

**Pike County Board of Education
Board Minutes
July 12, 2021**

The Pike County Board of Education met at 5:30 P.M. at their regular monthly session at the CA³L Building, located at 205 Mockingbird Lane, Troy, Alabama. Board members present for the meeting were as follows:

Dr. Clint Foster, President	District Five
Mr. Justin Davis, Vice-President	District Three
Rev. Earnest Green	District One
Dr. Greg Price	District Two
Mrs. Linda Steed	District Four
Mr. Chris Wilkes	District Six
Dr. Mark Bazzell	Secretary to the Board

2. The meeting was called to order by the President. The invocation was given by Mr. Davis.
3. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the minutes of June 14, 2021.
4. Hearing of Delegations and Communications
5. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mrs. Steed, the Board adopted the agenda with sixteen additional items.
6. Unfinished Business – None
7. New Business
 - A. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board approved the Financial Statement for the month of June 2021.
 - B. On a motion made by Dr. Price, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the payment of payrolls for the month of June 2021 and account run dates of 6/11/2021, 06/23/2021 and 07/08/2021.
 - C. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board awarded the bid for a walk-in freezer top Banks Middle School to Mobile Fixture & Equipment Company.
 - D. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board awarded all smallwares purchases to Birmingham Restaurant Supply, Inc.
 - E. On a motion made by Dr. Price, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board awarded the bid for two ice machines to Birmingham Restaurant Supply, Inc.
 - F. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Wilkes, the Board approved the request to provide Goshen High School and Pike County High school athletic programs with a one-time allocation of \$10,000 each.

- G. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to add “The principal’s salary shall exceed the salary of the school’s assistant principal by \$2,500” to the previously approved salary matrix.
 - H. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. Wilkes, the approved the request for Rochelle McKenny to attend the Megaconference, July 12-16, 2021 in Mobile, AL. Expenses – IDEA and PCES funds.
 - I. On a motion made by Dr. Price, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to extend the lawn service contract with Triple “E” Services for the 2021-2022 school year.
 - J. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Mrs. Steed, the Board approved the request to extend the diesel and gasoline contract with Russell Petroleum for the 2021-2022 school year.
 - K. On a motion made by Dr. Price, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to extend the propane contract with Thompson Gas for the 2021-2022 school year.
 - L. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board approved the request to extend the janitorial contract with Falls Facilities for the 2021-2022 school year.
 - M. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved or denied student transfer requests per the attached spreadsheet.
 - N. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Wilkes, the Board approved the request for Ranita DeJesus to travel to attend the MEGAconference, July 12-15, 2021 in Mobile, AL.
 - O. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board approved the request to edit the previously approved 2021-2022 salary schedule.
 - P. On a motion made by Dr. Price, seconded by Mr. Wilkes, the Board approved the request to extend the contract for dumpster services with MDI for the 2021-2022 school year.
 - Q. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board approved or denied additional student transfer requests per the attached spreadsheet.
 - R. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mrs. Steed, the Board approve the Bond Resolution.
8. Personnel - **ALL NEW HIRES ARE CONTINGENT ON CERTIFICATION OR A VERIFIED PATHWAY TO CERTIFICATION AND BACKGROUND CHECKS.**
- A. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Miracle Bankston, SPED Teacher, GHS.
 - B. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Jessica Moran, 1st Grade Teacher, PCES.
 - C. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Josh Ritter, History Teacher, Banks,

- D. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Abby Beard, SPED Teacher, GES.
- E. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Amhani Upshaw, Math Teacher, GHS.
- F. On a motion made by Mrs. Steed, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Anease Coleman, CNP worker, PCES.
- G. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. Wilkes, the Board approved the reassignment of Karine Dickens, Pre-K Teacher to Kindergarten, PCES.
- H. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. Wilkes, the Board approved the reassignment of Katie Miller, 6th Grade Teacher to 3rd Grade Teacher, GES.
- I. On a motion made by Dr. Price, seconded by Mrs. Steed, the Board approved request to transfer Sasha Smith, Kindergarten Teacher PCES to Reading Specialist, GES.
- J. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved request to reassign Kimberly Middlebrooks, 4th Grade Teacher to STEM Facilitator, GES.
- K. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board approved the request to re-employ Marie Cook, Auxiliary Pre-K Teacher, PCES.
- L. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Isha Moody, CNP Worker, GES.
- M. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Amanda Williams, CNP Worker, PCES.
- N. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Amanda Wright, Pre-K Teacher, PCES.
- O. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Abbie Lewis, 1st Grade Teacher, PCES.
- P. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Hayleigh Jackson, Bookkeeper, PCES.
- Q. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Jasmine Reynolds, Counselor, PCES.
- R. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Rhonda Ory, 1st Grade Teacher, PCES.
- S. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Valencia Flowers, 1st Grade Teacher, PCES.
- T. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Ada Berry, Secretary, Banks.

- U. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Ana Wilkins, SPED Teacher, Banks.
- V. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Julie Barbaree, Bookkeeper, Banks.
- W. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Krystal Addison, 2nd Grade Teacher, Banks.
- X. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Natalie Mims, Assistant Principal, GES.
- Y. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ William Love, PE Aide, GES.
- Z. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Brain Alewine, PE Aide, GES.
- AA. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Chasitiy Dixon, Family Support Specialist, GHS.
- BB. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Christian Stanley, Agriscience Academy, GHS.
- CC. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Chandler Avant, Social Science Teacher, GHS.
- DD. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Ashley Williams, SPED Aide, PCHS.
- EE. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Chelbrel Davenport, Family Support Registrar, PCHS.
- FF. On a motion made by Mr. Wilkes, seconded by Rev. Green, the Board approved the request to employ Colin Jones, IT Technician.
- GG. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Chris McVay, English Teacher, GHS.
- HH. On a motion made by Mr. Davis, seconded by Dr. Price, the Board accepted the resignation of Kristen Langford, Counselor, PCES.
- II. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ Staci Duffney, SPED Aide, GES.
- JJ. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ Emily Synder, Payroll/HE Specialist, Central Office,
- KK. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ Keadra Avan, STEM Facilitator, GHS.

LL. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ Jamie Price. Bookkeeper, GHS.

MM. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ Dakota Guercio, 4th Grade Teacher, GES.

NN. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ Thurston Lee, SPED Teacher, Banks.

OO. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ Malon Chrysson, Social Science, Banks

PP. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board approved the request to employ John Watkins, STEM Facilitator, PCHS.

9. Business by members of the Board and Superintendent of Education not included on the agenda.

A. On a motion made by Dr. Price, seconded by Mr. Wilkes, the Board approved the request to employ Evan Jackson, PE Teacher, PCES.

10. On a motion made by Rev. Green, seconded by Mr. Davis, the Board voted to adjourn the meeting at 6:14 p.m.

ATTEST:

Dr. S. Mark Bazzell, Secretary

Dr. Clint Foster, President