Executive Summary

Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting September 22, 2015

"What We Value" Community Report

Purpose of Report: To inform the Board of Trustees on the update and progress of the "What We Value" community survey initiated by the district during the spring of the 2015-15 school year.

<u>Objectives:</u> To provide insight into what the community survey entailed, the feedback received and how it fits into the mission statement of "empowering lifelong learners to be engaged citizens who positively impact their local and global community" and align with the following core areas the district will track moving forward including:

- Teaching & Learning.
- Opportunities for Students.
- Culture & Climate
- Growth and management.

Operational Impact: We hope to take the feedback given to us by the community to determine where our values align, self-examine where we are in meeting goals that tie into those values and work from within to ensure that the values shared with us are, in turn, shared with the students we educate each day.

Results: The implementation of this project is ongoing and should continue to evolve as we continue to explore "What We Value." The survey has provided us with unbiased and unabashed feedback that will allow us to continue to focus on our areas of strength and show us where we could stand to improve. It has also shown us where we have established data to share with our stakeholders to prove our values align with their own and shown us where we must research other ways to tabulate data to prove that our values align with their own. Most importantly the end result of this survey provided evidence that our community sees our students as more than just numbers on standardized tests.