



ASHEVILLE CITY SCHOOLS

Learn. Discover. Thrive.

**ASHEVILLE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING**

**BOARD ROOM**

**85 MOUNTAIN STREET**

**ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA**

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2021**

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**Board of Education Members**

James C. Carter, Board Chair

Jackie McHargue, Vice-Chair

Martha Geitner, Member

Peyton O'Conner, Member

Shaunda Sandford, Member

**The Vision of Asheville City Schools is to**

**Empower and Engage every child to**

**Learn, Discover, Thrive.**

**Superintendent: Dr. Gene Freeman**

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**ASHEVILLE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING**

**Administrative Offices - Board Room**

**Monday, October 11, 2021**

**5:00 PM Call to Order Board Room**

**AGENDA**

**Information about Public Comments can be found below**

**Regular Meeting**

**Call to Order**

Board Chair, James C. Carter

**Pledge**

Ms. Lifchez, First Grade Class at  
Ira B. Jones Elementary

**Approval of Agenda**

Board Chair, James C. Carter

**[Public Comment](#)**

**Consent Items**

Board Chair, James C. Carter

- Work Session Minutes September 13, 2021
- Closed Session Minutes September 13, 2021
- Regular Meeting Minutes September 20, 2021
- [Face Coverings](#)

*Mission*

*Asheville City Schools will create learning environments that ensure Excellence with Equity for all students.*

**Action Items**

Board Chair, James C. Carter

1. Burton Street Property
2. Personnel Report No. 3

**Special Presentation**High School Diploma Presented to the  
Family of Mr. Kevin Wooten

Shaunda Sandford Jackson, Board Member

**Beginning Teacher of the Year Presentation**Dr. Kim Dechant, Director of Recruitment  
And Induction**[Asheville High School Building G](#)**

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**[Good News](#)**Ashley-Michelle Thublin,  
Executive Director of Communication  
Dr. Gene Freeman**Superintendent's Report****Announcements/Future Meetings**

Board Chair, James C. Carter

**Two Hour Delays for Middle and High Schools**

Wednesday, October 13, 2021

**Special Called Work/Closed Session Board Meeting**

Tuesday, October 19, 2021

**Optional Teacher Work Day**

Monday, October 25, 2021

**Special Called Work/Closed Session Board Meeting**

Monday, October 25, 2021

**Two Hour Delays for Middle and High Schools**

Wednesday, October 27, 2021

**Work/Closed Session Board Meeting**

Monday, November 1, 2021

**Regular Board Meeting**

Monday, November 8, 2021

**Adjournment**

Board Chair, James C. Carter