

**Jackson County Board of Education  
Minutes of Special-Called Work Session  
Sylva, North Carolina  
Central Office**

398 Hospital Road, Sylva

November 08, 2022

5:00 p.m.

The Jackson County Board of Education met in a Special Called Work Session at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 08, 2022, at the Board of Education Administrative Office Board Room, 398 Hospital Road, Sylva, NC. The following members were present:

Elizabeth Cooper, Chairperson  
Wes Jamison, Vice Chairperson  
Abigail Clayton  
Kim Moore  
Dr. Lynn Dillard

Also present were Dr. Dana L. Ayers, Superintendent; Jacob Buchanan, Deputy Superintendent; Teri Walawender, Director of Human Resources; Jeremiah Jackson, Chief Technology Officer; Ashley Leonard, School Board Attorney; and Cora Fields, Board Assistant.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chairperson Elizabeth Cooper called the business meeting to order.

Mrs. Cooper led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

*Upon a motion by Mr. Wes Jamison and seconded by Mrs. Kim Moore, the board voted unanimously to approve the Agenda.*

**WORK SESSION**

Dr. Dana L. Ayers, Superintendent, and Mrs. Kristie Walker, Chief Financial Officer, gave a very informative presentation covering sources of revenue, unfunded mandates, dollar allotments, position allotments, charter school allocations, general fund budgets, budget amendments, operating revenues, capital funding, state, federal and local funding sources, and restrictions for usage of the various funds.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**The next regularly scheduled business meeting of the Board of Education is November 15, 2022, at 6:00 p.m., at Blue Ridge School and Early College, 95 Bobcat Drive, Cashiers, North Carolina.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no objection, Acting Chairperson Elizabeth Cooper adjourned the meeting at 6:20 p.m.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper, Chairperson

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Dr. Dana L. Ayers, Secretary