

**CHATTOOGA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD MEETING AGENDA
FEBRUARY 15, 2024 @ 6:00 PM**

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

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

- **Adoption of Superintendent's Recommended Agenda for February 15, 2024 School Board Meeting.**

- **Approve Minutes of Previous Month's Meeting**
 - January 18, 2024 Monthly Meeting

- **Public Participation**

A. Resolutions/Recognitions: (non-action)

1. School Spotlight- Lyerly Elementary School and Chattooga County Learning Center

2. Leigha Burnham- Cargill Award Recipient

On January 30, Ms. Leigha Burnham, an esteemed educator at Summerville Middle School was honored at the Georgia State Capitol as a Don Cargill STEM Scholar by the Georgia Youth Science & Technology Centers, Inc. (GYSTC). Ms. Burnham received this recognition for her outstanding integration of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) instruction. Recipients of this award demonstrate commitment to providing students with innovative and challenging STEM experiences. Ms. Burnham cultivates an environment of exploration that not only excites and energizes students but also equips them to pursue enhanced educational opportunities in STEM. Ms. Burnham was awarded \$500 to use in her classroom to support her teacher project "Charged Up for STEM." Awardees were invited to the Capitol for breakfast with members of the General Assembly. The event featured a warm welcome from former educator, Representative Gerald Greene (District 154), Kathleen Atkins (GYTSC Board Chair, Lockheed Martin), and Keith Crandall (Science Program Manager, Georgia Department of Education). Furthermore, recipients received congratulations from Governor Kemp and First Lady Marty Kemp and were recognized in the Senate Chambers by Senator Clint Dixon (District 45), chair of the Education and Youth Committee.

B. School Board Members: NONE

C. School Board Policies: NONE

D. Financial Management

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the Financial Statement for January 31, 2024.
2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the purchase of new financial software from Harris School Solutions (SmartFusion). There is a one-time fee of \$71,024.61 and an annual fee of \$40,625.00.
3. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval to sell the following five school buses, through sealed bid, to the highest bidder.

<u>Bus #</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Make</u>	<u>VIN #</u>	<u>Capacity</u>
69	2007	International	4DRBUAFN97B482628	66 passenger
76	2007	International	4DBRUAFN08B503965	66 passenger
79	2007	International	4DRBUAFN97B503963	72 passenger
82	2009	Freightliner/Thomas	4UZABRDJ39CZ73712	30 passenger
83	2009	Freightliner/Thomas	4UZABRDJ79CAA6681	72 passenger

4. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval to purchase the following new school buses from Yancey Bus Sales:
One 54 passenger bus (equipped with air and gasoline engine), for \$125,759.00 and one Special Education bus (equipped with lift, air and gasoline engine), for \$149,237.00.

E. Educational Programs, Student Support and Staff Development

1. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve the proposed 2025-2026 school calendar.

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

EXECUTIVE SESSION

G. Personnel

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

Certified Resignations

- Nicholas Biddle; Teacher at Summerville Middle School; career change; effective 05/29/2024.
- Amber Brown; Teacher at Chattooga High School; career change; effective 05/29/2024.
- Kelsy Byrd; Teacher at Chattooga High School; career change; effective 05/29/2024.
- Nancy Daniel; Teacher at Chattooga High School; retirement; effective 05/29/2024.

- Melanie Patterson; Teacher at Chattooga High School; seeking other opportunities; effective 05/29/2024.
- Bobbette Rokus; Teacher at Leroy Massey Elementary School; retirement; effective 05/29/2024.
- Tonya Smith; Teacher at Summerville Pre-K; retirement; effective 05/29/2024.
- Brenda Worsham; Teacher at Leroy Massey Elementary School; retirement; effective 05/29/2024.

Classified Resignations

- Dymon Shelton; School Food Service worker at Leroy Massey Elementary School; moving; effective 01/31/2024.
- Patricia Bentley; School Food Service Manager at Menlo Elementary School; retirement; effective 05/24/2024.

Classified Recommendations

- Christopher 'Seth' Kirk; Custodian at Lyerly Elementary School; replacing Michael Padgett; beginning 02/02/2024.
- Mary Womack; School Food Service worker at Lyerly Elementary School; replacing Sheila Barnett; beginning 01/30/2024.

Substitute

- Diane Vineyard; Substitute Teacher/Paraprofessional; effective 02/06/2024.

2. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation for approval of Certified Faculty for 2024-2025 (see list attached).
3. Board consideration of Superintendent's recommendation to approve Administrator/ Success Team list for FY 2024-2025:

Central Office/Chattooga Education Center Administrators

Mrs. Michelle Helie- Assistant Superintendent/Chief Academic Officer
 Mr. Jeremy Heathcock- Federal Programs/Student Services Director
 Mrs. Kelli Johnson- Special Education Director
 Dr. Emily Mobbs- Director of Data Collections and Student Information
 Mr. Barry Peppers- Alternative Education Director

Principals

Mrs. Paula Buice
 Mr. Michael Shank
 Mr. Roger Wilkinson
 Dr. Phillip Wood

Assistant Principals

Mrs. Angela Culbert (CTAE Director also)
 Ms. Brandi Hammonds
 Mr. Val 'Kip' Klein

Mr. Brent Mobbs
Mr. Mark Turker
Mr. Matthew West

Success Team

Mr. Robert Beach
Mrs. Lisa Benson
Mrs. Christie Dooley
Mrs. Jennifer Reese

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

Faculty Contract Renewal List For FY 2024-25

ABDOU, ATTEKA	ELROD, PEGGY	LOWRY, J. LEANN	THOMAS, J. RENEE
ADAMS, MORGAN	ESMANN, K. LAUREN	LUTZ, NATALIE	THOMPSON, L. ADRIANA
ANGLIN, KAYLA	ESPY, KASEY	MADDUX, CLAUDIA	THORNTON, JESSICA
APPELBAUM, KAREN	ESPY, KELSEY	MADDUX, G. WESLEY	VAUGHAN, CASSANDRA
ARDEN, PAULA	FLOYD, L. MICHELLE	MANGAN, JENNIFER	WARD, BRADLEY
ASHWORTH, VICTORIA	FLOYD, STEPHANIE	MARTIN, KANISSA	WARD, REBECCA
BACHELOR, HEATHER	GABLE, ROONE	MARTIN, KANOUSHA	WEBB, J. LEANN
BAILEY, J. SUZANNE	GANN, JAMES DAVID	MARTIN, RYAN	WEBB, KELSEY
BAIRD, CHARIS	GANT JR., JAMES	MATHIS, LAURA	WHITE, LORI
BARNES, CHRISTIE	GARRETT, ALISON	MAYO, AMANDA	WILLIAMS, AMANDA
BEARDEN, OLIVIA	GENTRY, JUSTIN	MAYO, SONYA	WILLIAMS, BUFFY JO
BEASLEY, ALVAH	GILBERT, KRISTEN	MCCULLOUGH, LEAH	WILLIAMSON, KATHERINE
BEASLEY, T. RENEE	GILBERT, STEVEN	MCDANIEL, SHARRON	WILLIS, CHRISTINA
BESSETTE, MICHAEL	GOSSETT, PAMELA	MCGRATH, STACY	WILSON, DANNY
