

Minutes

5:30 p.m., June 14, 2022, District Board Room

Lancaster County School District Board of Trustees Public Hearing

In Attendance

Board members present–

Ken Buck (Secretary), Janice Dabney (Chair), Tyrom Faulkner, Margaret Gamble, and Bobby Parker, Brad Small (Vice-Chair), and Melvin Stroble

Board members absent–

None

District personnel–

Linda Blackwell (Elementary Director), Ashley Bradley (Buford Middle Principal), Rachel Bradley (Superintendent's Assistant), Rick Chandler (Attorney), Michelle Craig (Public Information Specialist), Alex Dabney (Data Specialist), Butch Dutton (Secondary Director) Mary Faile (Finance Director), Trevor Hammond (Procurement Director), Nicki Letterman (Public Information Assistant), Lindsey Marino (Student Service Director), Paul Mckenzie, Jr. (LearnTV), Jonathan Phipps (Superintendent), Lydia Quinn (Chief Operations Officer), David Small (Facilities Director), Blake Stacks (IT Director), Quinton Thomas (LearnTV), Bryan Vaughn (Safety & Communications Director), Kendra Watts (Fiscal Services), Jennifer White (Chief Financial Officer)

Guest–

Alex Sherard (White & Story, LLC)

Press–

Mac Banks (The Lancaster News)

Citizens–

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Open Session

Call to order–

BABA

At 5:30 p.m., the chair called the public hearing to order.

Notice to media–

BCBB

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

Welcome–

BCB

The chair welcomed the public to the meeting on behalf of the board.

Public hearing for FY 2022-23 general fund and debt service budgets and receipt of public input regarding the design, planning and implementation of 2022-23 Title I-Part A, Title I-Part C, Title I-Part D, Title II-Part A, Title III, Carl D. Perkins Career & Technical Education Act and IDEA (Special Education) Funding

DCDB

The chair noted that during the board's May 17 regular board meeting, the board reviewed the proposed budget based on the best information our finance office had on state revenues. And this year, the district, as it does every year, placed ads in local newspapers outlining the budget and how it will change from the year before. State law requires that the district run one ad at least two weeks before the proposed budget is voted on by the board.

Although the law requires publication only once in one newspaper, the district ran the ad in The Lancaster News two days – May 21st and 25th, and The Kershaw News Era on May 26th.

No member of the public addressed the board.

Budget PowerPoint Presentation-

The Board Chair recognized Ms. White who gave a Power-Point presentation on the FY 2022-2023 general fund and debit service budgets.

**Adjournment-
BCBF**

With no other business before the board, the chair adjourned the meeting at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Approved: _____

Ken Buck, Secretary

Janice C. Dabney, Chair