

EAST CARTER COUNTY R-II SCHOOLS

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EAST CARTER COUNTY R-II BOARD OF EDUCATION

SEPTEMBER 25, 2018

REGULAR MEETING BOARD OF EDUCATION

Board President John Walker called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. in the East Carter Elementary cafeteria. The following Board members were present: John Walker, Johnathan Collins, Glenn Crook, Jordan Collins, Stonie Croy and James Gore. Mark Hampton was absent. Also present were Superintendent Dr. Richard Sullivan, High School Principal Jon McKinney, Middle School Principal Theresa Kearbey, Elementary Principal Kacie Kendrick, SpEd Director Danielle Sullivan, Network Administrator Bill Lewis, Bookkeeper Jamie Shaffer and Board Secretary Kathey Dalton, staff members Tracy Pryor, Janice Risby, Angela Pence, Kendra Asher, Ryan Alexander, Ladeana Crowley, Janet Hampton, Teresa Kearbey-LeGrand, Jordan Penn, John Crowley and SRO Officer Kelly Hampton. Also present Pauletta Walker, Olivia Price (OPAA), Valarie Weinhaus, Trinity Wienhaus, Ronnie Walker, Amber Walker, Janice Eudaley, Amanda Daughhetee, Aleice Carter, Wendy Carter, James Carter, Mindy Walker, Kim Maynard, Tina Gower, Travis Carter, Jodie Carter, Rachel McGonigal, Jason McGonigal, Carissa Gower, Deloris Million, Sheriff Richard Stephens, Officer Carey Payne and Officer Justin Eudaley.

Superintendents Report

Dr. Sullivan thanked members of Law Enforcement whom helped in ensuring we have a safe campus and everyone for their patience while the allegations were investigated. Dr. Sullivan reported the electric bill was up \$2,335.74 in September, which is more than the increase in July and August combined. Our Cross-Country runners and teams are doing very well this season, the boys team won the BRL run at Viburnum. Dr. Sullivan stated that the high school softball team won the tournament at Bakersfield and middle school basketball season is now underway. Dr. Sullivan reported that our new bus has been delivered and will be placed in service as soon as the necessary paperwork is received. Dr. Sullivan said we have applied for a grant to help with the purchase of two new buses, some monies are coming from the

Volkswagen settlement. Dr. Sullivan thanked Jamie Shaffer and John Crowley for their help with completing the application. Bills were discussed.

### Approval of Minutes/ Bills

The Board approved the August 23, 2018 and August 28, 2018 Regular Board Minutes. Bills were approved as presented.

### Public Comment

Valarie Weinhaus talked about bullying and security at school. Sheriff Richard Stephens addressed concerns over parent notification and handling of investigations. Janice Eudaley talked about educating our staff on mental illness, Amanda Daughhetee talked about School safety and procedures concerning intruder drills and Kim Maynard talked about school security and bullying.

### New Business

The Board approved the donation of \$1,000 to the City Ballpark, the Jr. Beta Trip, and the JAG Trip to Washington D.C. The Board approved the Alternative Education/At Risk Program Evaluation, the Curriculum Program Evaluation and the School Climate Program Evaluation. The Board approved the 2018B MSBA Policy Updates and to Purge Obsolete/End of Life items.

### Staff and Committee Reports

High School Principal Jon McKinney talked about the BRL conference in Ellington that our staff attended. Mr. McKinney said that Linda Knoll from SEMO would be here to work with our Science and Math teachers. Keri Webb, the National JAG supervisor visited our JAG program and said our JAG teacher, Ryan Alexander is doing a good job. Mr. McKinney said that we have a student and parents who have been invited to the Capitol and will be eating dinner with the Governor and his wife. The Current Local met with our Jag and AG program instructors and we are getting a lot of good feedback. Cross Country, Softball and Baseball seasons are going well.

Middle School Principal Theresa Kearbey thanked the Board for approving the Jr. Beta Trip.

The Board moved to enter into Executive session in accordance with Public Law, Section 610:021 Items 3, 13, and 14 for closed meeting to the extent authorized by law. Meeting recessed at 7:26 p.m.

### Executive Session

The Executive meeting was called to order by Board President John Walker at 7:52 p.m. in the Superintendent's office. The agenda was approved as presented. Executive Board minutes for

August 23, 2018 and August 28, 2018 were approved as presented. Substitute Teacher list and Substitute Bus Driver list was approved as amended. Hilary Nichols was employed as a Companion Aide and Doug White was employed as Bus Mechanic/General Maintenance. The meeting was adjourned at 11:23 p.m.