

The Rabun County Board of Education met in Regular Session on Thursday, September 21, 2023 at 5:30 p.m. in the conference room of the Rabun County Board of Education Administrative Building in Tiger.

The following Board Members were present: Steven Cabe, Molly Lima, Scott Horton, Allyn Stockton and Mark Beck. Others present were: Superintendent Childers, administrators, press and guests.

The invocation was given by Mark Beck.

The tentative agenda was as follows:

- I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
- II. INVOCATION
- III. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- V. PRINCIPALS' REPORTS
- VI. RECOGNITION OF EMPLOYEES OF THE MONTH – MATT REMILLARD
- VII. APPROVE MINUTES FROM THE AUGUST 17, 2023 REGULAR BOARD MEETING
- VIII. FINANCIAL REPORTS - CINDI DEAN
 - a. REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR AUGUST, 2023
 - b. SALES TAX AND COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST, 2023
 - c. SCHOOL NUTRITION AND CACFP REPORTS FOR AUGUST, 2023
- IX. RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE THE ATTACHED SURPLUS ITEMS (SEE HANDOUT)
- X. RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE THE ADDITIONAL AFTERSCHOOL STAFF FOR 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR
- XI. DIRECTORS' REPORTS
- XII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT – ITEMS OF INTEREST
- XIII. ADJOURN

****EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The tentative agenda was approved by unanimous consent of the Board.

A motion was made by Mark Beck, seconded by Allyn Stockton and unanimously passed to approve the minutes from the Regular Session of the August 17, 2023 Board Meeting.

A motion was made by Molly Lima, seconded by Allyn Stockton and unanimously passed to approve the revenues and expenditures for August, 2023.

Upon recommendation from Superintendent Childers, a motion was made by Mark Beck, seconded by Allyn Stockton and unanimously passed to approve the surplus list (see attached).

Upon recommendation from Superintendent Childers, a motion was made by Mark Beck, seconded by Molly Lima and unanimously passed to approve additional afterschool staff for the 2023-2024 school year.

A motion was made by Molly Lima, seconded by Mark Beck and unanimously passed to go from Regular Session to Executive Session.

The Superintendent and Board discussed personnel.

A motion was made by Allyn Stockton, seconded by Scott Horton and unanimously passed to go from Executive Session to Regular Session.

Upon recommendation from Superintendent Childers, a motion was made by Scott Horton, seconded by Molly Lima and unanimously passed to approve the following actions:

- Approve the Retirement from the following Classified Personnel:
 - a. Diane Cochran – Bus Driver, effective 1-01-24
 - b. Gail Allen – CO Accounts Payable Clerk, effective 5-31-24

- Approve the Resignation from the following Classified Personnel:
 - A. Katie Hibberts – RCPS Paraprofessional, effective 8-31-23
 - B. Amanda Beaver – School Nutrition Assistant, effective 9-18-23

- Employ the following Classified Personnel:
 - a. April Webb – RCPS Paraprofessional, effective 8-23-23, in addition to her full time bus driver position
 - b. Laura Webb – RCPS Paraprofessional, effective 9-15-23
 - c. April York-Bacon – RCHS Part-time Custodian, effective 9-15-23
 - d. Matthew Hicks – RCMS Custodian, effective 9-25-23, in addition to his full time bus driver position.

- Approve Extended Medical Leave for the following personnel:
 - a. Kendall Sorrow – RCMS Teacher, effective 8-28-23 through 10-09-23
 - b. Audrey Lawrence – RCPS Paraprofessional, effective 8-07-23 through 9-05-23

A motion was made by Molly Lima, seconded by Scott Horton and unanimously passed to adjourn.

Secretary

Chairman