

Chattooga County Schools

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Expect Success

The Chattooga County School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability in its programs, activities, or employment practices.

AGENDA REQUEST FORM
Chattooga County Board of Education

Meeting Date
September 21, 2023

Agenda Item Number
E-1

TITLE:	Public Input Concerning the "Return to In-Person Instruction Plan" six-month review for 2023-2024
REQUESTED ACTION:	Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve public input concerning the "Return to In-Person Instruction Plan" six-month review for 2023-2024
SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:	See Attached
MAJOR SYSTEM PRIORITY:	Establishing internationally competitive standards
FINANCIAL IMPACT:	N/A
EXHIBITS: (List)	See Attached
BOARD ACTION:	SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
<div style="color: blue; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">APPROVED</div> <div style="color: red; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">SEP 21 2023</div> <div style="color: blue; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">Chattooga BCE</div> <p style="font-size: 0.8em;">(For Official School Board Records Only)</p>	<p>Jeremy Heathcock</p> <p><u>Federal Programs/Student Svcs.</u> (706) 857-3447</p> <p>Name Phone</p>

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Approved in Open Board Meeting on:

Date

By:

School Board Chairman

Initialized: 5/14/07

July 29, 2021 (original document date)

Chattooga County Schools (CCS) will implement the following guidelines for the 2022-2023 school year.

MASKS:

Masks will be optional for students and staff.

QUARANTINE & CONTACT TRACING:

- Individuals who are exposed to someone with a confirmed COVID-19 case will not be required to quarantine if they are not symptomatic.
- Contact the school's principal if a student tests positive for COVID-19.

POSITIVE COVID-19 CASES:

Chattooga County Schools will follow the Department of Public Health guidelines which require individuals who test positive to remain isolated for 10 days from the date of symptoms and remain fever-free without fever-reducing medication for 24 hours prior to returning to school. Individuals may return to school after 5 days of isolation if they have been symptom-free for 24 hours and continue to wear a mask through day 10 while remaining symptom-free.

VACCINATIONS:

Georgia Department of Public Health recommends [COVID-19 vaccinations](#), however, they are not required for staff or students. For information about COVID-19 vaccinations, visit [CDC COVID-19 information](#).

SCHOOL OPERATIONS:

Each school will host students and family members for Meet the Teacher. For more details see the local newspaper, media outlet websites, and school websites.

Enhanced cleaning measures will continue, with classrooms and high-touch areas being disinfected often throughout the school day.

Chattooga County Schools will continue to encourage social distancing.

Visitors will be limited to business-essential personnel. Appointments are encouraged.

Restrictions that were imposed for recess, lunchroom capacity, field trips, and other activities/events for the 2020-2021 school year will be removed for the 2022-2023 school year. CCS will monitor the COVID-19 data and if restrictions become necessary, Chattooga County Schools will adjust.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

We will closely monitor COVID-19 cases in the county and in our schools as we return for the new school year. Chattooga County Schools will update our district website, and schools' websites and notify media outlets if changes occur.

Reviewed August 31, 2023

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Tuesday, September 5, 2023, @ 5:30

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PLEASE SIGN IN

Name

Please list if you are an employee, parent, community member, or business partner

Jared Hosmer
Jared Hosmer
Lori Brady
Michelle Helie
Eddie Elsberry
Amanda Deery

employee - Asst. Superintendent

parent

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12-B - The Summerville News, Thursday, August 24, 2023

PUBLIC NOTICES

"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
A Notice of Intent to Dissolve CHEROKEE EAGLE, INC., a Georgia Corporation, with registered office at 101 W. Washington Street, Summerville, Chattooga County, Georgia 30747, has been delivered to the Secretary of State by said Corporation and filed on August 8, 2023, in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Georgia Business Corporation Code.

