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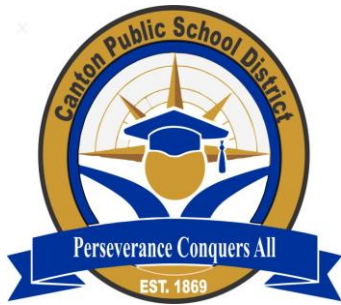
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**CANTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES'
REGULAR MEETING
Porter Middle School
551 Finney Road
Canton, MS 39046
July 21, 2021 – 5:30 P.M.**

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Invocation**
3. **Adoption of Agenda**
4. **Approval of Minutes of Meetings – June 08, 2021 (Regular Meeting) and June 29, 2021 (Special Called)**
5. **Public Comments (30 minutes' total) (N/A)**
6. **Acknowledgment/Presentations (15 minutes)**
7. **Superintendent's Report**
 - 7.1 Superintendent Updates
 - 7.2 Utility Report for June 2021 **(Exhibit 7.2)**
8. **Discussion / Action**
 - 8.1 Requesting board approval to open bids for Hunting & Fishing Contract, Section 16, Township 9 North, Range 1 East, containing 640.00 acres, more or less. Gary Lee Hawkins reserves the right to match high bid.
 - 8.2 Requesting board approval to open bids for Hunting & Fishing Contract, Section 16, Township 10 North, Range 3 East, containing 640.00 acres, more or less. Rimmer Covington reserves the right to match high bid.

**Canton Public School District
Mission Statement**

The mission of the Canton Public School District, with the full participation of parents and the total community, is to enable all students to become creative analytical thinkers, self-directed lifelong learners and effective communicators who are prepared to continue their education and/or enter the global workplace and to participate in society as responsible citizens.



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9. Financials

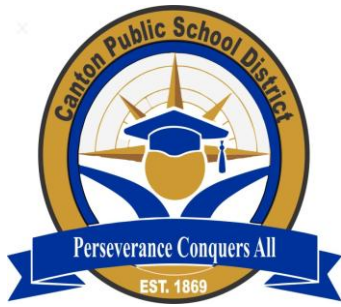
- 9.1 Approval of monthly Claims Docket #19430-19434 **(Exhibit 9.1)**
- 9.2 Approval/Ratify payment of Claims Docket #19345-19428 **(Exhibit 9.2)**
- 9.3 Approval/Ratify payment of Claims Docket #19429-19429 **(Exhibit 9.3)**
- 9.4 Approval/Ratify payment of Claims Docket #19435-19435 **(Exhibit 9.4)**
- 9.5 Activity Fund Report for June 2021 **(Exhibit 9.5)**
- 9.6 Financial Statements for June 2021 **(Exhibit 9.6)**
- 9.7 Requesting board approval of disposals for fixed assets. **(Exhibit 9.7)**

10. Agreements/Contracts/Proposals for Services:

- 10.1 Requesting board approval to extend contractual agreement with TEMCO for preventive measure with child nutrition to July 31, 2021, in the amount of \$1294.59. **(Exhibit 10.1)**
- 10.2 Requesting board approval of Memorandum of Understanding between Canton Public School District and G.A. Carmichael Family Health Center to provide physical health services as needed to students in Canton Public School District for 2021-22 SY. **(Exhibit 10.2)**
- 10.3 Requesting board approval of Canton Public School District and Region 8 to provide effective behavioral health and crisis intervention services to the students of Canton Public Schools District for 2021-22 SY. **(Exhibit 10.3)**
- 10.4 Requesting board approval of agreement between Canton High School Athletic Department and Mississippi Sports Medicine and Orthopaedic Center for Athletic Training, in the amount of \$20,000 to be paid through athletics. **(Exhibit 10.4)**

