

Intro

- Thanks
- Power of The People

FACTS

- **Know these closures are just one small action in a plan that has its roots in state and national campaigns dating back over 20 years. (Epstein 2022)**
- **The threat of closing Parker Elementary and Community Day School before summer has caused unimaginable emotional harm to already vulnerable students, over 90% eligible for free/reduced meals and both majority Black. (CDE, 2021)**
- **Research demonstrates that school closures are inequitably distributed across different types of communities and can precipitate negative consequences for students and neighborhoods. (Billenger and Beck 2012, Keels and Shuble 2013; Kirshner Gaertner, and Pozzoboni 2010; Valencia 1980)**

Next Steps

- Power
- Pressure
- What happens if...
- Impact Actions

Required Slide : Hunger Strike Suspension

- In order to get this meeting called and a resolution presented. I was forced into ending my hunger strike after the vote was taken and they needed it in writing so here it is. Not of my own volition but of the games that this district and school board want to play. I may be suspending my hunger strike however, this isn't over.