Persons with claims against said Corporation may present them by sending written notice setting forth the name of claimant, nature of claim, and amount claimed, to 310 County Road 129, Cayleville, AL 35975. Except for claims that are contingent at the time of the filing of the Notice of Intent to Dissolve or that arise after the filing of the Notice

of Intent to Dissolve, a claim against the Corporation not otherwise barred will be barred unless a proceeding to enforce the claim is commenced within two (2) years after the publication of the Notice.
Farrah & Corbin, P.C.
Attorneys at Law
P.O. Box 736
Summerville, Georgia 30747
(706) 857-3497

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CHATTOOGA COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA
IN RE: The Name Change of
CIVIL ACTION FILE NO.
PRISCILLA ANN PATTERSON,
NOTICE OF PETITION TO
CHANGE NAME**

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This 9th day of August 2023,
1/John R. Dennis
John Roger Dennis
Ga Bar No. 218060
35 E. Washington Street
Summerville, GA 30747
706.857.2415 phone

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS
AND CREDITORS
STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF CHATTOOGA
IN RE: ESTATE OF DAVID
ELLIS WELCH, DECEASED**
All creditors of the Estate of David Ellis Welch, deceased, late of Chattooga County, are hereby notified to render their demands to the undersigned according to law, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to us.

This 9th day of August, 2023.
RUBY LOUISE CLARK
c/o Archibald A. Farrar, Jr.
Farrah & Corbin, P.C.
P.O. Box 736
Summerville, GA 30747

**IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CHATTOOGA COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA
IN THE INTEREST OF:**

**Case No. 23JV7123
Age 2
Sex Female
DOB 07/05/2021**

**A Child Under 18 Years of Age.
NOTICE OF SUMMONS
TO: SHELLY RAY, CASEY
STILES, AND ANY UNKNOWN
PUTATIVE
FATHERS AND ALL OTHER
PARTIES WHO CLAIM ANY PA-
RENTAL OR CUSTODIAL RIGHTS
TO THE CHILDREN IDENTIFIED
ABOVE BORN TO SHELLY RAY,
MOTHER ON THE ABOVE DATES.**

You are hereby notified that the Chattooga County Department of Family and Children Services has filed a petition in this Court which alleges that the above minor child is dependent and seeks custody of said child. The petition alleging dependency was filed on July 28, 2023, and an Order for Service by Publication was entered by the Court.

On August 7, 2023, you are hereby commanded to and required to appear before the Juvenile Court of Chattooga County, Georgia, on the 16th day of October, 2023, at 1:30 p.m. for a Final Dependency Hearing, for the purpose of answering the allegations of the petition alleging dependency and

determining whether the prayers of said petition should be granted. The general nature of the allegations of the petition are that the child has been

subjected to abuse and/or neglect and is in need of the protection of the Court. A copy of the petition may be obtained from the Clerk of the Juvenile Court at the Court House in Summerville, Georgia, during regular business hours.
WITNESS, The Honorable Steven M. Ellis, Judge of said Court, this 9th day of August, 2023.
Kim Windle James
Chattooga County Juvenile Court

GEORGIA, CHATTOOGA COUNTY
All creditors of the estate of Glenda Faye Williams, late of said county, deceased, are hereby notified to render their demands to the undersigned, according to law, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to us, this 14th day of August, 2023.

Use our Classifieds!

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This 9th day of August 2023.

LET US LAMINATE your
important documents - social security cards, insurance cards, disabled parking permits, etc. We also laminate newspaper articles and documents.
The Summerville News.

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SEALED BID NOTICE

Chattooga County, Georgia, is accepting bids for locations for Solid Waste Disposal as follows:

Bids should be submitted on a per-ton basis and will be for 1 year, beginning September 1, 2023, and ending August 31, 2024.

Bids should include all taxes, host fees, charges, and tipping fees in an itemized format separate from the per-ton disposal fee.

Bid proposals must be received in the office of the Chattooga County Commissioner no later than 10 a.m., August 28, 2023, at which time bids will be opened.

The commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

McGinnis Memorial Apartments Newly Modernized Apartments

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Newly modernized apartments with new kitchen cabinets, walk-in showers and LVT flooring (vinyl tile-hardwood look flooring)

- Rent is based on income; all utilities are included
- Coin Operated Laundry Rooms
- Community Room, with activities
- Beauty Shop

Applications are taken by appointment only at the Summerville Housing Authority main office, 56 Ross Street, Summerville, Georgia. Any elderly/disabled person(s) interested should contact the Housing Authority Office at 706-857-3016 to schedule an appointment.

