

The Dale County Board of Education met in Regular Session Tuesday, May 12, 2020, at 5:30 p.m., in the Board Room of the Dale County Government Building. Dale Sutton, Board President, presided over the meeting with members Jerald Cook, Shannon Deloney, Priscilla McKnight, Phillip Parker, Attorney James Tarbox, and Superintendent Ben Baker present.

- 1 The meeting was called to order by President Dale Sutton.
- 2 Invocation  
Superintendent Baker opened the meeting with prayer.
- 3 Pledge of Allegiance  
Superintendent Baker led the pledge of allegiance.
- 4 Approval of Agenda  
The agenda was amended to add an Executive Session as Item 14.  
Motion – Jerald Cook, Second – Shannon Deloney, carried.
- 5 Approval of Minutes
  - a. Regular Board Meeting – April 14, 2020  
Motion – Priscilla McKnight, Second – Phillip Parker, carried.
- 6 Visitors  
There were no visitors present.
- 7 Annual Audit Exit Review  
Cheri Raffle, Alabama Department of Public Examiners, presented the annual audit exit review.  
No action required.
- 8 Approval of Bills and Accounts  
Motion – Jerald Cook, Second – Phillip Parker, carried.
- 9 Financial Statement  
The Superintendent presented the most recent financial statement to the Board with all bank accounts reconciled through March.  
No action required.
- 10 Personnel 2019-2020/2020-2021  
The Superintendent recommended the following personnel pending certification and background requirements by the State Department of Education  
**Personnel 2019-20**  
**Certified**  
Retire
  - 1-Odessa Jones, Teacher, LHS  
Motion – Shannon Deloney, Second – Jerald Cook, carried.

**Support**

Resign

- 2-Mattie Williams, Pre-K Auxiliary Teacher, Ariton
- 3-Cerralee Edmondson, Pre-K Auxiliary Teacher, NES

Transfer

- 4-Lisa Harden, CO Secretary to Ariton School Secretary
- Motion – Phillip Parker, Second – Jerald Cook, carried.

**Personnel 2020-21**

**Certified**

Receiving Tenure Re-hires

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|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 5-Kelsey Prestwood, Ariton | 6-Chuck Dunn, Ariton    |
| 7-Chelsey McDonald, Ariton | 8-Haley Goodson, Ariton |
| 9-Ciara Andrews, Ariton    | 10-Evan Ballard, DCHS   |
| 11-Mallory Moore, DCHS     | 12-Dianna McCraney, LHS |
| 13-Kent Robertson, LHS     | 14-Kirstie Johnson, LHS |
| 15-Tara Hughes, LHS        | 16-Joni Dykes, MCES     |
| 17-Brandy Whitfield, NES   | 18-Anna Harrell, SDMS   |

Non-Tenured Re-hires

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|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 19-Chelsi Jones, Ariton      | 20-Michael Hutto, Adm., Ariton |
| 21-Randi Snell, Ariton       | 22-Hannah King, Ariton         |
| 23-Jen Sanders, Ariton       | 24-Gordon Arick, Ariton        |
| 25-Shelby Thompson, Ariton   | 26-Marsha McLendon, Ariton     |
| 27-Allie Singleton, Ariton   | 28-Mallory Danner, Ariton      |
| 29-Will Austin, Ariton       | 30-McKenzie Strickland, Ariton |
| 31-Bucky Sconyers, Adm, DCHS | 32-April Windham, DCHS         |
| 33-Kendall Pelham, DCHS      | 34-Kristie Mitchell, DCHS      |
| 35-Patrick Lord, DCHS        | 36-Samantha Krietemeyer, DCHS  |
| 37-Josh Jones, DCHS          | 38-Beau Holland, DCHS          |
| 39-Dustin Harrison, DCHS     | 40-Sydney Edmonds, DCHS        |
| 41-Anthony Donaldson, DCHS   | 42-Lillie Jacobs, DCHS         |
| 43-Megan Larson, LES         | 44-Taylor Simmons, LES         |
| 45-Drew Miller, Admin, LHS   | 46-Chris Barefield, LHS        |
| 47-Lacy Thomas, LHS          | 48-Jenny Strickland, LHS       |
| 49-Katie Barrentine, MCES    | 50-Laura Hutto, MCES           |
| 51-Anna Marshall, MCES       | 52-Suzanne Hogan, MCES         |
| 53-Carla Baxter, MCES        | 54-Telya Ashley, MCES          |
| 55-Sarah Shaw, MCES          | 56-Callie Davis, MCES          |
| 57-Allison Lindsay, MCES     | 58-Holly Rollins, NES          |
| 59-Megan Smith, NES          | 60-Denise Tharpe, NES          |
| 61-Abby Braddy, NES          | 62-Carlie Lord, SDMS           |
| 63-Tyler Dawkins, SDMS       | 64-Chelsea Hatcher, SDMS       |
| 65-Amy Blackstock, SDMS      | 66-Jason Tice, SDMS            |
| 67-LaVaughn Thayer, SDMS     | 68-Hannah Ballard, SDMS        |
| 69-Mckenzi Grantham, SDMS    | 70-Todd Thayer, SDMS           |
| 71-Hayden Heath, SDMS        | 72-Valerie Nelson, SDMS        |

