



Board of Education

INFORMATION

TITLE: Naming School Facilities Process –Study of Published Compliant Names

DATE: April 27, 2026

RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR: Dr. Tiffany Bone
Deputy Superintendent

BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:

On February 23, 2026, a committee was formed to begin the process of renaming the Fort Smith Public Schools Service Center. The committee met and established a procedure for soliciting names from the public. The names were solicited and vetted for compliance with policy 7.21. The compliant names were published on the District’s website and social media platforms for a period of no less than 30 days.

RECOMMENDATION:

Action: The school board will study/discuss each of the published names during the April 27th board meeting and allow for public comment during the discussion of the names. Public comment will follow the same time constraints and guidelines already established by the school board.

Next steps: The school board will adopt the facility name by majority vote at a board meeting held no earlier than the next regular, called, or special meeting following the April 27th, 2026 Board meeting.