

## **Item 4D: Discussion and Possible Action to Close Candlewood STEM Academy and Candlewood Elementary School**

# Elementary School Closures: Candlewood

- ***Closing Elementaries = Approximately \$850,000 Cost Savings each campus***
  - Payroll - \$850,000 (Salary of front office staff, not Teachers)
  - Concerns: Need to include specific agenda language in the board meeting agenda/public notice, late notification to parents-quick turnaround for redrawing boundaries, student/parent travel time would increase for those further away

- Candlewood ES to Hopkins ES  
0-1 buses  
Operational Cost= \$3K
- Candlewood ES to Masters ES  
3 buses needed  
Operational Cost= \$15K
- Candlewood ES to Paschall ES  
0-1 buses  
Operational Cost= \$1K

TOTAL = \$19K

