

May 22, 2023

The Jasper City Board of Education met on May 22, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. at the Jasper High School Theater. Members present were Willie Moore, Walker Wilson, Teresa Sherer and Mary Beth Barber. Superintendent Dr. Ann Jackson was also in attendance. Scott Thornley was absent.

Chairperson Willie Moore called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. with the first item to be approved being the agenda. A motion to approve the agenda was made by Teresa Sherer, and a second given by Mary Beth Barber. The motion carried unanimously.

Willie Moore called for a motion to approve the May 18, 2023 board minutes. A motion to approve the board minutes was made by Mary Beth Barber and a second by Walker Wilson. Willie Moore abstained. The motion carried.

The Superintendent recommended adoption of a motion to approve the following personnel actions:

RESIGNATION

1. Approve the resignation of Patsy Stricklin as part-time Instructional Coach (ESSER) at Jasper Jr. High School, effective May 25, 2023.
2. Approve the resignation of Terry John (T.J.) Rock as physical education teacher at Maddox Intermediate School, effective May 25, 2023.

NON-RENEWAL/TERMINATION

3. Approve the non-renewal of employment for Sean Jaxson Kluesner as math teacher (ESSER) at Jasper High School, effective at the end of the 2022-2023 school year.

TRANSFERS

4. Approve the employment transfer of Michael Gordon from social studies teacher at Jasper High School to Jasper Jr. High School, effective August 2, 2023.

EMPLOYMENT

Approve the employment of Christopher Maurice Evans as substitute bus driver for the District, effective May 23, 2023.

A motion to approve the personnel report was made by Teresa Sherer, a second by Walker Wilson, and the motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Jackson and the Board proudly recognized and honored the following:

- Recognition of JHS Torch 1st Place (absent from last recognitions)
- Recognition of JHS Career Tech Awards
- Recognition of MIS Tech Team Awards
- Recognition of MIS & JJHS eCYBERMISSION Team Awards
- Recognition of JJHS Drone Team Awards

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- Recognition of Athletics – Swim, Basketball DME Elite, Women’s/Men’s Tennis, Softball, Indoor Track, Outdoor Track & Field, Bryant Jordan Scholar Athlete
- Recognition of JCS Nurses
- Recognition of Viking Health Clinic
- Recognition of CLAS Certified Instructional Leader

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve overnight and/or out-of-state trip request: JHS JROTC to Cadet Leadership Challenge in Columbiana, AL from June 9-12, 2023. A motion to approve the trip request was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve summer transportation for outside agencies requests/charges as presented. A motion to approve the summer transportation for outside agencies was made by Walker Wilson, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the district textbook disposal as presented for T.R. Simmons Elementary School and Maddox Intermediate School. A motion to approve the textbook disposal was made by Teresa Sherer, a second by Walker Wilson, and the motion carried.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the disposal of district surplus items as presented. A motion to approve the disposal of district surplus items was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.

Dr. Ann Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the community eligibility program as presented to pilot for the 2023-2024 school year and evaluated for sustainability in May 2024. A motion to approve the community eligibility program was made by Teresa Sherer, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried.

Superintendent Dr. Ann Jackson called upon Chief School Financial Officer, Monique Rector, to present the financial reports and bank reconciliations as follows:

- April 2023:
The General Fund had an ending balance of \$15,773,913.45.
The Special Revenue Fund had an ending balance of \$818,987.55.
The Capital Projects Fund had an ending balance of \$4,949,623.37.

All school bank accounts balanced without issues. A check register report was given outlining checks paid from April 1-30, 2023.

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Dr. Jackson called for the election of board officers for the 2023-2024 school year. Teresa Sherer made a motion for Willie Moore to continue as Chairperson and a second was given by Mary Beth Barber. Willie Moore abstained and the motion carried. Chairperson Willie Moore

made a motion for Teresa Sherer as Vice-Chairperson and a second was given by Walker Wilson. Teresa Sherer abstained and the motion carried.

With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned on a motion by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried.