

**Virtual
Regular Board Meeting
July 14, 2026**

Present: Davidson, Gaster, Ortiz, Rummel, Womack, Rawson, Dossenbach,
Britt, Kelly, Eggers, Clarke, Duffey, Jones, Jordan, Alverson, Coldren,
Hughes, Measamer, Regan,

Absent: Hooker

I. The Lee County Board of Education was called to order Chairman Sherry Womack.

II. Closed Session

Motion: Davidson

Second: Rummel

Action: Carried Unanimously

I move that the Lee County Board of Education go into closed session under NCGS 143-318.11(a)(1), (a)(3), (a)(6); to discuss confidential student information under NCGS 115C-402; to discuss confidential personnel information under NCGS 115C-319 and 115C-321; and to consult with the Board's attorney and maintain the attorney-client privilege.

Motion: Davidson

Second: Ortiz

Action: Carried Unanimously

I move that the Lee County Board of Education come out of closed session.

III. Approval of Agenda-7/14/2026

Motion: Rummel

Second: Ortiz

Action: Carried Unanimously

I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the 7/14/2026 agenda.

IV. Approval of Minutes-RBM-6/9/2026; Student Transfer Appeal Hearings-6/25/2026, 7/7/2026

Motion: Rummel

Second: Gaster

Action: Carried Unanimously

I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the 6/9/2026, 6/25/2026, and 7/7/2026 minutes.

V. Committee Reports-Sherry Womack

1. Operations Committee-Alan Rummel

June 23, 2026

Received an update on the LCS Transportation Facility and the summer projects. Reviewed the state-wide facility needs survey, the exceptional children services contracts, the SLHS football field lighting quotes, and the Surry Insurance renewals.

Next meeting-July 28, 2026, 4pm, Assembly Room, Heins Education Building.

VI. Action Items

A. Approval of Consent Agenda

Motion: Rummel

Second: Davidson

Action: Carried Unanimously I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the Consent Agenda:

1. Fundraisers
2. Financial Statements
3. State-Wide Facility Needs Survey
4. Pubic Consulting Group, LLC Contract
5. 2026-2027 Exceptional Children Services Contracts
6. SLHS Football Field Lighting Bid
7. Surry Insurance Renewals-workers compensation, cyber liability

B. No Unfinished Business

C. New Business

1. Board Policies-second reading

Motion: Gaster

Second: Rummel

Action: Carried Unanimously

I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the second reading of Policy 3320-School Trips.

2. Budget Amendments

Motion: Rummel

Second: Gaster

Action: Carried Unanimously

I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the state public school funds budget amendment, the capital outlay fund budget amendment, the school food service budget amendment, and the Fund 8/local restricted fund budget amendment.

3. Personnel

Motion: Ortiz

Second: Gaster

Action: Carried Unanimously

I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the administrator two-year contract, and the Human Resources Report.

VII. Adjourn

Motion: Gaster

Second: Rummel

Action: Carried Unanimously I move to adjourn.

Sherry Lynn Womack, Chairman

Christopher P. Dossenbach, Ed.D.
Secretary
Superintendent

Date July 14, 2026

AREA Human Resources

AGENDA ITEM(S) Personnel Information

CONTACT PERSON(S) Patricia Coldren, Executive Director Human Resources

Agenda Report

In accordance with General Statutes 115C-287.1(b), upon the recommendation of the superintendent the initial contract between a school administrator and a local board of education shall be for two to four years. In the case of a subsequent contract between a principal or assistant principal and a local board of education, the contract shall be for a term of four years.

Recruitment and Selection of Personnel – Policy 7100

Suggested Motion- I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the following contract:
two year contract

ADMINISTRATOR CONTRACT

ADMINISTRATOR RECOMMENDATION FOR TWO YEAR CONTRACT –
August 4, 2026-June 30, 2028

<u>ADMINISTRATOR</u>	<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>
Jasmine Chick	Assistant Principal	Southern Lee High School

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Recruitment and Selection of Personnel – Policy 7100

Suggested Motion- I move that the Lee County Board of Education approve the Human Resources Report

