

JACKSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
Regular Business Meeting  
August 23, 2018 – 6:00 p.m.  
Central Office Board Room

**AGENDA**

**\*\*ALL ACTION ITEMS APPROVED\*\***

- I. JACKSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION** (Ali Laird-Large, Chair)
  - A. Call to Order
  - B. Pledge of Allegiance
  - C. Approve Agenda
  
- II. SPECIAL RECOGNITION** (Dr. Kimberly Elliott)

School Nutrition Managers: Tina Coggins, Blue Ridge School; Becky Roper, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School; Judy Parris, Fairview Elementary School; Janice Hoyle, Smoky Mountain High School; Ali Grasty, Scotts Creek Elementary School; Lisa Cope, Smokey Mountain Elementary School; Sandra Stevens, Central Office; and Laura Cabe, School Nutrition Director.
  
- III. OPEN SESSION FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Sign up to speak before meeting. • Designed for school board to listen.  
Time to speak limited to 3 minutes • Complaints about individual employees or students prohibited.
  
- IV. CONSENT ACTION AGENDA**
  - A. Draft Open Session Minutes of Special Called Work Session on July 16, 2018.
  - B. Draft Open Session Minutes of Regular Meeting on July 31, 2018.
  - C. Draft Open Session Minutes of Special Called Information and Listening Session on August 7, 2018.
  
- V. INFORMATION**
  - A. Superintendent’s Report (Dr. Elliott)
  - B. Meridian Behavioral Services Update (Kelly Doppke)
  - C. Public Safety Academy at Blue Ridge Early College (Angie Dills)
  - D. Unaudited Financial Summary (Gwen Edwards)
  
- VI. ACTION AGENDA**
  - A. Budget Amendments (Gwen Edwards)
  - B. Mountain Projects Appointment (Ali Laird-Large)
  - C. 2018/2019 Student Handbooks – All Schools (Angie Dills/Dr. Elliott)
  - D. Alternative Accountability Model Approval (Adam Holt)
  - E. Approval to purchase a Chiller unit for Scotts Creek Elementary School (Jason Watson)
  - F. Approval to purchase a Central Walk-In Freezer/Refrigerator (Laura Cabe)
  - G. Meridian Behavioral Services Memorandum of Agreement renewal 2018-2019 (Kelly Doppke)

H. Policy Updates

1. Students at Risk of Academic Failure (3405)

**VII. CLOSED SESSION – Pursuant to G.S. 143.318.11 for the following purposes: under subsection; (a) (1) to prevent the disclosure of privileged or confidential personnel information pursuant to G.S. 115C-319-321 and (a) (3) to discuss matters protected by the attorney-client privilege.**

**VIII. PERSONNEL ACTION AGENDA**

**Employee Recommendations:**

1. Ayers, Phillip – Graduation Specialist, School of Alternatives
2. Ballif, Janet – Teacher Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
3. Benavides, Jade – Color Guard Instructor, Smoky Mountain High School
4. Bennett, Teresa – Afterschool Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
5. Bishop, Johnnie Nell – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
6. Brower, Brittany – School Counselor, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
7. Brown, Hope – Tutor, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
8. Edwards, Kimberly – School Nutrition Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
9. Flick, Shawn – Marching Band Assistant, Smoky Mountain High School
10. Frady, Tiffany – Teacher, Smoky Mountain High School
11. Frady, Tiffany – Marching Band Assistant, Smoky Mountain High School
12. Gibson, Demetrius – Teacher Assistant Safety Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
13. Goldin, Alan – Teacher, School of Alternatives
14. Gotay, Maria – School Nutrition Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
15. Green, Brynn – Afterschool Site Coordinator, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
16. Green, Tiffany – School Nutrition Assistant, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
17. Gregg, Kashayla – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
18. Hardin, Ben – Teacher, School of Alternatives
19. Holden, Josie – Teacher, Blue Ridge School
20. Holder, Tammy – Bus Driver, School of Alternatives
21. Johnson, Alan – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
22. Johnson, Linzi – Afterschool Assistant, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
23. Lemons, Michael – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
24. Logan, Jeffrey – Bus Driver, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
25. Mercer, Heather – School Nutrition Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
26. McCoy, Brent – Teacher, School of Alternatives
27. Robinson, Darryl – Bus Driver, School of Alternatives
28. Rowe, Christy – Teacher Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
29. Simmons, Georgeanne – EC Teacher Assistant for Pre-K, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
30. Watson, Savannah – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
31. Winston, Amy – Teacher, Blue Ridge School and Early College
32. Witherspoon, Allison – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School

**Employee Resignations:**

1. Cagle, Curtis – Teacher and Assistant Football Coach, Smoky Mountain High School
2. Gibson, Tony – Teacher, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
3. Moore, Misty – EC Teacher Assistant, School of Alternatives
4. Prewitt, Pauline – Bus Monitor, School of Alternatives
5. Range, Ashleigh – School Counselor, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
6. Robinson, Darryl – Custodian and Bus Driver, Blue Ridge School and Early College

**Special Requests – Leave of Absence:**

1. Green, Connie – Teacher Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School

**Staff, Non-Staff and Returning Coach Recommendations:**

1. Ballentine, Denise – Head Coach Middle School Volleyball, Blue Ridge Early College
2. Boone, Jerrod – Assistant Coach Varsity Women’s Basketball, Smoky Mountain High School – New Staff
3. Brooks, Beth – Head Coach Softball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School - Returning Staff
4. Brooks, Beth – Assistant Coach Volleyball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff
5. Brooks, Whitney – Assistant Coach Softball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Non-Staff
6. Brown, Dolphus – Head Coach Soccer, Fairview Elementary School – Returning Non-Staff
7. Estep, Audrey – Assistant Coach Girls Basketball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff
8. Graafsma, Rebecca – Head Coach Volleyball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff
9. Hyatt, Steven – Assistant Coach Boys Basketball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Non-Staff
10. Jennings, Emily – Head Coach Volleyball, Fairview Elementary School – New Staff
11. Mayse, Tim – Head Coach Varsity Boys Cross Country, Blue Ridge Early College – Returning Staff
12. Mayse, Tim – Head Coach Varsity Girls Cross Country, Blue Ridge Early College – Returning Staff
13. Pangle, Alaina – Head Coach Girls Basketball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff
14. Ramos, Mike – Head Coach Boys Basketball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Non-Staff
15. Rice, Audrey – Assistant Coach Middle School Volleyball, Blue Ridge Early College
16. Santoyo, Jesus – Head Coach Soccer, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff
17. Williams, Shane – Assistant Coach Junior Varsity Football, Smoky Mountain High School – Returning Staff
18. Willoughby, Wesley – Assistant Coach Soccer, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff

**The next regularly scheduled business meeting of the Board of Education is September 25, 2018 at 6:00 p.m., at Blue Ridge School.**

**IX.** Adjournment