SEALED BID NOTICE

Pursuant to an act of Legislature HB No. 414 (Georgia Laws 1956, page 2899 as amended), sealed bids will be received by the Chattooga County Commissioner is taking bids to purchase the following:

Purchase 6 good used work trucks for the Public Works Department and the Water Department. Needed information can be obtained in the Chattooga County Commissioner's Office, by calling 706-857-0700 or email baelsberry@windstream.net

Sealed bids must be sealed with the words "Sealed Bid" written across the outside of the envelope and received in the office of the Chattooga County Commissioner located at 10102 Commerce St., Summerville, GA, 30747 on or before 10 am, on Friday, August 25, 2023.

The commissioner reserves the right to purchase these items at the offered price. Also, the Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Blake Elsberry
Commissioner



**The City Of Summerville
Has The Following
Jobs Available:**

Positions Available:

- PT Temporary Position Fairway Recreation Center
- Water and Sewer Maintenance Worker
- Street Maintenance Worker

Applications may be downloaded from our website www.summervillega.org and emailed to ktucker@summervillega.org. You may also apply in person at City Hall located at 120 Georgia Avenue Summerville, GA 30747

September 3-6, 2023

Sun 10 AM, 11 AM, 2:30 PM

Mon - Wed 7 PM

4255 Gore-Subligna Rd Summerville, GA 30747

GOD's Glory in MY Story

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CHATTAUGO COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA

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This 9th day of August 2023.
/s/ John R. Dennis
John Roger Dennis
604 Washington Street
Summerville, GA 30747
706-857-2415 phone

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE UNDER POWER

CHATTAUGO COUNTY, GEORGIA

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Under and by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in a Security Deed given by Pierre Jerome Talley and Kristina J. Talley to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Churchill Mortgage Corporation dated July 30, 2019 and recorded on July 30, 2019 in Deed Book 00699, Page 1091, Chattauga County, Georgia Records, and later assigned to U.S. Bank National Association not in its individual capacity but as a Legal Title Trustee for RMTPT Trust, Series 2021 BKM-TT-V by Assignment of Security Deed recorded on September 20, 2022 in Deed Book 00799, Page 1432, Chattauga County, Georgia Records, conveying the after-described property to secure a Note in the original principal amount of Ninety Thousand Eight Hundred Eight and 00/100 Dollars (\$90,808.00), with interest thereon as set forth therein, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash before the courthouse door in Chattauga County, Georgia, within the legal hours of sale on September 5, 2023 the following described property:

All that tract or parcel of land situated, lying and being in Land Lot 21 in the 6th District and 4th Section of Chattauga County, Georgia, and being all of Lot 3, a part of Lot 1, and a part of Lot 4, Block 7, of the R.D. Jones Addition, as shown on a plat recorded in Deed Book 17, Page 305, in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Chattauga County, Georgia, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the West side of Kirby Street, said point being 75 feet South of the intersection of the West side of Kirby Street with the South side of Hinton Street; thence West parallel with the South side of Hinton Street 150 feet to a point; thence South parallel with Kirby Street 95 feet to a point; thence East parallel with Hinton Street 150 feet to a point on the West side of Kirby Street; thence North 75 feet along the West side of Kirby Street to the point of beginning.

Said property being improved with a brick residence erected thereon.
The ID #: 00000-00001-017-000
The debt secured by said Security Deed has been and is hereby declared due because of, among other possible events of default, failure to pay the indebtedness as and when due and in the manner provided in the Note and Security Deed. The debt remaining in default, this sale will be made for the purpose of paying the same and all expenses of this sale, as provided in Security Deed and by law, including attorney's fees having been given.

Your mortgage servicer, Rushmore Loan Management Services, LLC, as servicer, U.S. Bank National Association not in its individual capacity but as a Legal Title Trustee for RMTPT Trust, Series 2021 BKM-TT-V, can be contacted at 888-204-7200 or by writing to 15480 Laguna Canyon Road, Suite 100, Irvine, CA 92618, to discuss possible alternatives to avoid foreclosure.

