

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Action Item**  
May 11, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Review of Turnaround Option Plans and Annual External Operator Contracts for School Districts of Duval, Hillsborough and Pinellas County

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**PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

Consideration of new Turnaround Option Plans and Annual External Operator Contracts for approval

**AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

Rule 6A-1.099811, F.A.C.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Pursuant to Rule 6A-1.099811(11)(b), F.A.C., a school district may choose to enter a Turnaround Option Plan-External Operator (EO) with State Board approval, as set forth in paragraph (7)(b). Through this option, the district contracts with an outside entity that has a record of effectiveness to operate the school. The school district shall enter into an annual contract with the EO, set forth in subparagraph (11)(b)5.

Schools implementing the Turnaround Option Plan-District-Managed Turnaround (DMT) began implementation of the State Board of Education approved plan in 2018. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the pause on accountability in 2019-20, and the districts not "opting in" to their 2020-21 school grades, the districts are in Year 2 or Year 3 (including the 1-year extension) of DMT in 2021-22. After completion of the Turnaround Option Plan-DMT, a school district must choose an alternative Turnaround Option Plan to support the Turnaround school.

When selecting an alternative External Operator during implementation of the previously State Board of Education-approved Turnaround Option Plan-EO, the new plan and EO contract shall be approved by the State Board of Education.

If the schools below earn a 2022 school grade of D or F, the respective districts will implement Turnaround Option Plan-EO for the 2022-23 school year. To prepare for the beginning of the 2022-23 school year, the State Board of Education shall consider approval of the new Turnaround Option Plan-EO and Annual External Operator Contracts for the districts below.

Duval County School District:

- George Washington Carver Elementary School
- Ramona Boulevard Elementary School
- Susie E. Tolbert Elementary School

School Name	2021-21 School Grade	2018-19 School Grade	2017-18 School Grade	Current Turnaround Option	Year in Option	Proposed Turnaround Option	Proposed 2022-23 EO
GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER ES	<i>Did not "opt in"</i> (D; 33%)	D (32%)	D (37%)	EO	YEAR 1	EO	MGT Consulting, LLC
RAMONA BOULEVARD ES	<i>Did not "opt in"</i> (F; 30%)	D (35%)	D (38%)	DMT	YEAR 3	EO	MGT Consulting, LLC
SUSIE E. TOLBERT ES	<i>Did not "opt in"</i> (D; 35%)	D (32%)	D (32%)	DMT	YEAR 2	EO	Turnaround Solutions

Hillsborough County School District:

- Shaw Elementary School

School Name	2021-21 School Grade	2018-19 School Grade	2017-18 School Grade	Current Turnaround Option	Year in Option	Proposed Turnaround Option	Proposed 2022-23 EO
SHAW ES	<i>Did not "opt in"</i> (D; 34%)	D (40%)	F (26%)	DMT	YEAR 2	EO	LSI

Pinellas County School District:

- Sandy Lane Elementary School

School Name	2021-21 School Grade	2018-19 School Grade	2017-18 School Grade	Current Turnaround Option	Year in Option	Proposed Turnaround Option	Proposed 2022-23 EO
SANDY LANE ES	<i>Did not "opt in"</i> (D; 35%)	D (38%)	D (38%)	DMT	YEAR 2	EO	LSI

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** Turnaround Option Plans for: George Washington Carver Elementary School, Ramona Boulevard Elementary School, Susie E. Tolbert Elementary School, Shaw Elementary School, Sandy Lane Elementary School; and External Operator Contracts (under separate cover)

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