

Trenton, Florida
November 5, 2024

The Gilchrist County School Board met in Board Room 14-002 on Tuesday, November 5, 2024 at 4:00 PM with the following members present:

Christie McElroy Chair, Susan Owens, Vice-Chair, Gina Geiger, and Deen Lancaster.

Also present were Dr. James Surrency, Superintendent of Schools, Linda Gartin, Assistant Superintendent, and Lindsey Lander, Gilchrist County School Board Attorney.

Upon completion of opening ceremonies, the following business was transacted:

AGENDA

The chair amended the agenda for good cause. The amendment consisted of the following:

ADDITIONS TO AGENDA

2. A. Minutes: September 3, 2024 as amended

ADDITIONS TO CONSENT AGENDA

7. B. Transfer: Jennifer Terry, From School Board Secretary, To Special Programs Specialist. Bronna Sheffield, From Operations Specialist, To School Board Secretary.

Deen Lancaster made a motion to approve the agenda as amended with Susan Owens seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

MINUTES

Board Attorney, Lindsey Lander reviewed the minutes and recommended approval.

Deen Lancaster made a motion to approve the September 3, 2024 minutes as amended with Gina Geiger seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Gina Geiger made a motion to approve the October 15, 2024 minutes with Susan Owens seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

RECOGNITION

The Board Chair, Christie McElroy recognized Dr. James Surrency for his years of service and dedication to the Gilchrist County School District as Superintendent. Ms. McElroy also recognized Ms. Michelle Walker-Crawford for her years of service and dedication to the Gilchrist County School District as School Board Member. They were each presented with a plaque.

CITIZEN INPUT/DELEGATIONS

There were no delegations wishing to address the Board.

DISTRICT MATTERS

Linda Gartin, Assistant Superintendent, presented the Bargaining Proposals

Susan Owens made a motion to approve the Instructional Compensation Package with Deen Lancaster seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Deen Lancaster made a motion to approve the Non-Instructional Package with Gina Geiger seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Gina Geiger made a motion to approve the MOU Non-Instructional with Susan Owens seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Dorota Micale, Director of Federal Programs & Career, Technical Education, presented the Job Description: 21st Century & Title IX Site Coordinator. Gina Geiger made a motion to approve the Job Description: 21st Century & Title IX Site Coordinator with Deen Lancaster seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

Devin Colley, Director of Safety & Mental Health, requested the Board Advertise Policy Change: Wellness 2.20D. Susan Owens made a motion to approve the Advertising of Policy Change: Wellness 2.20D with Deen Lancaster seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

The Board then went into a time sensitive closed session.

STUDENT DISCIPLINE REVIEW

Case #25-004 – Deen Lancaster moved to approve Superintendent Surrency's recommendation with Gina Geiger seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

DISTRICT MATTERS continued

Deen made a motion to take from the table the Encumbrance of Funds for Special Facilities New School with Susan Owens seconding. The vote was unanimous to take from table.

After the information received from the workshop and careful consideration of the facts presented, Deen Lancaster made a motion to approve the Encumbrance of Funds for Special Facilities New School with Gina Geiger seconding. The vote was unanimous for approval.

REMOVAL OF ITEMS FROM CONSENT AGENDA

No Items were removed from the Consent Agenda.

CONSENT AGENDA

Deen Lancaster made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda that consisted of the following:

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| <p>A. Financial
1. Check Summary</p> |
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2. Supplements

Meghan Porter	Cell Phone Supplement	BHS	360.00
Tonya Hodge	Mentor +1	BHS	250.00
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Leah Ungarten	Cell Phone Supplement	DO	720.00
Kianna Williams	Self-Contained ESE Para	TES	750.00
Rebecca Thomas	Teaching During Planning	BHS	5,000.00

3. Additional Hours

Melissa McDilda	After School Counseling	BES	8 Hrs. Total	Mental Health
Rani Rhodes	After School Model	BES	40 Hrs. Total	General
Jason Johnson	After School Model	BHS	36 Hrs. Total	Safety
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B. Personnel

1. Resignations, Retirements, Transfers, Status Changes, Appointments, Substitutes, and Volunteers (CONTINGENT UPON VERIFICATION OF QUALIFICATIONS AND BACKGROUND REVIEW)

APPOINTMENT		
Sandra Anders	Food Service Worker 7 Hours at TES	10/28/2024
Jessica Velez	Mental Health Counselor at DO	11/1/2024
TRANSFER		
April Gerry	From: Finance Officer at DO To: School Secretary at BHS	10/23/2024
Lindsay Legler	From: Assistant Principal at BHS To: Principal at THS	10/30/2024
Jennifer Terry	From: School Board Secretary at DO To: Special Programs Specialist at DO	11/20/2024
Bronna Sheffield	From: Operations Specialist at M/T/O To: School Board Secretary at DO	11/20/2024
RESIGNATION		
Kailee Galliford	Special Programs Specialist at DO	10/17/2024
Sandra Branson	Bus Aide at TES	10/21/2024
Cheri Langford	Principal at THS	10/29/2024
LOA		
Emily Andriaccio	Educational	11/6/24-11/22/24

C. Agreements/Amendments/Contracts:

1. Palm Beach State College MOU
2. Transportation Agreement

D. Out of Field Teachers

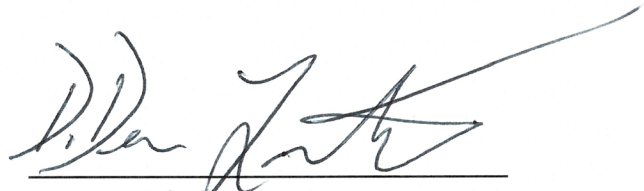
Susan Owens seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous for approval.

REPORTS

Dr. James Surrency, Superintendent, thanked the Board for their approval of the new school. Lisa Barry, Director of Secondary Education, reported to the Board that the Florida Partnership Grant was received by the district and will provide a lot of much needed tutoring for the high schools. Susan Owens thanked the district for painting the gym at Bell High School. Christie McElroy thanked Dr. Surrency for all that he has done for the Gilchrist County School District. Ms. McElroy reported to the Board that the Soccer Booster Renewal was received in the mail.

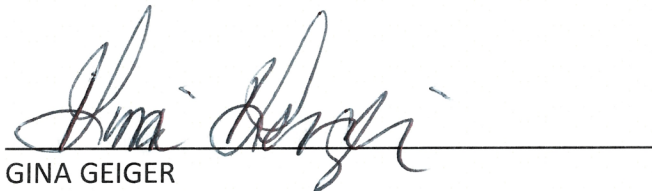
ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Board adjourned at 5:15 PM.



DEEN LANCASTER
CHAIR TO THE BOARD

ATTEST:



GINA GEIGER
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

SCHOOL BOARD
APPROVED
11/19/24
Date