

# Minutes

7:30 a.m., August 9, 2016, District Board Room

Lancaster County School District Board of Trustees Called Meeting

## In Attendance

### Board members present-

James Brooks, Janice Dabney (Secretary), Tyrom Faulkner (Vice-Chair), Margaret Gamble, Don McCorkle, Bobby Parker (Chair) and Bill Sumner

### Board members absent-

None

### District personnel-

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

### Press-

None

### Citizens-

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## Open Session

### Call to order and invocation-

BABA

At 7:34 a.m., Mr. Parker called the meeting to order. Mr. Sumner gave the INVOCATION.

### Notice to media-

BCBB

In accordance with the SC Code of Laws, 1976, Section 30-4-80(d), as amended, CN2, Herald, Kershaw News Era and The Lancaster News were notified of the time, date, place and agenda of this meeting.

## Executive Session

### Executive session-

BCBK, GBC/D, GBO

The chair announced the purpose for executive session was to receive resignations, retirements and terminations and the superintendent's certified, non-certified and administrative employment recommendations.

The MOTION to enter executive session was made and seconded. The motion PASSED unanimously (7-0).

## Open Session

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BABA

At 7:45 a.m., the board reconvened in open session.

### Executive session action-

BCBK

- In open session, a MOTION was made and seconded to accept the resignations/retirements/terminations of
  - **A.R. Rucker Middle** – Sharath Boppisetty, seventh-grade science teacher
  - **Clinton Elementary** – Pearline Dinkins, cafeteria operator
  - **Discovery School** – Kimberly Bunich, gifted/talented teacher
  - **Heath Springs Elementary** – Beth Hilliard, cafeteria operator
  - **Indian Land Elementary** – Rachel Sachritz, fourth-grade teacher
  - **Indian Land High** – Michelle Banks, nurse
  - **North Elementary** – Jasmine Gipson, second-grade teacherThe motion PASSED unanimously (7-0).

- In open session, a **MOTION** was made and seconded to accept the superintendent’s certified employment recommendations for the 2016-17 school year
  - **Buford Elementary** – Dori Brown, early childhood
  - **Buford High** – Jeffrey Moyer, social studies
  - **Clinton Elementary** – Lenora Grier, special education
  - **Discovery School** – Leslie Brandt, elementary
  - **Erwin Elementary** – Alan Ehren, elementary
  - **Heath Springs Elementary** – Brandy Ragle, early childhood
  - **Indian Land Elementary** – Brenda Layer, elementary
  - **Kershaw Elementary** – Elizabeth Thornton, elementary
  - **McDonald Green Elementary** – Carla Poitier, elementary
  - **Southside Early Childhood Center** – Noemi Santos, early childhood; JoAn Willis, early childhood

The motion **PASSED** unanimously (7-0).
- In open session, a **MOTION** was made and seconded to accept the superintendent’s non-certified employment recommendations for the 2016-17 school year
  - **Clinton Elementary** – Lora Todd, cafeteria operator
  - **Human Resources** – Beverly Gilliam, benefits coordinator I
  - **Lancaster High** – Samantha Rushing, cafeteria operator
  - **McDonald Green Elementary** – Tansy Ham, cafeteria operator
  - **North Elementary** – Anna Massey, instructional assistant; Tameka Morrow, instructional assistant

The motion **PASSED** unanimously (7-0).  
The chair reported the board had completed its executive session business.

With no other business before the board, the chair adjourned the meeting at 7:42 a.m.

**Adjournment-  
BCBF**

**Respectfully submitted,**

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Janice C. Dabney, Secretary

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

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Robert W. Parker, Chair