

Chattooga County Schools

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Expect Success

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AGENDA REQUEST FORM
Chattooga County Board of Education

Meeting Date March 16, 2023	Agenda Item Number E-1
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TITLE:	Public Input Concerning the "Return to In-Person Instruction Plan" six-month review for 2022-2023
REQUESTED ACTION:	Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve public input concerning the "Return to In-Person Instruction Plan" six-month review for 2022-2023
SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:	See Attached
MAJOR SYSTEM PRIORITY:	Establishing internationally competitive standards
FINANCIAL IMPACT:	N/A
EXHIBITS: (List)	See Attached
BOARD ACTION: (For Official School Board Records Only)	SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Michelle Helie <u>Chief Academic Officer</u> Name (706) 857-3447 Phone

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Approved in Open Board Meeting on:

_____ Date

By:

_____ School Board Chairman

July 29, 2021 (original document date)

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

Jared Hosner

Superintendent

[Signature]

ASST. Super

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Employee

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Chief Academic Officer

Wanda Gelmonchen

Finance Director

Lori Brady

BOE#3

Eddie Olsberg

BOE

Mike Sharp

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John Duff

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News From The Georgia House

By REP. EDDIE LUMSDEN
Week Eight

On Monday, Feb. 27, my House colleagues and I started a long, yet productive week of the 2023 legislative session, where we met for four days in the House Chamber and devoted an entire day to working in our respective committees. With Crossover Day coming up next week, we worked longer hours each day to thoroughly review and vote on key pieces of legislation, and I look forward to sharing more about some of these bills that aim to address important issues facing our great state.

Last session, the House of Representatives championed the Mental Health Parity Act to reform Georgia's mental health care delivery system and improve client outcomes for those with severe mental illness. Building upon this monumental bill's foundation, the House overwhelmingly passed House Bill 520 this week to continue to streamline and improve the state's behavioral health care system and expand its workforce. To that end, this year's bipartisan mental health bill would create new state authorities and pilot programs to help develop standardized terminology for serious mental illness, improve sharing and collecting data among law enforcement and state agencies, as well as establish rules for transferring data in compliance with federal

and state law. Additionally, HB 520 would authorize the state's Behavioral Innovation and Reform Commission to establish a task force to build a continuum of care. Specifically, this task force would conduct a statewide bed study for inpatient treatment centers to better understand and address the lack of inpatient options for struggling individuals; this task force would then make recommendations on needed capacity building, youth specific care and autism spectrum-related care with the ultimate goal of increasing bed capacity for those who need inpatient care. This innovative task force would also examine laws and regulations that may affect those who interact with the behavioral health and criminal justice systems, as well as study the benefits of expanding inpatient treatment options for child and adolescent substance misuse. This legislation also includes a funding mechanism that would allow the Georgia General Assembly to appropriate funds in the Fiscal Year 2024 budget for crisis services in several counties. HB 520 would expand the state's loan forgiveness program for mental health care providers to include those already working in this field. By implementing these initiatives, the bill seeks to reduce barriers to care, ensure that individuals receive appropriate treatment for their conditions and decrease

recidivism rates for those with mental illness who come into contact with our criminal justice system. These are just a few of the major provisions included in HB 520, which is now headed to the Senate for its consideration.

This week, the House also passed bipartisan legislation to expand mental health care options for veterans living in Georgia. House Bill 414 would create the Veterans Mental Health Services Program, which would serve as a competitive grant program to improve access to mental health services for service members, veterans, and their family members in Georgia. The Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities would administer these grants to eligible non-profit community behavioral health programs that demonstrate their ability to provide high-quality services to veterans and their families. The grant program would prioritize applicants that are located within 50 miles of a military base and have already made capital investments into veteran services. The Veterans Mental Health Services Program would be a significant step towards improving access to mental health services for our veterans and their families to ensure that these Georgians have the support they need to lead healthy and fulfilling lives.