Said property will be sold subject to any outstanding ad valorem taxes (including taxes which are a lien, but not yet due and payable), any matters which might be disclosed by an accurate survey and inspection of the property, any assessments, liens, encumbrances, existing ordinances, restrictions, covenants, and matters of record superior to the Security Deed filed and set out above.

To the best knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the parties in possession of the property are Pierre Jerome Talley and Kristina J. Talley or tenant(s); and said property is a more commonly known as 148 Kirby Street, Summerville, GA 30747. The sale will be conducted subject (1) to confirmation that the sale is not prohibited under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code and (2) to final confirmation and audit of the status of the loan with the holder of the security deed.

U.S. Bank National Association not in its individual capacity but solely as a Legal Title Trustee for RMTPT Trust, Series 2021 BKM-TT-V as Attorney in Fact for Pierre Jerome Talley and Kristina J. Talley
3550 Engineering Drive, Suite 260
Peachtree Corners, GA 30092
404-474-7149
MTG File No.: GA2023-00111

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CHATTAUGO COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA
IN RE: ESTATE OF MARY WARE.
ESTATE NO. 2023-ES-75
DECEASED
NOTICE

[For discharge from office and all liability]
IN RE: Petition for Discharge of Personal Representative
TO: Whom it may concern:
This is to notify you to file an objection, if there is any, to the above-referenced petition, in this Court on or before September 5, 2023.

BE NOTIFIED FURTHER: All objections to the petition must be in writing, setting forth the grounds of any such objections. All objections should be sworn to before a notary public or before a probate court clerk, and filing fees must be tendered with your objections, unless you qualify to file as an indigent party. Contact probate court personnel for the required amount of filing fees. If any objections are filed, a hearing will be scheduled at a later date. If no objections are filed, the petition may be granted without a hearing.

Gary Woods
Judge of the Probate Court
By: Rebecca W. Duke
Clerk of the Probate Court
Summerville, GA 30747
Address
706-857-0709

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CHATTAUGO COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA
IN THE INTEREST OF:
G. S.
DOB 07/03/2021
Age 2
Sex Female
Case No. 23JV2723
A Child Under 18 Years of Age.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

SHELLY RAY, CASEY STILES, AND ANY UNKNOWN PUTATIVE FATHERS AND ALL OTHER PARTIES WHO CLAIM ANY PATERNAL OR CUSTODIAL RIGHTS TO THE CHILDREN IDENTIFIED ABOVE BORN TO SHELLEY RAY, MOTHER ON THE ABOVE DATES.

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On August 7, 2023, You are hereby commanded to and required to appear before the WITNESS, the Honorable Steven M. Ellis, Judge of said Court, this the 9th day of August, 2023.

A copy of the petition may be obtained from the Clerk of the Juvenile Court at the Courthouse in Summerville, Georgia, during regular business hours.

Kim Winkle James
Chattauga County Juvenile Court
9-7c

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This 9th day of August 2023.
GEORGIA, CHATTAUGO COUNTY
All creditors of the estate of Gwendolyn Williams, late of said county, deceased, are hereby notified to render their demands to the undersigned, according to law, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to us, this 14th day of August, 2023.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS
STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF CHATTAUGO
IN RE: ESTATE OF DAVID ELLIS WELCH, DECEASED
All creditors of the Estate of David Ellis Welch, deceased, late of Chattauga County, are hereby notified to render their demands to the undersigned, according to law, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to us.

This 3rd day of August, 2023.
RUBY LOUISE CLARK
170 Archibald A. Farrar, Jr.
Farrar & Corbin, P.C.
P.O. Box 736
Summerville, GA 30747

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CHATTAUGO COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA
IN RE: ESTATE OF AARON ODMS WOOD, DECEASED
PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION
NOTICE
TO: Whom it may concern:
Charles Allen Wood has

petitioned for Charles Allen Wood to be appointed administrator(s) of the estate of AARON ODMS WOOD, deceased, of said county. The petitioner has also applied for waiver of bond, waiver of reports, waiver of statements, and/or grant of certain powers contained in O.C.G.A. § 53-12-26.1. All interested persons are hereby notified to show cause why said petition should not be granted. All objections to the petition must be in writing, setting forth the grounds of any such objections, and must be filed with the Court on or before September 19, 2023.

