

**Calhoun County Public Schools**  
**Minutes of Emergency Meeting of the Board of Trustees**  
**District Office/Live Stream**  
**January 28, 2021**  
**5:30 P.M.**

**Members Present:** Mr. Gary Porth, Chairperson; Mr. Kevin Jenkins, Vice Chairperson; Ms. Debra Fredrick, Secretary; Mrs. Sandra Tucker, and Mr. Ned Nelson.

1. **Call to Order/Moment of Silence:** Mr. Gary Porth, Chairperson, called the meeting to order, welcomed visitors and staff and asked everyone present to stand for a Moment of Silence and the "Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag".
2. **Notice to the Media:** In accordance with the S.C. Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, Section 30-4-80-(E), the following have been notified of this meeting: The Calhoun Times; The Times and Democrat; notices placed on the bulletin boards in all schools, the District Office, on the Districts Web Site as well as phone blitz to the parents and employees.
2. **Approval of Agenda:** Mr. Jenkins moved, with a second by Mrs. Tucker, to approve the agenda as submitted. Passed unanimously.
3. **Superintendent's Report:** An Emergency Meeting of the Board was called concerning students returning to face-to-face instruction.

Mr. George Kiernan, Director of Human Resources and Compliance Officer, updated the Board on the PPE Distribution, Supplies and Materials that are in place in the District.

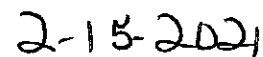
Each Board Member gave a detailed discussion on their stand of bringing the students back to Face-to-Face instruction during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Each member of the Board voiced their opinion that although they desire for school to return, they do not feel the students should return with the high numbers of Covid-19 outbreak and until all teachers and/or vaccinations are available for educators.

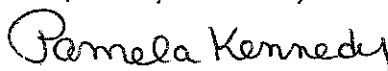
Dr. Wilson thanked the Board for sharing their thoughts and guidance regarding the return of students for face-to-face instruction. He also thanked the parents and the teachers for their patience. Dr. Wilson added that the district will continue with virtual learning at this time.

4. **Adjournment:** Mr. Nelson moved, with a second by Mr. Jenkins, to adjourn at 7:02 p.m. Passed unanimously.

  
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Board of Trustees Secretary

  
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Date of Approval

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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Pamela Kennedy, Executive Administrative Assistant  
To the Superintendent