

Orangeburg County School District

102 Founders Court, 2nd Floor, Board Road
Orangeburg, SC 29118

August 20, 2019

MINUTES

Board members present: R. L. Brown, Debora Brunson, Idella Carson, Ruby Edwards, Vernell Carson, William O'Quinn, Betty Pelzer, Peggy Tyler, and Mary Ulmer.

Proceedings:

Call to Order:

The Board chair, Peggy Tyler, called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. In accordance with S.C. Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, § 30-4-80 (e), the following media outlets were notified of the time, place, and agenda of the meeting: The Times and Democrat and The Advertiser-Herald.

Moment of Silence:

Board chair, Peggy Tyler, called for a moment of silence.

Pledge of Allegiance:

Board chair, Peggy Tyler, asked R. L. Brown, Parliamentarian, to lead the Board in the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Agenda:

Idella Carson moved, with a second by R. L. Brown, to approve the agenda. The motion passed 9-0.

Approval of Minutes:

Idella Carson moved, with a second by R. L. Brown, to approve the minutes dated August 13, 2019. The motion passed 9-0.

Information Items:

- A. Superintendent's Report
 - 1. Convocation 2019
 - 2. Board Recognition
 - 3. First Day of School

Board members R. L. Brown, Debora Brunson, Ruby Edwards and Betty Pelzer all successfully completed training. Debora Brunson, Betty Pelzer, and Ruby Edwards completed level 2 training while R. L. Brown completed level 1. There are six levels of training Board members are required to complete.

- B. Facilities Report - Robert Grant
- C. Student Enrollment – Lana Williams
- D. 21st Century /Save the Children Grant – Lana Williams
- E. Finance Update – Michael Thom

Public Forum:

The Board accepted all public comments.

Executive Session: 7:07 p.m.

- A. Personnel Recommendations

Vernell Goodwin moved, with a second by Mary Ulmer, to enter into executive session for the purpose of personnel recommendations. The motion passed 9-0.

Re-enter into Open Session: 8:07 p.m.

Idella Carson moved, with a second by Mary Ulmer, to re-enter into Open Session. The motion passed 9-0.

Action as required from Executive Session:

Idella Carson moved, with a second by Debora Brunson, to accept and approve the personnel recommendations from the Chief of Human Resources. The motion passed 9-0.

Announcements:

Idella Carson read a note from Betty Pelzer expressing appreciation to the Board for the support during a recent death in her family.

Adjournment:

R. L. Brown moved, with a second by Mary Ulmer, to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed 9-0. The meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

The next meeting will be 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, September 10, 2019.

Submitted by,

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