My colleagues and I also unanimously passed a historic bill to protect the rights of both Georgia's renters and landlords and ensure that rental properties are kept in a safe and healthy condition. First, House Bill 404 would require rental properties to be "fit for human habitation" upon signing a lease, and landlords would be required to maintain their properties throughout the duration of the lease. Another provision of the bill would prohibit landlords from turning off a rental home's air conditioning system prior to an eviction to force tenants to move out. HB 404 would also prohibit landlords from requiring a security deposit that exceeds two months' rent. This legislation also seeks to balance the needs of landlords and their tenants during an eviction process. If a tenant fails to pay rent or charges owed to the landlord, the tenant would have a three-business day period prior to an eviction proceeding being filed, which would give tenants time to try and resolve the issue before being evicted. Furthermore, the bill would require an eviction notice to be posted visibly on the tenant's front door in a secure envelope or delivered based on stipulations in the rental agreement to ensure that the tenant is aware of the eviction proceeding and has an opportunity to respond. Georgia renters have the right

to live in homes that meets certain minimum health and safety standards, and overall, this bill would provide greater protections for tenants under state law and hold landlords accountable for keeping their properties safe for renters. Next, we passed House Bill 440, which would allow public and private schools to keep lifesaving medications on hand for students who have diabetes. HB 440 would allow public and private schools in Georgia to stock and administer glucagon, a medication used to treat severe hypoglycemia, or low blood sugar, in people with diabetes. HB 440 would allow prescribers, such as physicians and nurse practitioners, to provide standing orders or prescriptions for ready-to-use glucagon to schools so that this medication can be rapidly administered to students in an emergency. This legislation would also allow a public or private school to work directly with glucagon manufacturers or third-party suppliers to obtain the products for free or at fair market or reduced prices. Severe hypoglycemia can be life-threatening and may require immediate treatment with glucagon, especially in situations where a student with diabetes does not have their medication with them. By allowing schools to stock glucagon, this bill would improve access to treatment for students who have a diabetic

emergency at school.

The House also passed a major bipartisan bill this week to establish the regulatory framework for Georgia's electric vehicle (EV) charging infrastructure, which could encourage more businesses, such as convenience stores, to offer EV charging stations across the state. Under House Bill 406, the sale of electricity at EV charging stations would be similar to the sale of gasoline, and the bill would give the Georgia Department of Agriculture regulatory authority over EV charging stations, including inspecting these stations. This bill would require all EV charging stations to provide accurate readings of electricity charged to each vehicle on a per kilowatt-hour basis as a retail sale and include meters to record the total kilowatt-hours. HB 406 would also establish an excise tax set by the Georgia Department of Revenue to ensure that our state collects revenue similar to revenue that is typically produced from gasoline sales. The number of EV drivers in Georgia has skyrocketed in recent years, along with EV manufacturing, and it's imperative that we lay the groundwork for a statewide EV charging infrastructure. HB 406 would ensure that EV charging stations operate efficiently and fairly to support the growth and development of EVs in Georgia, which

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Blaire Elsberry
Commissioner

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The owners of 90 Cherokee Street located inside the city limits of Summerville Georgia will be requesting a variance from the cities mobile home code pertaining to their mobile home park. The current code requires a planted buffer strip, not less than 25 feet in width, shall be located along lot lines (of the park) not bordering streets. The request is to reduce the set back to five feet and allow up to a seven foot private fence to be installed.

River Ridge Escapes Tiny Homes



Open House

Friday, March 10, 5 p.m.

Saturday, March 11, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Come tour our nine tiny homes available for immediate purchase. We have eight communities atop and near Lookout Mountain for you to place your new Tiny Home. Stop in for hotdogs/chips and your chance to win a two-night stay in a Tiny House.

We are located at
8021 Highway 48 in Menlo, GA.



Competes At Region

Trion Elementary School student Bryant Abernathy represented the school at the Region One Spelling Bee championship at Georgia Highlands College recently. He was given a certificate of merit for his participation. (Contributed Photo).