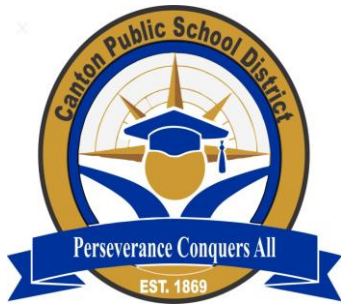
11. Consent Agenda

- 11.1 Requesting board approval to purchase 120 HP Chromebooks for the total amount of \$28,357.20 for Canton Elementary. **(Exhibit 11.1)**
- 11.2 Requesting board approval to purchase EL instructional materials from Teacher Created Material for the total amount of \$19,796.64. **(Exhibit 11.2)**
- 11.3 Requesting board approval for Kim Vanburen, Natonya Bouldin, Nicole Hendricks, Joni Whitehead and Lawanda Devine to attend ServSafe Class to renew their ServSafe Certification on July 26, 2021. **(Exhibit 11.3)**
- 11.4 Requesting board approval of the Employee Handbook for the 2021-2022 school year with any necessary additions or modifications. **(Exhibit 11.4)**



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- 11.5 Requesting board approval of the Student/Parent Handbook for the 2021-2022 school year with any necessary additions or modifications. **(Exhibit 11.5)**
- 11.6 Requesting board approval of the Pre-Kindergarten Parent and Student Handbook for the 2021-2022 school year with any necessary additions or modifications. **(Exhibit 11.6)**
- 11.7 Requesting board approval for the Athletic / Activities Medical Insurance Policy through Team Assure. **(Exhibit 11.7)**
- 11.8 Requesting board approval for the ACT to be administered to the juniors at Canton High School in Fall 2021. **(Exhibit 11.8)**
- 11.9 Requesting board approval for Nichols Middle, Porter Middle, Ninth Grade Academy and Canton High School to implement block scheduling for the 2021-2022 SY. **(Exhibit 11.9)**
- 11.10 Requesting board approval to pay a stipend of \$750.00 to Brangelia Brooks to conduct professional development for 6-8 teachers prior to the beginning of her contract date. **(Exhibit 11.10)**
- 11.11 Requesting board approval to pay Valerie Dillard to complete ESY folder updates for three days, not to exceed five hours a day in the amount of \$750.00 plus benefits. **(Exhibit 11.11)**
- 11.12 Requesting board approval to purchase Study Island Instructional software for Nichols Middle School in the amount of \$11,321.00. **(Exhibit 11.12)**
- 11.13 Requesting board approval to purchase ELA textbooks for Ninth Grade Academy in the amount of \$33,064.00. **(Exhibit 11.13)**
- 11.14 Requesting board approval to purchase middle school ELA textbooks for Nichols Middle and Huey Porter Middle School in the amount of \$137,055.48. **(Exhibit 11.14)**
- 11.15 Requesting board approval of Canton Public School District's 2021-2022 Instructional Handbook and Instructional Management Plan. **(Exhibit 11.15)**
- 11.16 Requesting board approval of Canton Public School District's 2021-2022 Dropout Prevention /Restructuring Plan. **(Exhibit 11.16)**



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11.17 Requesting board approval of revised Canton Public School District Athletic Supplements for the 2021-22 SY. Revisions are highlighted in yellow. **(Exhibit 11.17)**

11.18 Student Transfer(s) for 2021-22 SY:

Requesting board approval of the following student transfers from CPSD for 2021-22 SY:

11.18.1 **Cadman McQueen**, 3rd grade; **Eleanor McQueen**, 7th grade; and **Anne McQueen**, 10th grade – students' mother is employed as a Teacher for Madison County School District for the 2021-22 SY.

11.18.2 **Brayden Perritt**, 7th grade; **Emori Perritt** 4th grade – students' father is employed as a Principal for the Madison County School District for the 2021-22 SY.

11.18.3 **Emery Edwards**, 5th grade; **Jade Sullivan** 2nd grade – students' mother is employed with the MS Department of Transportation.

12. Personnel

Resignation(s)

12.1 **April Roberts**, Teacher Assistant at McNeal Elementary School, resigning effective 07/14/2021.

Reason: Personal

12.2 **Courtney Bershell**, Assistant Director of Business & Finance at CPSD Central Office, resigning effective 07/30/2021.

Reason: Personal

12.3 **Carmelia Collier**, Teacher Assistant at Canton High, resigning effective 07/30/2021.

