

Minutes

8 a.m., June 12, 2019, District Board Room

Lancaster County School District Board of Trustees Called Meeting

In Attendance

Board members present-

Ken Buck (by conference call), Janice Dabney (Secretary), Tyrom Faulkner (Vice-Chair), Margaret Gamble, Bobby Parker (Chair), Melvin Stroble and Bill Sumner

Board members absent-

None

District personnel-

Jonathan Phipps (Superintendent); Lydia Quinn (Chief Operations Officer) and David Small (Facilities Director)

Press-

None

Citizens-

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Open Session

Call to order and invocation- BABA

At 8:05 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, 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, the superintendent's certified, non-certified and administrative employment recommendations, one legal matter and receipt of legal advice. The MOTION to enter executive session was made and seconded. The motion PASSED unanimously (7-0).

Open Session

Open session- BABA

At 8:45 a.m., the board reconvened in open session.

Executive session action- BCBK

- In open session, a MOTION was made by Ms. Dabney and seconded by Mr. Stroble to accept the resignations/retirements/terminations of
 - **A.R. Rucker Middle** – Monica Jones, sixth-grade ELA teacher; Megan Mackie, sixth-grade math teacher; Avis Robinson, instructional assistant
 - **Brooklyn Springs Elementary** – Elizabeth Blum, principal; Stacy Harris, special education teacher; Nellie Wright, 29-hour classroom helper
 - **Buford Elementary** – Robin Jewett, curriculum test coordinator/teacher
 - **Buford High** – Rachel Haynes, business education teacher
 - **Buford Middle** – Sheryl Wells, principal

- **Discovery School** – Lisa Johnson, lead speech
- **Erwin Elementary** – Deirdra Chandler, assistant principal; Bethany Smith, fourth-grade teacher
- **Food Services** – LaToya Neal, cafeteria manager; Diamond Williams, cafeteria operator
- **Harrisburg Elementary** – Caitlin Pate, instructional assistant
- **Heath Springs Elementary** – Ruth Datz-Northness, fourth-grade teacher
- **Indian Land Elementary** – Nyree Miller-Crowder, 29-hour classroom helper
- **Indian Land High** – Michael Edwards, athletic director; Ebony Foster, guidance counselor; Tamlyn Haigler, 29-hour classroom helper
- **Indian Land Middle** – Monica Little, eighth-grade math teacher; Pamela West, seventh-grade social studies teacher
- **Lancaster High** – Roxie Halls, instructional assistant
- **Lancaster County Career Center** – Patricia Jones, health science teacher
- **Research & Development** – Dustin Marshall, grant coordinator
- **South Middle** – Lauren Clark, seventh-grade social studies teacher; Deena Faris, chorus teacher; April Jacob, eighth-grade math teacher; Marilu Perez, parent coordinator
- **Southside Early Childhood Center** – Lita Brown, bus monitor; Rebekah Clements, speech teacher; Aziya McGriff, bus monitor
- **Student Services** – Sarah Csiszer, ESOL teacher; Hannah Dutton, administrative assistant
- **Van Wyck Elementary** – Christine Tatarka, kindergarten teacher

The motion PASSED unanimously (7-0).

- In open session, a MOTION was made by Ms. Gamble and seconded by Mr. Stroble to accept the superintendent’s certified employment recommendations for the 2019-20 school year
 - **Andrew Jackson Middle** – Shandra Hall, guidance counselor
 - **Brooklyn Springs Elementary** – Suzanne Price, LD teacher
 - **Buford High** – Jayne Gibbs, business teacher
 - **Buford Middle** – Tonya Funderburk, eighth-grade science teacher; Adrianna Ray, special education teacher
 - **Clinton Elementary** – Bethany Byrd, art teacher; Tracy Perez, fourth-grade teacher
 - **Harrisburg Elementary** – Jacquelyn Phillips, third-grade teacher
 - **Heath Springs Elementary** – Ashley Shelton, third-grade teacher
 - **Indian Land Elementary** – Christina Bauman, science teacher; Stephanie Rhoads, first-grade teacher; Rachel Strunk, third-grade teacher
 - **Indian Land High** – Elizabeth McDonald, social studies teacher; Lydia Sergent, English teacher; Katlyn Walden, English teacher
 - **Indian Land Middle** – Matthew Taylor, P.E. teacher; Christine Trotta, eighth-grade ELA teacher; Jessica Yates, eighth-grade ELA teacher
 - **Lancaster County Career Center** – Matthew Broughton, fire fighter teacher; Dominic Hawkes, culinary arts teacher
 - **Van Wyck Elementary** – Allison Smith, second-grade teacher
- The motion PASSED unanimously (7-0).

- In open session, a **MOTION** was made by Ms. Dabney and seconded by Ms. Gamble to accept the superintendent’s non-certified employment recommendations for the 2018-19 school year
 - **Clinton Elementary** – Felicia White, attendance clerk
 - **Facilities** – Jayme Gainey, HVAC journeyman
 - **North Elementary** – Shelby Davis, instructional assistant
 - **Transportation** – Dana Jones, bus driver
 - **Van Wyck Elementary** – Tanna Warrin, nurse RN II
- In open session, a **MOTION** was made by Mr. Stroble and seconded by Mr. Faulkner to accept the superintendent’s retiree letters of agreement recommendations for the 2019-20 school year
The motion **PASSED** unanimously (7-0).
- In open session, a **MOTION** was made by Ms. Dabney and seconded by Ms. Gamble to accept the superintendent’s non-certified administrative employment recommendations for the 2019-20 school year
 - **District Office** – Mary Faile, finance department director; Trevor Hammond, procurement department director
 The motion **PASSED** unanimously (7-0).
- In open session, a **MOTION** was made by Ms. Dabney and seconded by Mr. Stroble to accept the superintendent’s recommendation to approve the sale of 1.023 acres near old Barr Street School to the Katawba Valley Land Trust.
The motion **PASSED** unanimously (7-0).
With no other business before the board, the chair adjourned the meeting at 8:55 a.m.

**Adjournment-
BCBF**

Respectfully submitted,

Janice C. Dabney, Secretary

Approved: _____

Robert W. Parker, Chair