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT TO DISCHARGE TREATED WASTEWATER INTO WATERS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division has received a new NPDES permit application for the reissuance of an existing NPDES permit. Having reviewed such application, the Environmental Protection Division proposes to issue for a maximum term of five years the following permit subject to specific pollutant limitations and special conditions:

City of Summerville, Post Office Box 180, Summerville, Georgia 30747, NPDES Permit No. GA 0025704, for the Summerville Water Pollution Control Plant located at 470 Red Oak Road, Summerville, Georgia 30747. Up to 2.6 MGD of treated wastewater is being discharged to the Chattooga River in the Coosa River Basin. In addition, the permit includes language for an approved Sludge Management Plan to land apply sludge to sites in Chattooga County and Walker County.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations are invited to submit same in writing to the EPD address below or via email at EPDComments@epd.ga.gov, no later than 30 (thirty) days after this notification. If you choose to email your comments, please be sure to include the words "NPDES permit reissuance - Summerville Water Pollution Control Plant - GA0025704 (Chattooga County)" in the subject line to ensure that your comments will be forwarded to the correct staff. All comments received prior to or on that date will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. A public hearing may be held where the EPD director finds a significant degree of public interest in a proposed permit or group of permits. Additional information regarding public hearing procedures is available by writing the Environmental Protection Division.

Individual draft permits, applications, supporting documents, and fact sheets are available on EPD's website accessible through the publicly available Georgia EPD Online System (GEOS) at: <https://geos.epd.ga.gov/GAGEOS/PublicGovEnt/SharedPages/Main/Login.aspx> by searching for Submittal No. 636800.

A copy of the fact sheet or the draft permit is available by writing the Environmental Protection Division. A copying charge of 10 cents per page will be assessed. The permit application, draft permit, comments received, and other information are available for review at 2 MLK Jr. Dr. Suite 1482E, Atlanta, GA 30334, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. For additional information contact: Benoit Causse, Wastewater Regulatory Program, phone 404-463-1511 or e-mail benoit.causse@epd.ga.gov.

News From The Georgia House

By REP. EDDIE LUMSDEN
Week Nine

The Georgia House of Representatives reconvened for the ninth week of session and Legislative Day 28, otherwise known as Crossover Day, on Monday, March 6. Crossover Day is a crucial deadline for the House and Senate as this is the last day for bills to pass out of their chamber of origin in order to remain eligible for consideration this session, and as a result, the House took up legislation well into the night to send to our Senate counterparts. By the time we adjourned just before midnight, my colleagues and I passed more than 50 bills and resolutions in one day. Following Crossover Day, we

continued to convene on the House floor throughout the week, where we passed a balanced state budget for the next fiscal year and heard Georgia Supreme Court Chief Justice Michael P. Boggs deliver the State of the Judiciary address.

Fiscal Year 2024 Budget - Sent to the Senate
Each legislative session, the General Assembly has a constitutional obligation to pass a balanced state budget, and this week, the House of Representatives passed House Bill 19, or the Fiscal Year 2024 (FY 2024) budget. The FY 2024 budget will go into effect on July 1 and is set at a revenue estimate of \$32.4 billion, which is \$2.2 billion, or 7.4 percent, more than the Fiscal Year 2023

(FY 2023) budget. This budget reflects many of the House's priorities that focus on keeping Georgians safe, healthy and prosperous, and I want to bring your attention to just a few of our major budgetary initiatives.

As usual, funding for education makes up more than half of the FY 2024 budget. Georgia's K-12 public school system would receive a record-setting \$13.1 billion to fully fund the Quality Basic Education (QBE) formula. Within this QBE funding, the Georgia Department of Education would be allocated \$6.3 million to cover the cost of breakfast and lunch for reduce-paying students, which is expected to provide free breakfast for approximately 32,000 children and free lunch for 64,000 children. This

budget would also make significant investments to support higher education, especially for programs that support our high-demand medical career fields. This version of the FY 2024 budget would provide substantial support for graduate and undergraduate medical education using a total of \$5.2 million for various residencies, training programs, medical school slots and fellowships. In addition, hospitals that start graduate medical education residency programs would be supported with a total of \$3.1 million, and \$3.4 million would go toward supporting loan repayment programs for providers practicing in rural areas and educating future providers. HB 19 would also provide an additional \$26.7

million to bring the HOPE Scholarship program factor rate to 95 percent of the previous year's tuition costs. This funding would provide more financial relief to every student that is eligible for the scholarship.

Another portion of the House's FY 2024 budget is dedicated to providing much needed pay raises for our state's public workforce. This budget includes \$13.2 million to provide \$4,000 in targeted salary adjustments for state law enforcement officers across various agencies to help increase competitiveness with surrounding states. Other state employees and teachers would receive \$2,000 raises, and certain agencies that need additional support recruiting and retaining workers would

be able to provide even higher raises for critical positions. All of our retired state employees would receive a one-time \$500 payment through this proposed budget.

