

ASHEVILLE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION
5:00 p.m. - Work Session - Administrative Offices - Board Room
Monday, January 23, 2023

BE IT REMEMBERED: that the Asheville City Board of Education met in a special called work session on January 23, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.the Administrative Office - Board Room at 85 Mountain Street, Asheville, North Carolina, where and when the following business was transacted.

The following Board members were present:

George Sieburg, Board Chair
Amy Ray, Vice Chair
James C. Carter, Member
Liza Kelly, Member
Rebecca Strimer, Board Member
Sarah Thornburg, Member

Staff Members Present:

Dr. Causby, Interim Superintendent; Melissa Hedt, Deputy Superintendent of Accountability and Instruction; Dr. Mark Dickerson, Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources; Georgia Harvey, Executive Director of Finance; Marta Alcalá, Executive Director of Equity; April Dockery, Executive Director of Operations; Kim Robinson, Executive Director of Student Services; Sarah Cain, Executive Director, Exceptional Children, and Federal Programs; Tanya Presha, Academic and Program Support Coordinator; Dr. Kim Dechant, Director of Recruitment and Induction; Laura Parks, Director of Secondary Education; Dillon Huffman, Public Information Officer; Nathan Haugaard, Instructional Technology Specialist; Tiger Norman, Assistant Principal AHS; Sonna Jamerson, Principal Lucy S. Herring; Carrie Buchanan, Principal Hall Fletcher; Ruafika Cobb, Principal Ira B. Jones; Anna Gillespie, Attorney; Kimberly Jones, Administrative Assistant

CALL TO ORDER

James C. Carter, Board Chair, called the session to order at 5:02 p.m.

OATH OF OFFICE NEW MEMBER - Jesse Warren

Judge Alan Thornburg

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

George Sieburg made a motion to approve the agenda. James Carter approved the motion to approve the agenda. Amy Ray seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

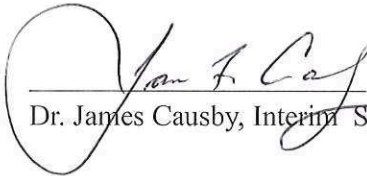
INFORMATION AGENDA

- **Review of Superintendent Search:** Board of Education
 - [RFQ - Superintendent Search Firms](#) - has been sent out.
 - [Superintendent Vacancy Announcement](#) - revised during the meeting with public and staff input.
 - [Superintendent Application](#) - revised during the meeting.

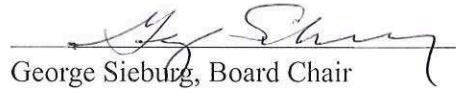
- [Timeline for Superintendent Search](#)
- [Community Input Draft - Public Forums](#): The board would like to add two United Way Homework Diners to the public forums.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:59 p.m.



Dr. James Causby, Interim Superintendent



George Sieburg, Board Chair