Candler Represented at South Georgia Charter System Workshop
A delegation from the Candler County Board of Education and the Candler County Archway Partnership attended the South Georgia New Charter System Workshop hosted by Dublin City Schools. The workshop was an opportunity for interested systems to come together with seasoned representatives of existing Charter Systems. As Candler County moves toward the Charter System model, they will engage the Archway Executive Committee and Archway Professional in developing training modules for their School Governance Councils.

Candler AP Completes Economic Development Academy
On May 25th, The Academy’s multi-day program, taught one day a month over a four-month period, includes training in the basics of economic and community development, plus specialized segments on business recruitment and retention, tourism product development, downtown development, planning, and other essentials for community success. In addition, the curriculum features specific leadership skills such as consensus building, ethics in public service, collaborative leadership and other segments needed for effective community leadership in economic development.

Fanning Institute Talks about Leadership with Candler County
On May 28th, Louise Hill and Raye Rawls of the JW Fanning Institute met with members of the Archway Leadership Development Issue Work Group to discuss community leadership needs. Much of the conversation focused on the differences between development of existing leaders versus the recruitment and engagement of potential leaders. The group consensus was that the need for both exists. Hill and Rawls will take the input gleaned in the initial meeting into consideration when recommending next steps for program development.