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Judge of the Probate Court
By: Rebecca W. Duke
Clerk of the Probate Court
Summerville, GA 30747
706-857-0709

GEORGIA, CHATTAUGO COUNTY
All creditors of the estate of Janice Elaine Brewster, late of said county, deceased, are hereby notified to render their demands to the undersigned, according to law, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to us, this 18th day of August, 2023.

Joseph Brewster
1316 Fish Hatchery Rd.
Summerville, GA 30747

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CHATTAUGO COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA
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SEALED BID NOTICE

The City of Summerville is accepting bids for the following:
Mowing and cleaning approximately 29 miles of Natural Gas right-of-way beginning in Floyd County and ending in Chattauga County.

A map of the area can be picked up in the Public Works & Utilities Directors office Monday through Friday between 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m..

All work shall be carried through completion without unreasonable delays and without suspension of work unless authorized in writing by the City of Summerville and is to be completed prior to December 4, 2023.

A drug-free workplace will be provided for the contractor's employees during the performance of the project.

Any signs, test stations, or other appurtenances damaged during mowing and cleaning will be deducted from the agreed upon price of the project.
All bids shall include a signed contractor affidavit and a 5% bid bond.

Said bids must be sealed with the words "RIGHT-OF-WAY MOWING AND CLEANING SEALED BID" written across the outside of the envelope and received in the office of the Utilities Director located at 166 Cox St, Summerville, GA 30747 on or before 5:00 p.m., October 9th, 2023, at which time bids will be opened and read aloud.

Any questions or comments, please call Terry Tinney at 706-859-0907.

The City of Summerville reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

The City of LaFayette Water and Sewer Department is now taking applications for the position of Sewer Maintenance

McGinnis Memorial Apartments

Newly Modernized Apartments

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www.rickwyattrealty.com

FOR SALE

CITY OF SUMMERVILLE REQUEST FOR BID

JOB OPPORTUNITY

The City of LaFayette is now taking applications for the position of Full Time Apprentice Utility Maintenance Technician. This position performs technical duties in the maintenance of meters, repair and/or replace automated meter reading devices, and performs related duties.

The requirements for this position are as follows: Applicant must have a valid driver's license, be able to pass a physical exam including drug screen, ability to work in all types of weather and working conditions, ability to read, write and perform basic mathematical calculations and have basic computer skills. Applicants must have a reliable means of transportation. Experience is preferred. Applicants should apply at City Hall located at 207 South Duke Street, in LaFayette, Georgia. Applications can also be downloaded from the city website: www.mycityoflafayettega.org

The City of LaFayette is an Equal Opportunity Employer



The City Of Summerville

Has The Following Jobs Available:

- PT Temporary Position
- Fairway Recreation Center
- Water and Sewer Maintenance Worker
- Assistant Parks and Recreation Director

Applications may be downloaded from our website www.summervillega.org and emailed to ktucker@summervillega.org. You may also apply in person at City Hall located at 120 Georgia Avenue, Summerville, GA 30747

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Natural Gas Laborer/Meter Reader

chattooga.k12.ga.us

HOME

DISTRICT INFORMATION

PARENTS AND STUDENTS

DEPARTMENTS

COVID-19

CALENDAR

Search...

STAFF EMAIL

INFINITE CAMPUS

HELP DESK

PARENT PORTAL

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Announcements

Pursuant to section 2001 (i)(2) of the ARP Act, the Chattooga County Board of Education will take public input on its "ARP ESSER 6-month plan review." The purpose of this input is to help determine if any revisions to the plan are necessary at this time. The meeting will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 5, 2023 at the Chattooga County Education Center, located at 206 Penn Street in Summerville, Georgia

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* June 2023 Financial Statement	August 17, 2023 Board Meeting Minutes		
* July 2023 Financial Statement			
September 21, 2023 Board Meeting Agenda	September 21, 2023 Board Meeting Minutes		
* August 2023 Financial Statement			

