

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.

April 29, 2019

At the April 29, 2019 school board meeting the following took place:

Vice Chairman Hutchison called the meeting to order and gave welcoming remarks.

The Invocation was given by Ken Loveless, board member. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Armani Moses, co-student body president and Owen Kammerer, vice president student body.

The Board conducted the School Board Spotlight.

A welcome and brief overview of Harbison West Elementary School was given by Ed Davis, Principal.

During the Superintendent's Report, a presentation on TIP was given by Tamara Turner, Nicole Skeen, Ashlee Lewis, Dr. Cindy VanBuren and Dr. Tommy Hodges; and a presentation on PDS-D was given by Michael Guliano and Dr. Shelly Curcio, University of South Carolina.

During the public participation, Bruce Loveless spoke regarding drug testing; and Jeremy King spoke regarding food allergies at Chapin Elementary School.

Action Agenda – the following items were presented:

Action as Necessary or Appropriate on Matters Discussed in Executive Session: a) selected employment items (Exhibit A); and c) update from counsel and receipt of legal advice regarding Case No. 2013-CP-40-01897.

Second and final reading of proposed revisions to board policy GBEC "Drug and Alcohol Free Schools/Workplace" and GBEC-E "Notice to Employees" (Exhibit D).

First reading of proposed revisions to board policy IHAE "Physical Education" (Exhibit E).

First reading of proposed revisions to board policy IKF "Graduation Requirements" (Exhibit F).

First reading of proposed General Fund Budget FY 2019-2020 (Exhibit G).

Discussion Agenda – the following items were presented:

Mike Gallagher gave a presentation on options for bond issuance and debt service repayment.

