

# COMMUNITY FORUM

## FEDERAL FUNDING FREEZE

#### WHEN: THURSDAY, JULY 24 @ 6 P.M. WHERE: ADMINISTRATION BUILDING-CONFERENCE HALL AND LIVE ON YOUTUBE

Your Voice Matters: Federal education grants — totaling \$9 million for Pinellas County Schools (PCS), \$400 million for the state of Florida — were unexpectedly frozen on June 30, just before the fiscal year started.

That leaves our district unable to plan or execute key programs, including an **enhanced middle school experience, professional learning to support teacher growth and retention, and more.** These initiatives are now at risk.

Join us for a community forum on Thursday, July 24, where we'll provide an overview of the funding freeze, recent state changes to our budget, and how these developments may impact students, families and staff.

#### **MORE INFORMATION: PCSB.ORG/FUNDING**

### MEET WITH YOUR School district Leaders!





Kevin Hendrick, Superintendent of Schools

Laura Hine, School Board Chair



Caprice Edmond,

School Board

Vice-Chair



Katie Blaxberg, School Board Member



Lisa Cane, School Board Member



Stephanie Meyer, School Board Member



Eileen Long, School Board Member



Dawn Peters, School Board Member



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