Education Advisory Committee April 3, 2019

- 1. The April 3, 2019 meeting of the Education Advisory Committee was called to order at 4:30 in the Fairhope Library conference room.
- 2. Committee members present were Elizabeth Hammock, Robin Coleman, Colby Cooper, Hank Burch, Hill Robinson, Ken Cole and Councilman Robert Brown.
- 3. Guests present were principals Julie Pierce and Carol Broughton.
- 4. The minutes of the March 6 meeting were approved as submitted.
- 5. Robert Brown and Ken Cole reported on the progress of the Special Tax District initiative, beginning with the successful petition drive to collect the minimum 200 signatures of registered voters in the district before the process could be moved along to the School Board and County Commission. Robert and Ken have made presentations on the 3 mill proposal to civic, school and business groups in March, with more planned for April and June.
- 6. Robert reported that the School Board plans to reveal its redistricting plans at a meeting at Fairhope Intermediate School on April 4, and then we'll know what if any changes will impact the current Fairhope schools feeder pattern. If our boundaries do change however, he expects that we have enough excess signatures on the petition to prevent falling below the required 200, but will hold them until we know for sure.
- 7. With no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:45.
- 8. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held at 4:30, May 1, 2016 in the Fairhope Library conference room.

Respectfully submitted, Ken Cole EAC Chairman