

VENICE MIDDLE

YOUR SCHOOL



The Best Choice for Your Child

- **“A” School** – *“A place for every student”*
- Outstanding Teachers
- TechActive Stem Smart+ Classrooms

Math & Science

New 2015 - 2016, Language Arts



Excellent Academics

- Gifted Academy
- High School Credit Classes
~*Algebra, Geometry, Spanish*
- Advanced Mathematics
- Stem Smart+



Marine Science

Venice Middle Young Marines ~ Magnet

First In The State, First In The Nation



- Leadership
- Teamwork
- Service

Community Involvement



Sarasota Beach Clean Up



Mayor's Feed the Hungry



Memorial Gardens Luminary

Exciting Electives...

- TV Studio
- Drama
- Robotics
- Sports Fit



Award-Winning Arts Programs

- Marching Band
- Performance Chorus
- Keyboards & Guitar
- 2-D & 3-D Art



NEW - January, 2015 Orchestra

Elementary Partnerships...

- Taylor Ranch
- Venice Elementary
- Englewood Elementary
- Garden Elementary



Future Venice Middle Student

Elementary Partnerships...

- Fifth graders visit Venice Middle
- Sixth graders visit Elementary Schools
- Venice Middle participation in Elementary events



Venice High Partnership...

- The Arts
- School Events
- Future Partnerships
 - Technology / Stem
 - College & Career Planning
 - VHS Visitations To VMS



Community Engagement Plan



Good to Great

Project Goals



Program Enhancements

- **Venice's School of Choice**
- Prep for VHS Engineering & Medicine Specialties
- Prep for SCTI South



Community Ownership

Venice's Middle School



- **Improve Community – School CONNECTIONS**
 - Meet Parent Academic Expectations
 - Link School to Venice Economy
 - Improve Connections to FEEDER School & VHS Programs

Campus Improvements

Shape Campus Development

- Direct Facilities Renovation
- Identify Program/Facility Needs
- Address Campus Needs



Community Dialogue

- Shared Needs: Common Goals
- Value Of Venice Middle
- Business Needs
- Parents & Community Concerns



Listening To The Community

- **Community Needs**

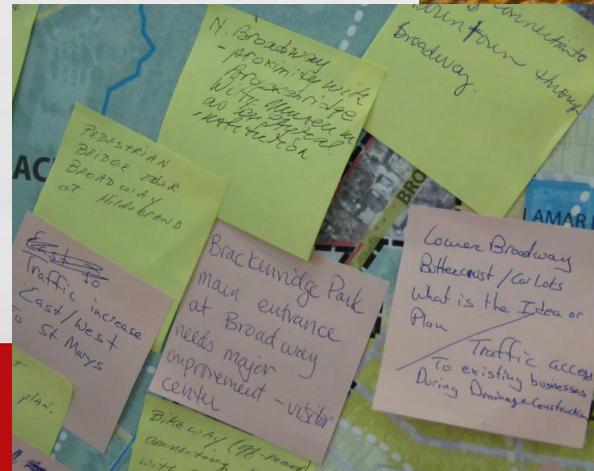
- Fall 2014 – Spring 2015

- **Opportunity Identification**

- Spring – Summer 2015

- **Alternatives**

- Spring – Summer 2015



Responding To The Community

- **Policy Determination**

- Summer – Fall 2015

- **Direction Confirmation**

- Summer – Fall 2015

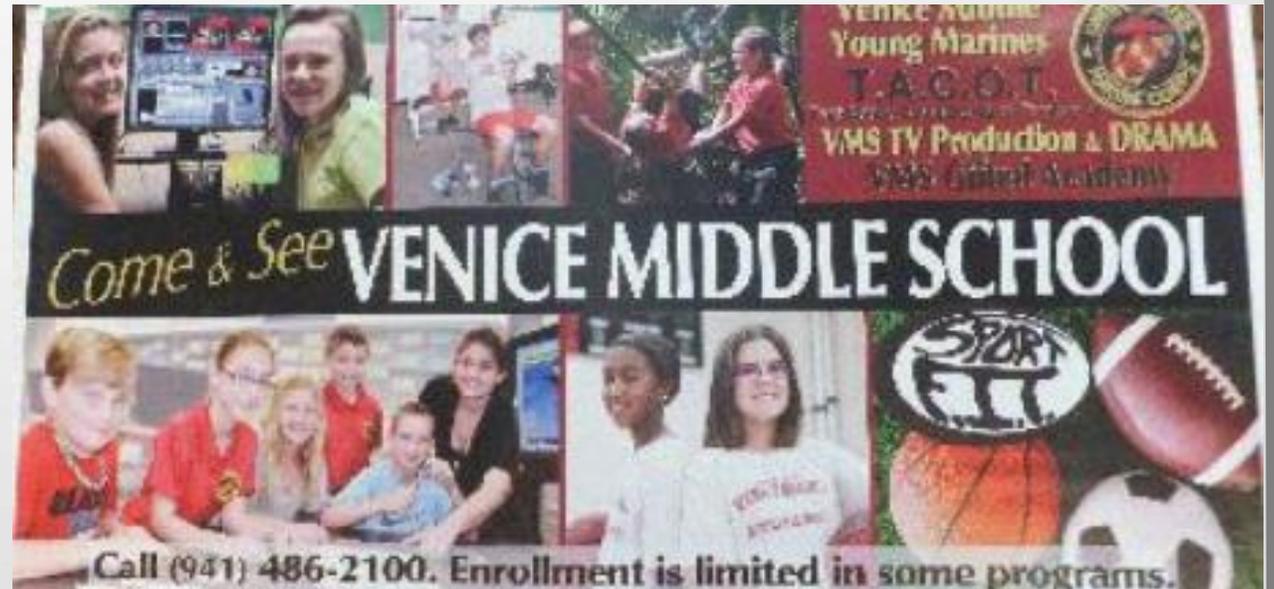
- **Plan Adoption**

- Fall – Winter 2015



Achieving Results

- **Realize The Vision**
 - Action Items
 - Budget
 - Community Oversight & Review
 - Amend & Update
 - Achieve Success



Six Schools: One Team

- Teresa Baus, Venice Elementary
- Bill Bolander, Taylor Ranch Elementary
- Mark Grossenbacher, Englewood Elementary
- John McQueen, Garden Elementary
- Karin Schmidt, Venice Middle
- Jack Turgeon, Venice High

Taking Care of Your Child

Venice Middle

Your School

