



2008 Choice Summit

Hosted by: Polk County Schools through the VPSC Program Award

Plaza Resort & Spa
600 N. Atlantic Avenue
Daytona Beach, FL 32118

AGENDA

Wednesday, July 16, 2008

District Charter Sessions – Located in Granada C



| Time: | Topic Discussion | Presenter |
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| 1:00 PM | VPSC Grant Partners Meeting-(Only Polk, Hillsborough, Osceola, Indian River, Lake, Manatee, Orange, Pasco and Sumter Counties) | Carolyn Finch, Senior Director of School Choice, Polk County |
| 1:45 PM | <i>Break and Registration</i> | Hall outside Granada B & C |
| 2:00 PM | Partnership with Florida Public School Choice Consortium | Carolyn Finch, Senior Director of School Choice, Polk County |
| 2:30 PM | Charter Law: Definition of "Community" | Group Discussion |
| 3:45 PM | Wrap Up/Next Day Items | Group Overview |
| 4:00 PM | Best Practices Networking Activities | Participant Led |

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| 8:00 AM | Roundtable Networking – Sponsored Breakfast Provided | Magnolias (Hotel Restaurant) |
| 9:00 AM | What Issues are Charter Authorizers Facing Today? | Facilitator: Carolyn Finch, Senior Director of School Choice, Polk |
| 10:00 AM | Break | Hall outside Granada B & C |
| 10:15 AM | Florida Schools of Excellence: How has Brevard County dealt with these issues? | Vicki Mace, Director of School Choice, Brevard County |
| 11:00 AM | Palm Beach County Appeal Process: Strategies that Work | Jeannette Merced, Accounting Specialist, Palm Beach County |
| 12:00 PM | Sponsored Lunch Provided | Vista del Mar |
| 1:00 PM | Miami-Dade: Managing Numerous Charter Applicants Affectively | Tiffanie Pauline, Executive Director, Miami-Dade County |
| 2:00 PM | Round Table Forum Discussions Contracting Issues | Group Led |
| 4:00 PM | Wrap Up: What will be accomplished over the next year? | Carolyn Finch, Senior Director of School Choice, Polk County |
| 4:30 PM | End | |