Personnel Agenda
July 14, 2026

Action

1. Certified Personnel Hires

Austin Francis (Current TA)	TA To Teacher Substitute, B. T. Bullock Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Nicole Spencer (17 yrs. exp.)	School Counselor, Bragg Street (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Patrick Monaghan (21 yrs. exp.)	Exceptional Children Teacher, Broadway Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Ashley Mercado (10 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, Deep River Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Andrea Edmundson (0 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, Deep River Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Tracy Weber (22 yrs. exp.)	School Psychologist, District Wide (effective 8/3/26-6/30/27)
Laura Roberts (9 yrs. exp.)	Science Teacher, East Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Hannah Daniels (0 yrs. exp.)	TA To Teach Substitute, East Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Michael Beck (10 yrs. exp.)	Math Teacher, East Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Jasmin Ramirez Sanchez (0 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, Greenwood Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Lorie Valente Go (13 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Misty Khan (4 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Rejeana Gray (Current TA)	TA To Teacher Substitute, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Rhonda Gwyn (12 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Mary Willoughby (14 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, J.R. Ingram Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Barbara Persigo (25 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, J.R. Ingram Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Nelly Cherop Komen (12 yrs. exp.)	Science Teacher, Lee County High School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Stephanie Jordan (Current TA)	TA To Teacher Substitute, Lee County High School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)

Lucas Toni (3 yrs. exp.)	Social Studies Teacher, Lee County High School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Debus Ambehi (12 yrs. exp.)	Math Teacher, Lee County High School (effective TBD-6/30/27)
Emily Wall (2 yrs.exp.)	Theatre Arts Teacher, Lee County High School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Sundee Patil (15 yrs. exp.)	Exceptional Children Teacher, Southern Lee High School (effective TBD-6/30/27)
Joel County (32 yrs. exp.)	CTE-Technology Engineering& Design Education-Academy of Engineering, Southern Lee High School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Jordan Harper (12 yrs. exp.)	Advanced Teacher Role, W. B. Wicker, Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Alyssa Smith (0 yrs. exp.)	K-5 Teacher, W. B. Wicker Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Elizabeth Suther (Current TA)	TA To Teach Substitute, West Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Akaya Bryan (3 yrs. exp.)	Science Teacher, West Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Katelyn Williams (10 yrs. exp.)	School Counselor, West Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)

2. Classified Personnel Hires

Jessica Haithcox	School Nurse, Bragg Street, Lee Early College, Warren Williams (effective TBD-6/30/27)
Hailey Street	Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, East Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Theresa Corbin	Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, Greenwood Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Elizabeth Stephens	Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, J.R. Ingram Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Yanelis Hernandez	Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, Tramway Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Tonia McGill	Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, Tramway Elementary School (effective TBD-6/30/27)
Ronald McDougald Jr.	Custodian/Bus Driver, W. B. Wicker Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)
Jaquez Smith	Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, W. B. Wicker Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-6/30/27)

3. Non-Renewal/Terminations

4. Substitute Teacher Hires

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5. Substitute Child Nutrition Assistant Hires
 6. Substitute Bus Drivers
 7. Substitute Custodians
 8. Substitute School Nurse
 9. Activity Bus Driver Hires
 10. Leave of Absence (Non-FMLA)

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FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Suggested Motion-

For Information Only

Information

1. Resignation

Danielle Jennings	Custodian PT, B. T. Bullock Elementary School (effective 5/29/26)
Davis Tatum	K-5 Teacher, B. T. Bullock Elementary School (effective 6/16/26)
Tibu Purnell	Social Worker, B. T. Bullock Elementary School (effective 6/29/26)
Hugh Tullner III	School Counselor, Bragg Street Academy (effective 7/10/26)
Jorge Zuluaga Urrea	English As Second Language Teacher, Deep River Elementary School (effective 6/11/26)
Ella McGilveary	Child Nutrition Assistant PT, District Wide (effective 5/22/26)
Becky Chavez	Math Teacher, East Lee Middle School (effective 6/23/26)
Jessica Starks	Math Teacher, East Lee Middle School (effective 6/23/26)
Cindy Gray	Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, Floyd L. Knight (effective 5/29/26)
Tara Pioth	Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, Greenwood Elementary School (effective 6/29/26)
Jessica Hill	K-5 Teacher, Greenwood Elementary School (effective 6/10/26)
Nicolette Price	Child Nutrition Assistant Manager, Greenwood Elementary School (effective 7/6/26)
Kayleen Palma Sanchez	K-5 Teacher, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 6/29/26)
Jaylynn Mess	K-5 Teacher, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 6/16/26)
Sophia Cooper	Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, J. R. Ingram Elementary School (effective 7/9/26)
Sean Jeffries	Theatre Arts Teacher, Lee County High School (effective 6/15/26)
Angela Raley	Testing Coordinator/FAFSA/CTE Credential Tracking, Lee County High School (effective 6/24/26)
Shannon Monteiro	Math Teacher, Lee County High School (effective 7/6/26)