Non-Renewals

73-Susan Anderson, LHS

74-Sandy Woodall, MCES

75-Daniel Wyche, SDMS

Transfer

76-Taylor Simmons, Elementary Teacher, G W Long Elementary to Ariton School

77-Katie Barrentine, Elementary Teacher, Midland City Elementary to G W Long Elementary

78-Mandi Walker, Librarian, LES to Librarian, LHS

79-Abby Saunders, Teacher to Counselor, DCHS

Reclassification

80-Sanet Tyler, Elementary Teacher to Reading Coach, Ariton School

Employ

81-Victoria Snellgrove, Elementary Teacher, Ariton School

82-Sara Sanders, Elementary Teacher, Ariton School

83-Tessa Ivey, English Teacher, DCHS

84-Whitney Hines, Reading Coach, LES

85-Mason Stevens, Social Studies Teacher, LHS

86-Kristyn Enfinger, Teacher, MCES

87-Irish Walker, Teacher, MCES

88-Robert (Trent) Warrick, Agri-Science Teacher, SDMS

Maternity Leave

89-Randi Snell, Teacher, Ariton – approximately August 3 to September 25, 2020

Motion – Priscilla McKnight, Second – Shannon Deloney, carried.

**Support**

Employ

90-April Windham, Bus Driver

91-Sarah Gilbert, Bus Driver

Substitutes

92-Joshua Williams, BD

Route Change

93-Russell Hagler from SDMS to North End

CNP Change in Hours

97-Alex Register, SDMS, from 6 hour to 7 hour

95-Alecia Williams, LHS, 6 hour to 7 hour

96-Dale Phillips, LHS, 4 hour to 7 hour

Motion – Phillip Parker, Second – Jerald cook, carried.

11 Financial

a. Lease with ESCC

The Superintendent recommended a lease with ESCC for the Armory Maintenance Building

Motion – Priscilla McKnight, Second – Phillip Parker, carried.

b. Salary Schedule Adjustment

The Superintendent recommended an adjustment to the salary schedule to include a schedule for a Central Office Secretary.

Motion – Phillip Parker, Second – Priscilla McKnight, carried.

12 Board Policy 3.81 – Supervision of Low Risk Juvenile Sex Offenders

The Superintendent presented a new board policy to be placed on the table for thirty days.

Motion – Priscilla McKnight, Second – Shannon Deloney, carried.

13 Other

a. Tax Lawsuit Settlement

The Superintendent informed the board of the settlement of the tax lawsuit.

No action required.

14 Executive Session

The Superintendent recommended the Board enter into Executive Session to discuss character and good name. Board Attorney Tarbox certified this was a viable reason for an executive session.

Motion – Shannon Deloney, Second – Phillip Parker, carried.

Board President Sutton entertained a motion to return to regular session with no action being taken in executive session.

Motion – Shannon Deloney, Second – Priscilla McKnight, carried.

15 Adjourn

With no other business, President Sutton adjourned the meeting.



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President



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Secretary