

**Jasper City Board of Education
Board Briefs**

August 22, 2011

The Jasper City Board of Education met on August 22, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. in the boardroom at the Central Office.

The first item presented to the Board on the agenda was the proposed 2011-2012 budget for the district. Chief School Financial Officer Monique Rector gave a report explaining the various exhibits that composed the budget. Copies of the proposed budget were made available to the public, and comments and questions were taken from the board members as well as members of the public in attendance. Dr. Sparkman commended Mrs. Rector and staff for their hard work on the budget. The second budget hearing will be on Monday, August 29, 2011 at 5:00 p.m.

Chief School Financial Officer Monique Rector presented the financial report as of July 31, 2011. She reported that the balance in the General Fund was \$5,026,291.96 and the balance in the Capital Projects Fund was \$5,779,752.28. Mrs. Rector also presented the Board with the bank reconciliation report including the local school accounts. City and county sales tax figures were also reported. The reports were unanimously approved.

Superintendent Robert Sparkman recommended adoption of a motion to approve the roofing bid for Songer Gymnasium. The roof was damaged during a hail storm in March 2011. The motion carried.

Dr. Sparkman recommended adoption of a motion to approve the following overnight field trips for Walker High School:

1. Boys and girls cross country teams to attend the Mobile Cross Country Challenge of Champions on September 9-10, 2011.
2. JROTC for Walker High School to attend Adventure Training-White Water Rafting on September 17, 2011 in Ducktown Tennessee.

The motion was unanimously approved.

Superintendent Sparkman then recommended adoption of a motion to approve the consortium bids for the child nutrition program for the district. The board approved the motion unanimously.

The personnel report was approved.

With no other business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned.