

**ATHENS CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**March 18, 2021**  
**6:30 P.M. Athens Performing Arts Center**  
**Athens High School**

This meeting was conducted in full compliance with Alabama Code 13A-14-2 commonly referred to as the "Alabama Open Meeting Law". Present were approximately 27 members of the public. Mr. JR Tidwell was present from the Athens News Courier.

**CALL TO ORDER:** Russell Johnson – Board President called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. In the APAC at Athens High School.

**ROLL CALL:** Members Present: Jennifer Manville  
Shannon Hutton  
Tim Green  
James Lucas  
Russell Johnson, Board President  
Beverly Malone, Vice President  
Beth Patton, Superintendent  
Scott Henry

1. Mr. Johnson opened the meeting with prayer.
2. Mrs. Malone led the pledge of allegiance.
3. Mrs. Lucas moved that the board approve the agenda. Mrs. Manville seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous. Before voting on the agenda the motion was made to pull # 8 Ming Commercial Real Estate Group Contract and make it #10 on the Regular Agenda and #11 Adjournment. All were in agreement.
4. There was no public input.
5. Upon recommendation, Mr. Green moved that the board approve the items set forth in the consent agenda. Mr. Lucas seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

A. Consent Items Approved:

1. Approval of Minutes - February 22, 2021
2. Approval of Minutes - February 25, 2021
3. Financial Statements - February 2021
4. Paid Payables - February 2021
5. Personnel
6. Facility Use Request - Athens Limestone Tourism Association
7. Non-Resident Student Admissions

B. Personnel Items Approved:

- A. Employment
1. Connor Ezzell - Temporary Lawn Maintenance
  2. Olivia Rodriguez - System Wide Instructional Aide ACS

B. Resignation

1. Kasey Starnes - Latchkey Teacher at BES
2. Chrissy Rohn - Bus Driver ACS
3. Charles Burkett - Head Basketball Coach at AHS

C. Retirement

1. Angela Pettus - Math Teacher at AHS
2. Joyce Barnes - Science Teacher at AMS
3. Lori Thompson - Guidance Counselor at AES
4. Angie Willis - English Teacher at AHS

D. Long Term Substitute Pay

1. Erni Dutton - AHS

E. Contracted Services

1. Stacy Willoughby - Blended Teacher
2. Jeanne Keenum - Student Intervention

Kendore Training

1. Chelsie Calder
2. Nicole Collins
3. Katie Deen
4. Loraine Duncan
5. Katie Harbin
6. Kay Marsh
7. Jada McHalfey
8. Jessica Ortiz
9. Heather Patterson
10. Estphany Ruano
11. Bekah Smith
12. Toborsha Sweeney
13. Anna Wysock
14. Tiffany Wilbourn
15. Maddie Hobbs
16. Mike O'Rear - Shelter Coordinator

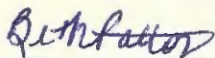
Blended Teachers

17. Sue Noah
18. Virginia Malone
19. Lisa Gill
20. Kerri Beth Owens
21. Sara Welcher
22. Holly Hargrove
23. Leslie Jennings
24. Lauren McCormick
25. James Horn
26. Courtney Barnes
27. Grace Newton
28. Daylee Downs
29. Alison Smith
30. Josh Fuqua
31. Beth Horn
32. Rachael Tuell
33. Jennifer Whitt
34. Casie Barksdale
35. Shannon Coppell
36. Don Bowling
37. Brandi Foster
38. Shaneka Wallace
39. Eddie Murphree

- 40. Bradley Willis
- 41. Terah Jones
- 42. Molly Lauderback

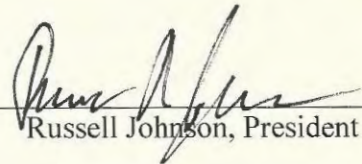
6. Mrs. Patton made the recommendation to enter an executive. The reason for executive session was to discuss the consideration that the school board is willing to offer or accept for the purchase, sale, lease, or market value of real property.
7. Mrs. Manville moved that the board enter into Executive Session. Mrs. Hutton seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.
8. Upon conclusion of the executive session Mr. Green moved that the board return to regular session. Mr. Henry seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.
9. Mrs. Manville moved that the board approve the recommendation from Mrs. Patton on Item #10 The Ming Commercial Real Estate Group Contract. Mr. Henry seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.
10. Superintendent's Report is attached.
11. Superintendent Beth Patton collected Affirmation Certificates from each member of the board of education in compliance with the School Board Governance Improvement Act of 2012. Pursuant to law, she has presented these certificates to be recorded in the minutes of the board of education and a copy of each is attached with the minutes.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business; the meeting adjourned at 7:16 p.m. on a motion by Mrs. Manville.



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Mrs. Beth Patton  
Superintendent



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Russell Johnson, President