

Board Briefs

School District Five of Lexington & Richland Counties

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Synopses of meetings of the Board of Trustees of School District Five of Lexington and Richland Counties are provided for your information by the Office of Community Services.

March 28, 2011

At the March 28, 2011 school board meeting, the following took place:

- The school board unanimously approved a four-year superintendent's contract for Dr. Stephen Hefner. Hefner will be paid an annual salary of \$186,000.
- An update on the cost of the lawsuit brought by Kim Murphy, *Murphy vs. School District Five of Lexington and Richland Counties and DHEC*, was provided. As of March 23, 2011, the estimated cost of the lawsuit exceeds \$1.63 million.
- A monthly construction update was provided.
- Approval was given to revisions to board policy BEDG "Minutes of Board Meetings."
- Final approval was provided to JICA and JICA-R "Student Dress," JICF "Secret Societies/Gang Activity," JICFA "Hazing" JICFAA "Harassment, Intimidation or Bullying" and JICA "Weapons in School."
- The board discussed board policy ADF "School Wellness." The final approval of this policy was tabled until the next meeting.
- First reading approval was provided for revisions to board policy JICDA-R "Code of Conduct."
- First reading approval was given to the [2011-12 Capital Projects Budget](#).
- The board voted to cancel the meeting scheduled for Monday, April 11, 2011.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the school board will be Monday, April 28, 2011 at 7 p.m. at the district administration building. The public is invited and encouraged to attend.