Numerous Medicaid rate increases are also included in this state budget. The state's Medicaid program would receive a total of \$35.1 million for reimbursement rate increases for health care providers, including primary care, OB/GYN, home and community-based services, speech pathology, audiology therapy and more. The Medicaid program would also receive \$2.8 million to cover adult dental services to increase access to oral health care. Currently, the state only extends dental coverage for emergency dental care for Medicaid recipients.



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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CHATTOOGA
STATE OF GEORGIA
IN RE:
PETITIONERS CHAD LAMAR CAMPBELL AND RACHEL JOHANNA CAMPBELL
IN THE INTEREST OF LNUW,
YOB 8091
DEFENDANTS GLENN WALKER AND TASHA BREAUNE GREEN
CASE NO. 2022CA44961

By order of the court for service by publication dated MARCH 15, 2023, you are hereby notified that on the 9th day of MARCH 2023, Plaintiffs filed suit against you to gain custody of the above-named child. You are required to file with the Clerk of the Superior Court, and to serve upon the Plaintiff's Attorney, John R. Denton, 35 East Washington Street, Summerville, Georgia 30747, an answer in writing within sixty days of the 16 of

March, 2023.
Witness the Honorable Clerk of Chattooga County Superior Court,
This 9th day of March, 2023.
Chattooga County Superior Court Clerk
Lorenda Mountain Judicial Circuit
Summerville, Georgia 30747 -4-6

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CHATTOOGA COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA
ESTATE NO. 2022-125-149
IN RE: ESTATE OF
WILLIAM TAYLOR CROV,
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 objection.

If there is any, to the above-referenced Petition, in this Court on or before March 20th, 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 for 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.
Cary Woods
Judge of the Probate Court
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The Town of Trion is looking to remodel four bathrooms in the Recreation Center. Contractor will be paid by the hour and the town will furnish all materials. All who are interested please contact The Trion Town Hall at 706-734-2332

Sincerely,
Lanny E. Thomas, Mayor

TOWN OF TRION REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Purpose: The purpose of this Request for Proposals (RFP) is to obtain Certificate of Deposit (CD) rates for four (4) individual CDs, each in the amount of \$125,000. Two of the individual CDs shall be for a term of six (6) months and two shall be for one year. If it is advantageous, the Town of Trion would consider fewer CDs at a higher dollar amount for a greater interest rate, i.e. one CD in amount of \$250,000 for a six month term and one for \$250,000 for a term of one year.

Timeline: The Town of Trion is issuing this RFP on March 16, 2023, and providing financial institutions the opportunity to bid on the individual CDs through March 22, 2023. At noon of March 22, 2023, the bid process will be closed, and all bids will be opened at Town of Trion Town Hall. At the March 23, 2023, Regular Council meeting, vendors will be selected for the awarding of the CDs. The provided rates must be honored through the date of April 2, 2023.

Statement of Disclosure: Any bidder must be insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. The Town of Trion reserved the right to reject any or all bids, to accept that bid which appears to be in the best interest of the Town, to waive any informalities in any part of any bid, and to reject any or all bids received after the date and time specified. The bidder to whom the award is made may be required to enter into a written contract with the Town of Trion.

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Blake Elsberry
Commissioner

NOTICE OF INTENT TO TAKE ACTION RELATING TO SALARY

Notice is hereby provided that the Town of Trion shall consider action at its meeting on March 23, 2023, beginning at 6:00 p.m., to increase the salary of a council member from its current rate of \$100.00 per month to \$200.00 per month and an increase in the rate of pay to the Town's Mayor from \$7,200.00 per year to \$14,400.00 per year. If approved, said increases shall be effective as of February 1, 2024.

The council further intends to address per diem meal expenses of government officials and employees when traveling.

This 23rd day of February 2023.

Lanny E. Thomas
Mayor
Town of Trion, Georgia

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Volunteers of America Southeast Senior Residential Trainer

Summerville, GA - Full-Time
Pay: Starting at \$11.00/hr.

Duties: To assist service recipients in behavioral health programs so they may successfully reside in the community and achieve optimal outcomes.