BLALOCK, SANDRA	GREEN, ANNA	MCQUESE, MISTY	WINDOM, BENJAMIN
BOURNE, ANDREA	GREER JR., B. GENE	MITCHELL, ROBIN	WINDOM, LAURA
BOWLING, DAWN	GROCE, JARED	MORRISON, K. RHIANNON	WOODALL, CARTER
BOWMAN, LACY	GROCE, RACHEL	MOSELEY, LANA	WRIGHT, LAUREN
BRADLEY, ASHLEE	GROGAN, MOLLY	MURRAY, COURTNEY	YARBROUGH, DAVID
BRADLEY, TERI	HALL, JASON	NANCE, GWENDOLYN	YARBROUGH, MATTHEW
BROWN, AARON	HAMILTON, HEATHER	OSBORNE, DEBRA	YOUNG, ROSHMEL
BROWN, ASHLEY	HAMMOND, JONTAVIAN	PATTERSON, KRISTY	
BROWN, ERICA	HANCOCK, BETHANY	PEPPERS, NICKY	
BRUNACHE, CHASITY	HANNAH, ABIGAIL	PETTY, JOSHUA	
BRYANT, WENDY	HARRIS, KATHRYN	PIERCE, LORETTA	Working less than 50%:
BULLARD, ABIGAIL	HARTLINE, KAYLA	PONDER, BRANDON	ANDERSON, PAUL
BULLARD, DEREK	HAWKINS, CONNIE	PORTER, LEANN	BENNETT, ROBERT
BURCH JR., JOHNNY	HEGWOOD, CHARLSIE	POWELL, AMBER	BRADBURY, THERESA
BURDICK, VALERIE	HODGES, CHRISTOPHER	POWELL, DUSTIN	COLBERT, MELISSA
BURNHAM, LEIGHA	HODGES, JUDITH	PRICE, BENNY	DEAN, TODD
CAMPBELL, DEANNA	HOGG, ROYCE	RATLIFF, STEPHANIE	HOSMER, CAROLE
CAMPBELL, JONATHAN	HOSMER, ABBY	REYNOLDS, JANET	MUSKETT, GARY KEVIN
CARMON, BRIANA	HOSMER, GINGER	RICHARDS, RHONDA	
CARR, ASHLEY	HOUSCH, MARYBETH	RILEY, ANDREA	
CASH, SALLY	HOWARD, ELIZABETH	ROBINSON, PAMELA	
CAUSEY, KRISTEN	HUGHES, ANNALISA	ROBINSON, ROBERT	
CAVIN JR, ROBERT	HUGHES, LISA	ROMINE, TIFFANY	
CHANDLER, BARRY	HURLEY, SARAH	ROWE, CARRIE	
CHASTAIN, SERENA	IVERY, LANETTE	ROWE, MELISSA	
CHRISTY, KARRI	JACKSON, PHILLIP	RUSSELL-SPARKS, DEBORAH	
COLBERT, KRISTY	JARRETT, LAUREN	RUTLEDGE II, RICHARD	
CONLEY, CHRISTOPHER	JOHNS, JASON	SALMON, MEKALA	
COOK-BEVELS, LESLIE	JOHNSON, TRACY	SMITH, ERIN	
COOPER, KATHERINE	JONES, KIRBY	SMITH, SHAHLA	
CROMER, KAITLYN	JONES, S. DENISE	SOUTHWICK, AMY	
DAVIS, DEANNA	KELLETT, LORI	STANLEY, SHANNON	
DODD, JULIE	KENDALL, EMILY	STARR, ROZZENA	
DRIGGERS, DIANE	KERCE, KATHARINE	STEPHENS, PHOEBE	
DRISKELL, COURTNEY	KERSNOWSKI, JESSICA	STEWART, RANDY	
DUGGAN, MELISSA	KILGORE, JAMIE	STIVERS, ANDREW	
DULANEY, JENNIFER	KING, JOLYN	STUCKEY, KELLY	
ECHOLS, KAREN	LANE, JULIE	SUTTON, KIMBERLY	
ECKROAT, LINDSAY	LANIER, WADE	TALLEN, CHRISTOPHER	
ELLIOTT, MADISON	LEA, LACIE	TANNEHILL, JULIA	
ELLIS, PAUL	LEDFORD, TIFFANY	TATE, RHONDA	
ELROD, L. JOLYNN	LEE, BRYN	TERRY, KAYLA	