

# Minutes

7:30 a.m., May 10, 2011, District Board Room

Lancaster County School District Board of Trustees Called Meeting

## In Attendance

### Board members present-

Janice Dabney (Secretary), Tyrom Faulkner, Margaret Gamble (Vice Chair), Bobby Parker (Chair), Bill Sumner and Mary Etta Taylor

### Board members absent-

Don McCorkle

### District personnel-

Gwendolyn Conner (Human Resources Director), David Knight (Public Information Director) and Gene Moore (Superintendent)

### Press-

None

### Citizens-

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## Open Session

### Call to order and invocation-

BABA

At 7:35 a.m., the chair called the meeting to order and welcomed the public on behalf of the board. Mr. Faulkner gave the INVOCATION.

### Notice to media-

BCBB

In accordance with the SC Code of Laws, 1976, Section 30-4-80(d), as amended, the Cable 2 the Kershaw News Era and the Lancaster News were notified of the time, date, place and agenda of this meeting.

### Approval of meeting agenda-

BCBD

The chair called for amendments to the agenda. Hearing none, the chair called for approval of the agenda as emailed.

A MOTION was made and seconded to approve the agenda as emailed.

The motion PASSED unanimously (6-0).

## Executive Session

### Executive session-

BCBK, GBC/D, GBO

The chair announced the purpose for executive session was to receive resignations, terminations, certified employment recommendations, non-renewal recommendations, administrative recommendations and auxillary staff employment recommendations.

The MOTION to enter executive session was made and seconded. The motion PASSED unanimously (6-0).

## Open Session

### Open session-

BABA

At 8:11 a.m., the board reconvened in open session.

### Results of executive session-

BCBK

- In open session, a MOTION was made and seconded to accept the resignations of
  - **Brooklyn Springs Elementary** – Gwen Hinson-Minor, principal; Mary Ann Parker, instructional assistant, kindergarten
  - **Buford Elementary** – Rebecca Dover assistant principal
  - **Buford High** – Ernest Gibson, teacher
  - **Erwin Elementary** – Linda Bentley, teacher
  - **Heath Springs Elementary** – Brenton Walters, teacher

- **Indian Land Elementary** – Mary Watters, teacher
- **Kershaw Elementary** – Reo King, teacher
- **Lancaster High** – Olden Tate, bus driver
- **McDonald Green Elementary** – Anna Snipes, teacher
- **North Elementary** – Lisa Willis, teacher

The motion **PASSED** unanimously (6-0).

- In open session, a **MOTION** was made and seconded to authorize the board chair to execute an order on the behalf of the board affirming the superintendent’s recommendation that the contract of a continuing contract employee not be renewed for the 2011-12 school year, such order having been reviewed by the board.

The motion **PASSED** unanimously (6-0).

- In open session, a **MOTION** was made and seconded to approve the superintendent’s recommendation that the contracts of all non-retired certified teachers of the district be renewed for the 2011-12 school year.

The motion **PASSED** unanimously (6-0).

- In open session, a **MOTION** was made and seconded to approve the superintendent’s recommendation that the contracts for the employees listed as principals, assistant principals, directors, auxiliary program staff and auxiliary business staff of the district for the 2011-12 school year except Alex Dabney.

The motion **PASSED** unanimously (6-0).

- In open session, a **MOTION** was made and seconded to approve the superintendent’s recommendation to employ Alex Dabney as Andrew Jackson High assistant principal for the 2011-12 school year.

The motion **PASSED** unanimously (5-0-1 Ms. Dabney abstained because Mr. Dabney is her son).

With no other business before the board, the chair adjourned the meeting at 7:51 p.m.

**Adjournment-  
BCBF**

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Janice C. Dabney, Secretary

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Robert W. Parker, Chair

