



October 8, 2015

Opening

Chairman Redding called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance.

Following a moment of silence led by Chairman Redding, Muaiz, Hamza, Malayka, and Mahinoor, students at Guy B. Teachey Elementary, led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Board unanimously approved the meeting agenda.

Special Recognition and Presentations

Chairman Redding recognized Steve Jones for his dedicated service to the Board of Education, administrators, staff, and students of Asheboro City Schools. A plaque was presented to him in honor of his 20 years of service from December 1995 to October 2015. He was also presented with a copy of the book, “60 Years of Orioles Magic.” A copy of this book has also been donated to Asheboro High School in Mr. Jones’ honor.

The Board of Education’s spotlight featured Guy B. Teachey Elementary School. Principal Day, Assistant Principal McHenry, staff, students, parents and the community are establishing a positive culture of readers at Teachey Elementary. A short video was shown highlighting several reading initiatives that promote and motivate student readers.

Brian Saunders, principal of South Asheboro Middle School, was recognized as the Asheboro City Schools’ 2015-2016 Principal of the Year.

Public Comments

Chairman Redding opened the floor to public comments; no one signed up to address the Board.

Consent Agenda

The following items under the Consent Agenda were approved:

- *Approval of Minutes – September 10, 2015
- *Budget Amendments - CE-01 and CO-01
- *Randolph Community College Articulation Agreement with Asheboro City Schools
- *Discard Items
- *Asheboro High School Overnight Field Trip Request - New York, New York
- *Personnel
- *Charles W. McCrary Overnight Field Trip Request - Camp Caraway, Asheboro, NC

RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS/SEPARATIONS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL/SUBJECT</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE</u>
Deaton, Amanda	GBT/4th Grade	10/30/15
Haynor, James	CO/Bus Driver	9/25/15
Snipes, Paul “Danny”	CO/Bus Driver	9/25/15
Zhang, Ying	AHS/Chinese	10/2/15

APPOINTMENTS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL/SUBJECT</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE</u>
Beck, Kristine	BAL/4th Grade	11/2/15
Clark, Derek	CO/Sub. Bus Driver	9/21/15
Cox, Robbie	SAMS/Non-faculty Coach (Softball)	9/2/15
Haithcock, Carissa	AHS/Non-faculty Coach (Girls Soccer)	1/21/16
Holden, Sara	NAMS/English Lang. Arts	9/29/15
Johnson, Perez	CO/Sub. Bus Driver	9/21/15
Marbert, Leigh Anna	CO/Public Information Officer	9/29/15
Richau, Steve	SAMS/Non-faculty Coach (Football)	9/21/15
Runnfeldt, Andrew	SAMS/Non-faculty Coach (Boys Basketball)	10/21/15
Thornburg, Zachary	CO/Sub. Bus Driver	9/21/15
Kipe, Galen	CO/Technician	10/12/15
Robbins, William	AHS/Guidance	10/21/15
Williams, Cody	CO/Bus Driver	10/7/15
Zhao, Dandan	AHS/Chinese	10/26/15

Information, Reports and Recommendations

As part of the development of the 2016-2021 Strategic Plan, Superintendent Worrell shared the current vision and mission statement as well as a new proposal for the vision and mission statement. Members of the Board provided their input. A proposed vision and mission statement will be presented for board approval at its November 12, 2015, meeting.

Dr. Maerz presented, for 30-day review, the following policies:

- Policy 2110 – Board Member Elections
- Policy 2610 – Board Attorney
- Policy 5024/6127/7266 – Emergency Epinephrine Auto-Injector Devices

- Policy 6230 – School Meal and Competitive Foods Standards
- Policy 6510 – Organization of Equipment, Materials, and Supplies Services
- Policy 6520 – Use of Equipment, Materials, and Supplies
- Policy 6521 – Personal Use of Equipment, Materials, and Supplies
- Policy 6522 – Use of Equipment, Materials, and Supplies by Non-School Groups

Dr. Rice updated the Board on the calendar process and legislation requirements. A Calendar Committee will be selected to revise the calendar for school year 2016-2017 and create the school calendar for 2017-2018. The proposed calendars will be presented to the Board for approval at the December 10, 2015, Board Meeting.