***Please silence all cell phones during meeting. Thank you**

**CHATTOOGA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD MEETING AGENDA
SEPTEMBER 21, 2023 @ 6:00 PM**

**Chattooga County Board
Office of the Superintendent
Agenda for Board Meeting**

APPROVED

SEP 21 2023

Chattooga BOE

- **Invocation**
- **Pledge of Allegiance**

- **Adoption of Superintendent's Recommended Agenda for September 21, 2023 School Board Meeting.**

- **Approve Minutes of Previous Month's Meetings**
 - August 17, 2023 Monthly Meeting

- **Public Participation: NONE**

- A. Resolutions/Recognitions**
 - 1. National Maintenance and Custodian Workers Appreciation Day

 - 2. National Information Technology Professionals and Technology Specialists Appreciation Day

- B. School Board: NONE**

- C. School Board Policies**
 - 1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to update Board Regulation DIB-R(1): Capitalization Policy for Fixed Assets **(policy will lay until the October board meeting, to allow for public input).**

 - 2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve new Board Exhibit DIB-E(1): SBITA Decision Tree and Footnotes **(Exhibit will lay, with it's corresponding Regulation, until the October board meeting, to allow for public input).**

 - 3. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to update Board Policy JGCD: Medication **(policy will lay until the October board meeting, to allow for public input).**

- D. Financial Management**
 - 1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the Financial Statement for August 31, 2023

- E. Educational Programs, Student Support and Staff Development**

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve public input concerning the "Return to In-Person Instruction Plan" six-month review for 2023-2024.
2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve changes to the 2023-2024 Chattooga County Student/Parent Handbook and Discipline Code.

F. Support Services/Facilities and Construction Management/Planning: NONE

EXECUTIVE SESSION

G. Personnel

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the following Personnel changes:

Certified Recommendations

- Rhonda Bannister; 49% Interventionist at Lyerly Elementary School; new allotment (funded by Title I); beginning 09/12/2023.
- Kimberly Justice; 49% Interventionist at Menlo Elementary School; new allotment (funded by Title I); beginning 09/12/2023.
- Katherine Kerce; Special Education Teacher at Chattooga High School and Summerville Middle School; replacing Brandon Ponder (transferred to ISI at SMS); beginning 09/13/2023.
- Lisa Miller; 49% Interventionist at Lyerly Elementary School; new allotment (funded by Title I); beginning 09/12/2023.
- Melissa Colbert; 35% to 49% Interventionist at Menlo Elementary School; difference in salary to be paid by Title I.

Classified Resignations

- Juanita 'Marie' Cook; School Food Service Worker at Menlo Elementary School; personal reasons; effective 08/31/2023.
- Macy Gober; Custodian at Summerville Middle School; personal reasons; effective 08/31/2023.
- Emily Hunter; Special Education Paraprofessional at Menlo Elementary School; personal reasons; effective 09/15/2023.
- Cara Love; Kindergarten Paraprofessional at Lyerly Elementary School; personal reasons; effective 09/08/2023.
- Jennifer Pasley; School Food Service Worker at Summerville Middle School; personal reasons; effective 08/18/2023.

Classified Transfer

- Patricia 'Lynn' Vaughn; School Food Service Worker transferring from Leroy Massey Elementary School to Chattooga High School; vacant position; beginning 08/30/2023.

Classified Recommendations

- Breanna Gallagher; Paraprofessional at Lyerly Elementary School; new allotment paid by Title I; beginning 09/15/2023.
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- Amanda Price; School Food Service Worker at Leroy Massey Elementary School; replacing Patricia 'Lynn' Vaughn; beginning 09/05/2023.
- Jessica Ware; Receptionist at Lyerly Elementary School; replacing Julia Cavin (transferred to Bookkeeper at same location); beginning 09/26/2023.

2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve updates made to the 2023-2024 Personnel Handbook.
3. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve request for the following employee to conduct privately paid tutoring for students during off-contract hours: Judith Hodges- Leroy Massey Elementary School.

H. Superintendent of School

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval of monthly Outline of Board Activities for the 2023-2024 school year.

