10

- Shared report

### Treasurer Report – Dr. Booker

- Report shared.



## Awards Chair – Rasha Portis

- spoke about the nominees. Agenda will be sent out after this meeting - Petrina.

## Community Relations Report - Trenese Johnson

- Report shared.

## GAE - Hailey Rojas

## Historian – Dr. Thomas

- Report shared.

## General Research Chair – Dr. Turner

- Report shared.

## Long Range Planning – Petrina Fowler and Heather Anderson

- Report shared.

## **VOTING RE: MULTI-AGENCY PROCEDURAL GUIDELINES – Dr. Brown-Pinkney**

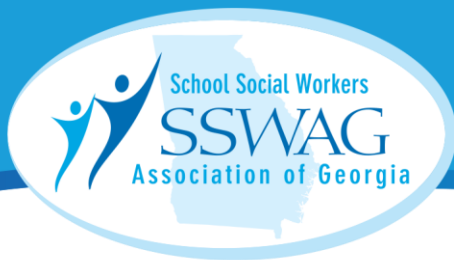
- The Legislative Inter-Agency Liaison
- Teri Hendrix made the motion to approve. Sidrah Khan seconds
- 9 yes, motion passes.

## **VOTING RE: SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKERS LEAD PROCEDURAL GUIDELINES – Dr. Brown-Pinkney**

- Same guidelines
- Mrs. Teri Kendrix made motion Mrs. Snipes 2nd (Social Work Leads)
- 10, Motion passes.

## **VOTING RE: You Make a Difference Scholarship PROCEDURAL GUIDELINES – Dr. Brown-Pinkney**

- Same language as scholarship application.
- Motion made by Dr. Cooper 2<sup>nd</sup> – Teri Hendrix
- 8, motion passes.



## Membership Chair Report – Erin Woodcock

- Report shared.

## Mentor Committee Updates – Gwenetta – Absent

- Report shared.

## NASW Liaison Report – Pamela Jemerson

- Report shared.

## Nominating Chair – Teri Hendrix

- Report shared.

## Parliamentarian – Sonja Lyons

- Report shared.

## Procedural Guidelines – Alicia McClung

- Report shared.

## Professional Development – Penny Maggioni

- Report shared.

## Public Relations Chair – Amber Wade

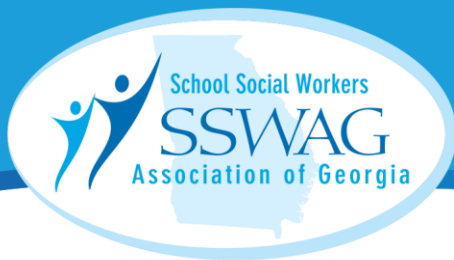
- Report shared.

## Retirement Chair – Ida Hafford Brown

- Report shared.

## SSWA/GaDEO Liaison – Dr. Oliver

- Growth of SSWs in the state. Involvement of mental health providers. Open office hour tomorrow.
- Send shout outs for Dr. Oliver, use the pearl of wisdom template.
- New Southern Rep



## University Liaison Report – Cory Lowe

- Report shared.

## Vendor Consultant Chair – Sonya Cruel

- Report shared.

## Webmaster Updates – Jarod Anderson

- Websites updated.

## Past President Updates/Remarks – Dr. Katina Cooper

- Shared

## VP Updates/Remarks – Crystal Wright

- Shared

## SSWAG New business

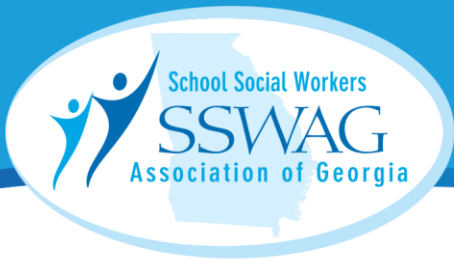
- SSWs LEAD Update Calandra Young
- SSW Day at the Capitol Update Trenese Johnson
- You Matter Summit Report Ashley McDuffie

## SSWAG Old business

- Spring Conference Report Petrina Fowler & Rasha Portis
  - o Spring conference March 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> Rise Up and Thrive with Resiliency and Efficacy
  - o 230 registered participants
  - o Agenda being sent out for today.
- Procedural Guidelines Updates Alicia McClung
- You Make A Difference Scholarship Pam Jemerson & Dr. Cynthia Turner
  - o Winner chosen and email Madame President.

## Announcements

- Pay for SSWAG activities beforehand (candle making, charcuterie board, etc). You cannot pay at the time of event; these are external vendors and need registration completed beforehand.
- Meeting adjourned @ 11:02am, motion approved by Dr. Thomas



*Sidrah Khan*

**Secretary**

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**Date of submission**