Qualifications: Must have a high school diploma or GED. Must have good organizational skills, written and verbal communication skills, basic computer skills and the ability to keep accurate and timely records. Experience working with individuals with disabilities preferred. Must possess a valid Georgia driver's license.

For more information and online application instructions visit
www.voase.org

EOE/Drug Free Workplace/E-Verify

BID OF CONCESSION SALES Summerville Recreation Center Fairway and Bolling Road

The Summerville Recreation Department is seeking bid proposals for 2023 based on the following criteria:

- (A) Specify items to be sold
- (B) Hours to be available
- (C) Specify percentage of gross sales (funds) to be received by the Summerville Recreation Department
- (D) Proof of Health Service Permit
- (E) Services must meet approval of recreation director
- (F) No Styrofoam cups
- (G) MUST USE COCA-COLA product
- (H) ANTICIPATED REVENUE TO BE PAID TO SUMMERVILLE RECREATION DEPARTMENT. MUST BE RECEIVED BY JULY 31, 2023
- (I) DEADLINE TO SUBMIT BID PROPOSALS FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 2023, 5:00 P.M.

Submit separate bids for Fairway and Bolling Road. The City of Summerville reserves the right to accept and/or reject any and all bids.

CITY OF SUMMERVILLE RECREATION DEPARTMENT

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT CHATTOOGA COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE

The Chattooga County Commissioner is seeking a person to fill the position of Deputy Clerk in the Chattooga County Commissioner's office. This is an administrative Full-Time Position with multiple duties.

JOB SUMMARY: Provides secretarial/administrative assistance to the Clerk to the County Commissioner. Assumes the responsibilities of the Clerk in their absence. Responsibilities may include assisting in preparing meetings, performing typing and file maintenance and routine administrative work. Highly skilled in the use of a computer and Microsoft Office Suite. Must possess or have ability to acquire Notary Public status. Ability to deal courteously and diplomatically with the general public as well as establishing and maintaining effective working relationships with officials in local government and the public sector.

A High School diploma or G.E.D. is required and a minimum of three years administrative support experience including a secretarial science, bookkeeping or accounting experience is preferred.

A complete list of duties and requirements may be picked up in the Chattooga County Commissioner's Office located at 10102 Commerce St., Summerville, Ga 30747.

HOME

DISTRICT INFORMATION

PARENTS AND STUDENTS

DEPARTMENTS

COVID-19

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DESK



PARENT
PORTAL



ENROLLMENT
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		Pending Proposed Regulation: (RB-R1)	
		Pending Policy Update: IEBA	
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August 11, 2022 Called Meeting Agenda 10:00 AM	August 11, 2022 Called Meeting Minutes 10:00 AM	August 11, 2022 Called Meeting Agenda 4:30 PM	August 11, 2022 Called Meeting Minutes 4:30 PM
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* July 2022 Financial Statement			
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CHATTOOGA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 16, 2023 @6:00PM

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
Bonnie Fletcher, Board Member
Tiffany Lawrence, Board Member

Non-voting Members Present

Jared Hosmer, Superintendent
Jeff Martin, Assistant Superintendent
Alisha Yoder, Admin. Assistant to the Superintendent

- **Invocation:** James Baird
- **Pledge of Allegiance:** B.J. Montgomery

-A motion to amend the agenda, to make the following additions, was made by Ms. Lawrence, with a second by Ms. Brady, and the vote was unanimous.

Add B-1:

Board consideration of Board Chairman's recommendation to select a delegate and alternate for the GSBA 2023 Summer Conference & Delegate Assembly in June 2023.

Add E-1:

Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve public input concerning the "Return to In-Person Instruction Plan" six-month review for 2022-2023.

Add the following under G-3:

Certified Resignations

- Cynthia Anderson; Interventionist at SMS/LES/MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Rhonda Bannister; Interventionist at LES/SMS; Funding ended for position; Effective 5/31/2023
- Lisa Bullard; Interventionist at LES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Melissa Colbert; Interventionist at MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Laura Gamble; Interventionist at LMES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Margaret 'Peggy' Hicks; MTSS Coordinator at CCEC; Retirement; Effective 06/30/2023
- Kimberly Justice; Interventionist at MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Wallace 'Mike' Martin; Graduation Interventionist at CHS; Personal reasons; Effective 05/31/2023
- Teresa Pitzel; Interventionist at MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Karen Tribble; Interventionist at LES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Paula Whitfield; Interventionist at LMES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023