-Superintendent's "For Information Only" Items

ADJOURNMENT

CHATTOOGA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 21, 2023 @ 6:00 PM

Chattooga County Board
Office of the Superintendent
Agenda for Board Meeting

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Chairman, Eddie Elsberry. There was a quorum of Board Members present.

Voting Members Present

Eddie Elsberry, Chairman
B.J. Montgomery, Board Member
Lori Brady, Board Member
Tiffany Lawrence, Board Member
Bonnie Fletcher

Non-voting Members Present

Jared Hosmer, Superintendent
Michelle Helie, Assistant Superintendent
Alisha Yoder, Admin. Assistant to the Superintendent

- **Invocation:** Barry Peppers
- **Pledge of Allegiance:** B.J. Montgomery

-A motion to amend the agenda, to make the following changes, was made by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Lawrence. Mr. Elsberry, Mr. Montgomery, Ms. Lawrence and Ms. Brady all voted in favor. Ms. Fletcher had to step out of the meeting for a few minutes and did not vote.

Certified Resignation

-Nancy Edwards; CTAE Director at Chattooga High School; retirement; effective 01/31/2023.

Classified Resignation

-Velvie Hagar; Custodian at Lyerly Elementary School; personal reasons; effective 09/29/2023.

Classified Recommendations

-Ashley Dendy; Paraprofessional at Menlo Elementary School; replacing Emily Hunter; beginning 09/19/2023.
-Barry 'Alan' McCrickard; Custodian at Summerville Middle School; replacing Macy Gober; beginning 08/31/2023.

Substitutes

-Carolyn Brayman; Substitute Teacher and School Food Service; effective 09/22/2023.
-Kathy Hunter; Substitute School Food Service; effective 09/22/2023.

- **Adoption of Superintendent's Recommended Agenda for September 21, 2023 School Board Meeting.**

-A motion to approve the amended agenda Ms. Lawrence, with a second by Ms. Brady. Mr. Elsberry, Mr. Montgomery, Ms. Lawrence and Ms. Brady all voted in favor. Ms. Fletcher had to step out of the meeting for a few minutes and did not vote.

- **Approve Minutes of Previous Month's Meetings**

- August 17, 2023 Monthly Meeting

-A motion to approve the previous month's minutes was made by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Brady. Mr. Elsberry, Mr. Montgomery, Ms. Lawrence and Ms. Brady all voted in favor. Ms. Fletcher had to step out of the meeting for a few minutes and did not vote.

- **Public Participation: NONE**

A. Resolutions/Recognitions (non-action)

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D. Financial Management

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the Financial Statement for August 31, 2023

-A motion to approve D-1 was made by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Brady and the vote was unanimous.

E. Educational Programs, Student Support and Staff Development

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve public input concerning the "Return to In-Person Instruction Plan" six-month review for 2023-2024.

2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve changes to the 2023-2024 Chattooga County Student/Parent Handbook and Discipline Code.
- A motion to approve E-1 and E-2 was made by Ms. Lawrence, with a second by Ms. Fletcher and the vote was unanimous.

F. Support Services/Facilities and Construction Management/Planning: NONE

EXECUTIVE SESSION: A motion to enter into Executive Session was made at 6:20 p.m. by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Lawrence, and the vote was unanimous.

- A motion to return to regular session was made at 6:27 p.m. by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Fletcher, and the vote was unanimous. There was no action taken in Executive Session.

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-A motion to approve G-1 (including additions), G-2 and G-3 was made by Ms. Lawrence, with a second by Mr. Montgomery, and the vote was unanimous.

H. Superintendent of School

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval of monthly Outline of Board Activities for the 2023-2024 school year.

-A motion to approve H-1 was made by Ms. Fletcher, with a second by Ms. Brady, and the vote was unanimous.

-Superintendent's "For Information Only" Items

1. Academic update/Powerpoint by Assistant Superintendent, Michelle Helie
2. Facilities/projects update by Jason Whitfield

ADJOURNMENT

-A motion to adjourn was made at 6:44 p.m. by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Lawrence, and the vote was unanimous.

Jared Hosmer, Superintendent

Eddie Elsberry, Chairman

Recorded by: _____

Alisha Yoder

Admin. Assistant to Superintendent