Reason: Personal

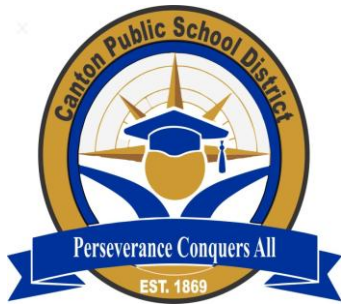
Employment

Canton Elementary

12.4 **Kasheife Foster**, recommended for Teacher for the period 08/03/2021 and ending 05/26/2022.

Replacing: Porshia Ferguson

12.5 **Courtney Catchings**, recommended for Teacher Assistant for the period 08/03/2021 and ending 05/26/2022.



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Addendum

- 12.6 **Yulonda Davis**, recommended for Teacher Assistant for the period 08/03/2021 and ending 05/26/2022.
- 12.7 **Ardajha Brooks**, recommended for Teacher Assistant for the period 08/03/2021 and ending 05/26/2022.
Replacing: Destiny Green

McNeal Elementary

- 12.8 **Benard Dickerson**, recommended for Custodian for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and ending 05/26/2022.
Replacing: Bruce Jones
- 12.9 **Clenesta Smith**, recommended for Exceptional Service Teacher for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and ending 05/26/2022.
Replacing: Joshlyn Lacey (Pending Certification)

Ninth Grade Academy

- 12.10 **Brittany Taylor**, recommended for Office Clerk for the period commencing 07/13/2021 and ending 06/08/2022.
Replacing: Christina Wilder

Porter Middle

- 12.11 **Taffurya Cunningham**, recommended for Office Clerk for the period commencing 07/13/2021 and ending 06/08/2022.
Replacing: Kiara Jorden

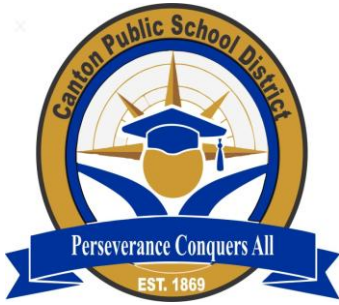
Omit

Goodloe Elementary

- 12.12 **Debbie Taylor**, recommended for Teacher Assistant for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and 05/26/2022.
Replacing: Valaska Halcomb
- 12.13 **Shambria Carter**, recommended for Teacher Assistant for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and 05/26/2022.
Replacing: Kristianna Allen
- 12.14 **Mathenious Summers**, recommended for Academic Support Teacher for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and 05/26/2022.
New Position

Reuben B. Myers

- 12.15 **Kianna Lockett**, recommended for Teacher Assistant for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and 05/26/2022.



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Replacing: Taffurya Cunningham

12.16 Eileen Washington, recommended for Teacher Assistant for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and 05/26/2022.

Replacing: Tameka Champion

Exceptional Services

12.17 Ashley Gore-Medlock, recommended for Administrative Assistant for the period commencing 08/01/2021 and 06/30/2022.

Replacing: LaDonna Nichols

12.18 Morgan Clark, recommended for Speech Language Clinician for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and 05/26/2022.

Replacing: Brandi Jones

Security

12.19 DeAndre Johnson, recommended for School Safety Officer for the period commencing 08/03/2021 and 05/26/2022.

Replacing: Christopher Collins

13. For Your Information

13.1 Locations/Time of Regular Board Meetings @ 5:30 P.M.:

July 21th – Canton Career Center

August 10th – Canton Career Center

September 14th – McNeal Elementary

October 12th – Reuben B. Myers CSAS

November 9th – Canton Elementary

December 14th – Goodloe Elementary School

January 11th – Nichols Middle School

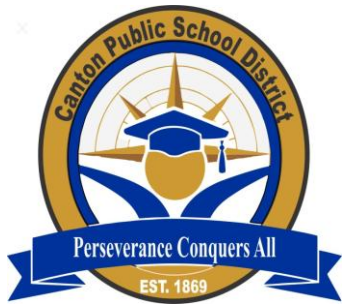
February 8th – Porter Middle School

March 8th - Canton High School

April 12th -, May 10th , & June 14th – Canton Career Center

****Note: Special Called Meeting Locations – Canton Career Center**

****Please note that due to COVID-19, board meetings will be held at Porter Middle School until further notice*****



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14. Consideration of Executive Session

14.1 Personnel

15. Adjournment