Certified Recommendations

- Jennifer Dulaney; Special Education Teacher at LMES; Replacing Annalisa Hughes; Effective FY'24
- Connie Hawkins; Teacher at LMES; Replacing Duane Conley; Effective FY'24
- Pamela Robinson; Teacher at LMES; Replacing Marquette McGinnis; Effective FY'24
- Rhonda Tate; Special Education Teacher at LMES; New allotment; Beginning 03/16/2023

Classified Resignations

- Shanda Johnson; School Food Service Assistant Manager at LMES; "I'm too old for the job"
Effective 03/15/2023

Classified Transfers

- Terri Maynor; From School Food Service Manager at LMES to School Bus Monitor; New allotment;
Beginning 03/14/2023
- Tina McNeese; From Paraprofessional at PALS to Special Education Paraprofessional at LMES;
Replacing Eric Moriarty; Beginning 03/14/2023

Classified Recommendations

- Patrick Evans; System Grounds Care; Replacing Alvin Bullard; Beginning 03/21/2023
- Meghan Faircloth; Paraprofessional at MES; Replacing Risa Willbanks; Beginning 03/14/2023
- Stacy Moore; Receptionist at SMS; Replacing Sarah Sanchez; Beginning 03/07/2023

Substitutes

- Chloee Hill; Substitute Teacher and Paraprofessional; Effective 03/15/2023

- **Adoption of Superintendent's Recommended Agenda for March 16, 2023 School Board Meeting**

- A motion to approve the amended agenda was made by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Fletcher, and the vote was unanimous.

- **Approve Minutes of Previous Meetings**

- February 16, 2023 Called Meeting
- February 16, 2023 Monthly Meeting
- February 23, 2023 Called Meeting

- A motion to approve all previous meeting minutes was made by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Lawrence, and the vote was unanimous.

- **Public Participation: NONE**

- A. Resolutions/Recognitions: (non-action)**

1. School Spotlight Video: Summerville Middle School
2. School Board Appreciation Week

- B. School Board Members**

1. Board consideration of Board Chairman's recommendation to select a delegate and alternate for the GSBA 2023 Summer Conference & Delegate Assembly in June 2023

- Mr. Elsberry made a motion to appoint Ms. Lawrence as delegate, with a second by Mr. Montgomery. Mr. Elsberry and Mr. Montgomery voted in favor. Ms. Lawrence, Ms. Brady and Ms. Fletcher opposed. Motion failed.

- Ms. Fletcher made a motion to appoint Mr. Elsberry as delegate, with a second by Ms. Lawrence. Ms. Brady, Ms. Lawrence and Ms. Fletcher voted in favor. Mr. Elsberry and Mr. Montgomery opposed. Motion passed.

-Ms. Brady made a motion to appoint Mr. Montgomery as the alternate delegate, with a second by Ms. Lawrence. Ms. Brady, Ms. Lawrence and Ms. Fletcher voted in favor. Mr. Elsberry and Mr. Montgomery opposed. Motion passed.

C. School Board Policies

1. Board Consideration of Superintendents recommendation to update Board Policy
JBD: Absences and Excuses (has been open for public input since presented to the Board at the February meeting).

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

D. Financial Management

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the Financial Statement for February 28, 2023.
2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the FY23 General Fund Budget Amendment

-A motion to approve D-1 and D-2 was made by Ms. Brady, with a second by Ms. Lawrence, 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 2022-2023.

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

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

EXECUTIVE SESSION: NONE

G. Personnel

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval of Administrators/Academic Coaches for FY 2023-2024

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

2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval of Certified Employees for FY 2023-2024

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

-A motion to approve all other Certified Employees under G-2 was made by Mr. Montgomery, with a second by Ms. Lawrence, and the vote was unanimous.

3. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval of the following Personnel changes:

Certified Resignations

-Duane Conley; Teacher at Leroy Massey Elementary School; Retirement; effective 5/31/23

-Cynthia Anderson; Interventionist at SMS/LES/MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023

-Rhonda Bannister; Interventionist at LES/SMS; Funding ended for position; Effective 5/31/2023

-Lisa Bullard; Interventionist at LES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023

-Melissa Colbert; Interventionist at MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023

-Laura Gamble; Interventionist at LMES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023

- Margaret 'Peggy' Hicks; MTSS Coordinator at CCEC; Retirement; Effective 06/30/2023
- Kimberly Justice; Interventionist at MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Wallace 'Mike' Martin; Graduation Interventionist at CHS; Personal reasons; Effective 05/31/2023
- Teresa Pitzel; Interventionist at MES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Karen Tribble; Interventionist at LES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023
- Paula Whitfield; Interventionist at LMES; Funding ended for position; Effective 05/31/2023

Certified Recommendations

- Justin Gentry; Teacher at Chattooga High School; replacing Richard Rutledge II (transferring to SMS) Beginning FY 2024
- Jennifer Dulaney; Special Education Teacher at LMES; Replacing Annalisa Hughes; Effective FY'24
- Connie Hawkins; Teacher at LMES; Replacing Duane Conley; Effective FY'24
- Pamela Robinson; Teacher at LMES; Replacing Marquette McGinnis; Effective FY'24
- Rhonda Tate; Special Education Teacher at LMES; New allotment; Beginning 03/16/2023

Certified Transfers

- Madison Elliott; Teacher from Lyerly Elementary School to Chattooga High School; replacing Tiffany Pate; Beginning FY 2024
- Tiffany Pate; Teacher from Chattooga High School to Lyerly Elementary School; replacing Madison Elliott; Beginning FY 2024
- Richard Rutledge; Teacher from Chattooga High School to Summerville Middle School; replacing Theresa Johnson; Beginning FY 2024

Classified Resignations

- Eric Moriarty; Paraprofessional at Leroy Massey Elementary School; Personal reasons; Effective 2/28/23
- Shona Mosteller; Paraprofessional at Chattooga High School; New Job; Effective 3/10/23
- Rabun Madison; Paraprofessional at Leroy Massey Elementary School; Relocating; Effective 3/17/23
- Sarah Sanchez; Receptionist at Summerville Middle School; Personal reasons; Effective 3/3/23
- Risa Willbanks; Paraprofessional at Menlo Elementary School; Personal reasons; Effective 2/28/23
- Shanda Johnson; School Food Service Assistant Manager at LMES; "I'm too old for the job" Effective 03/15/2023

Classified Transfers

- Ann Strawn; Paraprofessional from Leroy Massey Elementary School to CRA-49%; New allotment; Beginning 3/7/23
- Terri Maynor; From School Food Service Manager at LMES to School Bus Monitor; New allotment; Beginning 03/14/2023
- Tina McNeese; From Paraprofessional at PALS to Special Education Paraprofessional at LMES; Replacing Eric Moriarty; Beginning 03/14/2023

Classified Recommendations

- Caroline Gilreath; Caregiver at Chattooga High School; replacing Shona Mosteller; Beginning 3/14/23
- Stephanie Stiffles; Caregiver at Leroy Massey Elementary; replacing Ann Strawn; Beginning 3/9/23
- Patrick Evans; System Grounds Care; Replacing Alvin Bullard; Beginning 03/21/2023
- Meghan Faircloth; Paraprofessional at MES; Replacing Risa Willbanks; Beginning 03/14/2023
- Stacy Moore; Receptionist at SMS; Replacing Sarah Sanchez; Beginning 03/07/2023

Substitutes

-Risa Willbanks: Substitute Teacher and Paraprofessional; effective 3/7/23

-Chloee Hill; Substitute Teacher and Paraprofessional; Effective 03/15/2023

-A motion to approve all items under G-3 was made by Ms. Brady, with a second by Ms. Fletcher, 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 2022-2023 school year.

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

-Superintendent's "For Information Only" Items

1. Michelle Helie gave an district academic update
2. Job fair discussion
3. Upcoming interviews for Certified/Administrative positions
4. MES update
5. Track & Field project update
6. Upgrade needs for the home side of the CHS stadium
7. Tennis Courts update
8. SMS new barn project update

ADJOURNMENT

-A motion to adjourn was made at 6:53 p.m. by Ms. Lawrence, with a second by Ms. Brady, and the vote was unanimous.

Jared Hosmer, Superintendent

Eddie Elsberry, Chairman

Recorded by: _____

Alisha Yoder

Admin. Assistant to Superintendent