

SPECIAL MEETING
ASHE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
October 23, 2018

The Board met in special session as scheduled beginning at 4:00 pm in the annex with all members present. The purpose of the meeting was twofold—open session to discuss the middle school project with Architect Larry Greene and the school-based administration and closed-session to discuss the Superintendent's annual evaluation.

Mr. Greene first discussed the various components of using construction risk management for the middle school project. Although there is value to such a program, consensus was that school system is too far into the project to reap all the advantages the program offers.

Discussion was then heard on the updated schematic drawings. The auditorium and gym were returned to full scale and the six classrooms were added back. Principal Dustin Farmer and Assistant Principal Gordon Prince asked about the possibility of adding gates to the outdoor courtyards to allow for student access, moving the counselor offices to the graded hallways and including a school-based health center. The Board asked that polished block in the hallways be included in the plans. Mr. Greene will update the plans accordingly and prepare cost estimates for the joint meeting with the County Commissioners scheduled for October 30, 2018 at 2:00 pm in the annex.

Everyone in attendance was dismissed. The Board recessed for dinner and then went into closed session at 5:50 pm to discuss the Superintendent's annual evaluation. No action was taken.

Upon return to regular session at 6:20 pm, the Chairman immediately declared the meeting adjourned.