



Clayton County Board of Education
Board Meeting
February 7, 2022
6:00 PM

1058 Fifth Avenue
Jonesboro, GA 30236

Committed to High Performance

Members Present: Ms. Jessie Goree (Chair), Mr. Benjamin Straker (Vice-Chair), Ms. Mary Baker, Ms. Jasmine Bowles (via ZOOM), Mr. Mark Christmas, Ms. Joy Tellis Cooper, Dr. Dee Haney, Ms. Sabrina Hill, Ms. Victoria Williams and Dr. Morcease Beasley (Superintendent)

Summary

Executive Session (5:30PM - 6:00PM / Closed to the Public)

Purpose: Personnel matters

Motion Made: For the Board to enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing personnel matters.

Motion: Mr. Christmas

Second: Ms. Baker

Vote: Unanimous

I. Call to Order

Ms. Goree called the meeting to order at 5:30 to enter into executive session.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

Led by Jennifer Martinez-Perez from Mundy's Mill High School

III. Ethics Statement

Read by Ms. Goree

IV. Public Participation

April Woodard signed up to speak regarding night school and p cards

V. Board Recognitions

The Superintendent and Members of the Board recognized the following:

- Hunger Champion Award presented to Dr. Beasley and CCPS from the Atlanta Food Bank, Kyle Waide
- 2021 Georgia's Governor's Honors Program Participants
 - Riquardo Blankson
 - Tiffany Pham
 - Romiluyi Oluwafeyisayo
 - Antoinette Robinson
 - Jalil Blash
 - Kazah Dixon
 - Nyla Jones
 - David Nguyen
 - Atasha Wedemond
 - Alaija Jones
 - Uyen Le
 - Phong-Quyen Nguyen
- First Inspire Robotic Lego League Participants (Students from 7 Pillars Academy)
 - Jovan Manning

- Zion Thomas
- Brandon Reyes-Corona
- Lathon Parker
- Iasiah Simpson
- Zion Ponder
- Kaden Merrill
- Malachi Atwater
- Madison Arnold
- Sharon Daniel
- Christina Guillen
- PBIS Verzuz Winning Schools
 - Riverdale Elementary - 1st place
 - Kilpatrick Elementary - 2nd place
 - Hawthorne Elementary - 3rd place
 - North Clayton Middle - 1st place
 - Riverdale Middle - 2nd place
 - Jonesboro Middle - 3rd place
 - Elite Scholars Academy - 1st place
 - Jonesboro High - 2nd place
 - Lovejoy High - 3rd place
- Miracle on Gardenwalk
 - Riverdale Elementary and Helping Hands Ending Hunger sponsored give-away for 250 families.
- Stop the Violence Video Contest
 - Solicitor General Charles Brooks
 - Major Reynard Walker
 - Dr. Dee Haney
- Tammy Walker - a donation to support the Clothes Closet at North Clayton High School
- Rodney Hackney - continued excellence as the Head Football Coach at Riverdale High School earning a variety of top honors while leading the team to its second consecutive Regional Championship.
- National School Counseling Week - honored all school counselors with a proclamation.

VI. Executive Session Recommendations

The Board had no recommendations from tonight's executive session.

VII. Announcements

Mr. Straker provided announcements for the upcoming events.

VIII. Updates to the Board

The below topic update was provided by Ms. Regina Wallace.

- A. Black Lives Matter / Black History Month - A Week of Action

IX. Approval of Minutes

The below minutes were declared approved as submitted.

- A. Minutes - Board Work Session / Board Meeting January 3, 2022

X. The Consent Agenda (for action)

Prior to approval of the consent agenda item C. was pulled for a separate vote

Motion Made: For the Board to approve the consent agenda as submitted with the exception of item C - purchasing report.

Motion Mr. Christmas

Second: Mr. Straker

Vote: Unanimous

- A. Financial Report

- B. SPLOST Revenue Report

C. Purchasing Report

Motion Made: For the Board to approve the purchasing report as submitted.

Motion: Ms. Hill

Second: Ms. Baker

Vote: 7-Yes, 1-No, 1-Abstain.

D. SPLOST Construction Report

E. Personnel Changes Report

XI. Board Matters

A. Policy Series D - First Read

Members of the Board had a discussion regarding Policy Series D.

XII. The Business Agenda (for action)

XIII. Adjournment

Adjourned at 7:23 PM

NOTE: This is a summary of the February 7, 2022 Board Meeting of the Clayton County Board of Education. The official minutes will be voted on at the next regular business meeting of the Board and will be made available to the public thereafter.