



**Building a 5-Star
District of Excellence**

Laurens County School District #55 Board of Trustees

Monthly Meeting Agenda – August 24, 2026 – 6:30 p.m.
District Administrative Office

TO MEETING ATTENDEES: Please silence all devices before entering the meeting area. Please remain seated during the meeting. Please refrain from conversation and noise that would interrupt the meeting and/or hinder others from being able to hear the discussions/actions of the board. This is especially helpful for those listening on the live feed.

BROADCAST: The meeting will be live-streamed via the [LCSD 55 website](#) and uploaded to the district website and social media.

OPENING BUSINESS

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| 1. Call to Order | Mrs. Cathy Little |
| 2. Confirmation of Notice to Media | Mrs. Candice Branim |
| 3. Declaration of a Quorum | Mrs. Cathy Little |
| 4. Approval of Agenda | Mrs. Cathy Little, Board Action |
| 5. Welcome | Mrs. Cathy Little |
| 6. Pledge of Allegiance | Mrs. Cathy Little |
| 7. Prayer | Mr. Chip Jenkins |
| 8. Approval of Minutes for June 22, 2026, Board Meeting | Mrs. Cathy Little, Board Action |

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

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| 1. District Updates | Dr. Rhett Harris |
| 2. 2026-2027 School Year Opening Report | Dr. Rhett Harris |
| 3. Assessment Results | Mrs. Amanda Lecaroz |
| 4. Continuous Improvement Plans (CIP) Updates | Mrs. Amanda Lecaroz |
| 5. Booster Club Registration | Dr. Rhett Harris, Board Action |

BOARD OPERATIONS

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| 1. 2026 Delegate Assembly Information | Mrs. Cathy Little |
| 2. Board Policies - 1st Readings | Dr. Rhett Harris |
| Policy JFABC - Transfer Student | |
| Policy JFAB - Admission of Nonresident Student | |
| Policy JLCG Seizure Safe Schools | |
| Policy IKA Grading/Assessment Systems | |
| Policy IC School Year | |
| 3. Administrative Rules - For Information Only | Dr. Rhett Harris |
| AR JFAB-R Admission of Nonresident Students (Interdistrict Transfers) | |
| AR JLCG Seizure Safe Schools Act | |
| AR GCK-R Professional Staff Assignments and Transfers | |
| AR IKA-R Grading/Assessment Systems | |
| File IC-E Flow Chart for Weather-Related School Closure | |
| AR JICJ-R Possession/Use of Electronic Communication Devices in School | |

FINANCE AND OPERATIONS

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| 1. Monthly Financial Report | Mrs. Leann London |
| 2. Fiscal Watch Update | Mrs. Leann London |

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Mrs. Cathy Little

MOTION TO ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mrs. Cathy Little, Board Action

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- 1. Certified Employee Contract Lists for the 2026-2027 School Year**
- 2. Resignations/Retirees of Approved 2026-2027 Contracts**
- 3. Legal Updates**
- 4. Personnel Matters**

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

Mrs. Cathy Little

ACTION ON EXECUTIVE SESSION IF NEEDED

Mrs. Cathy Little, Board Action

ADJOURNMENT

Mrs. Cathy Little, Board Action