

Communiqué

A brief summary of the April 9, 2018, 6:00 p.m. Douglas County Board of Education work session follows. Meeting agendas for each board meeting and work session are posted online. For an agenda from the April 9 meeting, please click [here](#). To see supporting documents, click on agenda items.

Unfinished Business

The GSBA Legislative Positions were reviewed. The Board did not have any changes.

Board Agenda Items

Student Achievement and Leadership

Recommendation was made to approve at the April 23, 2018, meeting the purchase of pre-calculus instructional resources for high schools from McGraw Hill Education – Glencoe Pre-calculus.

Operations

Recommendation was made to approve at the April 23, 2018, meeting the surplus of 15 regular size buses.

Action Agenda

Board approved:

- Five-year Local Facilities Plan which will be submitted to the GA Department of Education
- Updated Strategic Improvement Plan as presented at the March 12, 2018, work session

Certified and classified personnel were approved, including the following appointments effective July 1, 2018:

- Alesia Stanley, Principal at New Manchester Elementary, as Principal at Bill Arp Elementary to replace Paul Spence who is retiring
- Kim Smith as Assistant Principal at Mason Creek Middle School
- Kevin Jefferson, Assistant Principal at New Manchester High School, as Assistant Principal at Douglas County High School
- Kelly Spencer as Assistant Principal on a half-time basis at Factory Shoals Elementary
- E.W. Tolbert, Assistant Principal at Turner Middle School, as Director of Transportation

The following resignations were approved effective July 1, 2018:

- Lee Collins, Assistant Principal at Lithia Springs High School
- Corinne Barnes, Director of Foreign Language, ESOL, Gifted, Fine Arts

Present were Board Members Tracy Rookard, District III, Chair; D.T. Jackson, District II; and Jeff Morris, District V. Also present were Superintendent Trent North; Chief Academic Officer Pam Nail; Assistant Superintendent of District Operations Kwame Carr; Chief Financial Officer Greg Denney; Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Policy Dr. Michelle Ruble; Assistant Superintendent of Student Services

Renee Davis; Director of Community Relations Karen Stroud; Director of Public Information Portia Lake; Communications Director Nell Boggs; and Secretary to the Superintendent Melanie Nicholson.

Upcoming Meetings of the Douglas County Board of Education

Monday, April 23, 2018, 7:00pm BOE Meeting

Monday, May 7, 2018, 6:00pm BOE Work Session