Action Items

Following a 30-day review, board members unanimously approved the following board policies:

- Policy 2130 – Board Member Compensation and Expenses
- Policy 4110 – Immunization Requirements for School Admission

Administrators and members of the School Leadership Teams from Balfour Elementary, Charles W. McCrary Elementary, Donna Lee Loflin Elementary, Guy B. Teachey Elementary, and Lindley Park Elementary schools presented Continuous Improvement Plans highlighting the schools’ goals for the 2015-2016 school year. The Board unanimously approved the plans as presented.

Superintendent’s Report/Calendar of Events

Carla Freemyer shared the Calendar of Events highlighting the following dates and events: Powder Puff football game, October 13; Homecoming bonfire and football game, October 16; and Asheboro City Schools’ Strategic Planning Team meeting, October 23.

Superintendent Worrell presented an update on the 2015-2016 Asheboro City Schools’ Strategic Plan goals.

Superintendent Worrell shared information with the Board on the Advanced Placement Capstone Diploma that will be implemented for the 2016-2017 school year. The AP Capstone Diploma is an indicator to colleges that recipients have engaged in a rigorous course of study and serves as an externally validated measure of student ability and college readiness.

Board Operations

Chairman Redding appointed a Nominating Committee to search for a candidate to replace Steve Jones as he has resigned from the Board due to job obligations.

Board members appointed are:

- Linda Cranford
- Gus Agudelo
- Gidget Kidd
- Jane Redding, ex officio
- Kyle Lamb, ex officio

The application will be available at the Board of Education office as well as on the Asheboro City Schools’ website. Interviews for prospective members will be conducted November 5-10, and the recommended candidate will be announced at the November 12 Board Meeting.

Chairman Redding informed the Board that the Asheboro City Schools’ Digital Learning Expo program has been submitted to the North Carolina School Boards Association for the Excellence in Educational Programs award.

Chairman Redding reminded members of the Board of the following important dates:

- Tuesday, October 13, Powder Puff Football Game, 7:00 p.m., Lee J. Stone Stadium
- October 14-16, NCSBA Fall Law Conference, Asheville, North Carolina
- Thursday, October 15, Homecoming Bonfire, 7:00 p.m. Asheboro High School
- Friday, October 16, Homecoming, 7:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, October 20, Middle School Super Tuesday, 4:00 p.m., Lee J. Stone Stadium
- Tuesday, October 20, Asheboro High School Parent Meeting, 6:45 p.m., Asheboro High School Media Center
- Friday, October 23, Strategic Planning Team Meeting, 11:45 a.m., Professional Development Center
- Friday, October 30, Board Members Work Concession Stand for Football Game, 6:00 p.m.
- Thursday, November 5, Strategic Planning Team Meeting, 11:45 a.m., Professional Development Center
- Thursday, November 12, Board of Education Meeting
- November 16 – 20, American Education Week
- November 16 – 18, NCSBA Annual Conference, Koury Convention Center, Greensboro, North Carolina
- Wednesday, December 9, Senior Holiday Luncheon, 11:45 A.M., Loflin Elementary
- Thursday, December 10, Board of Education Meeting
- Tuesday, December 15, 3:45 p.m., Advanced Placement Tea Reception, Asheboro High School Media Center
- Wednesday, January 13, Middle School District Science Fair, (Awards Ceremony at noon), North Asheboro Middle School
- January 14-15, 2016, School Board 101 for New Board of Education Members, NCSBA, Raleigh, NC
- Thursday, January 21, Board of Education Meeting

- Saturday, January 30, Winter Board Retreat, Professional Development Center
- February 7-10, AdvancED (Southern Association of Colleges and Schools) Five-year Reaccreditation Visit
- Thursday, February 11, Board of Education Meeting
- Thursday, March 10, Board of Education Meeting
- Wednesday, March 23, Digital Expo, Asheboro High School
- April 8-11, 2016, National School Board Conference, Boston, MA (**Registration opens October 21, 2015**)
- Thursday, April 21, Board of Education Meeting

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:41 p.m.

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