Harlena Kershaw	Child Nutrition Manager, SanLee Middle School (effective 6/22/26)
Amanda Davis	Math Teacher, Southern Lee High School (effective 6/15/26)
Misty Proctor	K-5 Teacher, W. B. Wicker Elementary School (effective 6/29/26)
Jessica Blackmon	Administrative Intern, West Lee Middle School (effective 7/6/26)
Sarah Austin	School Counselor, West Lee Middle School (effective 7/9/26)
2. Retirement	
Kelly Jones	Assistant Finance Officer, Central Office (effective 8/31/26)
Torrie Pennington	Exceptional Children Teacher, Southern Lee High School (effective 6/30/26)
3. Leave of Absence (FMLA/Military)	
Janice Gittman	Child Nutrition Assistant/Bus Driver, Child Nutrition Department (effective 8/4/26-8/19/26)
Emily Harris	Math Teacher, SanLee Middle School (effective 8/4/26-11/2/26)
Rebekah Davis	Health/Physical Education Teacher, Southern Lee High School (effective 8/4/26-10/2/26)
Kayla Warren	Curriculum Specialist, W. B. Wicker Elementary School (effective 8/4/26-9/29/26)
4. Change of Status	
Tommy Boggs	From: Head Custodian 12 Months, Warren Williams To: Head Custodian 11 Months, Warren Williams (effective 7/1/26)
5. Change of Assignment	
Whitney Burgess	From: K-5 Teacher, B. T. Bullock Elementary School To: Exceptional Children Teacher, Southern Lee High School (effective 8/4/26)
Yesenia Wicker	From: TA To Teach Substitute, B. T. Bullock Elementary School To: Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, B. T. Bullock Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Patricia Sellers	From: TA To Teach Substitute, B. T. Bullock Elementary School To: Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, B. T. Bullock Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Melissa Stec	From: K-5 Teacher, Deep River Elementary School To: Literacy Intervention Specialist, Deep River Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Tammy Marsh	From: Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, Floyd L. Knight To: Exceptional Children Assistant Adult Support/Bus Driver, East Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26)

Opehilia Dawn Godfrey	From: Head Custodian, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School To: Custodian/Bus Driver, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 7/1/26)
Michelle Dell	From: Child Nutrition Assistant/Bus Driver, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School To: Child Nutrition Assistant Manager, Tramway Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Andrea Johnson	From: Instructional Assistant/Bus Driver, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School To: Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, J. Glenn Edwards Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Jennifer Koneski	From: K-5 Teacher, J.R. Ingram Elementary School To: Advanced Teaching Role, J.R. Ingram Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Angela Watson	From: Math Teacher, Lee County High School To: Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, Lee County High School (effective 8/4/26)
April Whitaker	From: Child Nutrition Assistant Manger, Lee County High School To: Child Nutrition Manager, SanLee Middle School (effective 8/4/26)
Nicolette Price	From: Child Nutrition Assistant Manager, Tramway Elementary School To: Child Nutrition Assistant Manager, Greenwood Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Stanley Brault	From: TA To Teacher Substitute, W. B. Wicker Elementary School To: Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, W. B. Wicker Elementary School (effective 8/4/26)
Gina Guerrero	From: Assistant Principal, West Lee Middle School To: Assistant Principal, Southern Lee High School (effective 8/4/26)
Michaela Cotton	From: TA To Teacher Substitute, West Lee Middle School To: Exceptional Children Assistant/Bus Driver, West Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26)
Sierra Lee	From: TA To Teacher Substitute, West Lee Middle School To: Instructional Assistant-ISS/Bus Driver, West Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26)
Angela Parker-Chambers	From: Instructional Assistant-BIP/Bus Driver, West Lee Middle School To: Instructional Assistant-Media/Bus Driver, West Lee Middle School (effective 8/4/26)

6. Volunteer Coach

(Employee: Certified, Classified with Stipend)

7. Volunteer Coach with Stipend (Non-Employee)

8. Volunteer Coach (No Stipend)