Bamberg County School District
Board of Trustees Special Called Meeting
Bamberg County School District Office
January 11, 2023
6:00 p.m.

Members present: Board Chair Janeth Walker, Secretary Tonie A. Holman, Trustee Harriet Coker, Trustee Naomi Eckels, Trustee John Hiers, Trustee Cynthia "Cindy" F. Hurst and Trustee Blossom J. Thompson.

Absent: Vice Chair Beverly Bonaparte and Trustee Gwendolyn Bamberg

1.   **Call meeting to order:** Board Chair Janeth Walker called the meeting to order.

      Notice to Media: In accordance with the S. C. Code of Laws of 1976, as amended, Section 30-4-80(E), The Times and Democrat Newspaper, The Bamberg County Leader, WIIZ 97.9 FM, WBSC-LP 102.3 FM, and the Bamberg County School District website have been notified of the time, date, place and agenda of this meeting.

2.   **Approval of Agenda**
      Trustee Harriet Coker moved and Trustee Blossom Thompson seconded to approve the agenda as presented. The motion passed 6-0. [Trustee Naomi Eckels had not arrived]

3.   **Second Reading – BCSD Policies – Section I – Instruction**
      a.   IA – Instructional Goals and Learning Objectives (Philosophy of Education)
      b.   IB – Academic Freedom
      c.   IC – School Year
      d.   ID – School Day
      e.   IE – Organization of Instruction
      f.   IG – Curriculum Development, Adoption, and Review
      g.   IGCA – Service Learning
      h.   IHA – Basic Instructional Program
      i.   IHAA – English/Reading/Writing/Language Arts Education
      j.   IHAB – Mathematics Education
      k.   IHAC – Social Studies Education
      l.   IHAD – Science Education
      m.   IHAE – Physical Education
      n.   IHAF – Arts Education
      o.   IHAG – Music Education
      p.   IHAH – World Language Education
      q.   IHAJ – Computer/Technology Literacy
      r.   IHAK – Character Education
      s.   IHAL – Religious Instruction
      t.   IHAM – Health Education
      u.   IHAM-E – Health Education Opt-Out Form
      v.   IHAN – Driver Training
      w.   IHAO – Environmental Education
      x.   IHAP – Consumer Education
      y.   IHAQ – Career/Transition to Work Education
      z.   IHBA – Special Education/Programs for Students with Disabilities

aa. IHBA-E – Special Education/Programs for Students with Disabilities
bb. IHBB – Gifted and Talented Education
cc. IHBC – Programs for At-Risk/Disadvantaged Students
dd. IHBEA – Instructional Services for English Learners
ee. IHBEA-R – Instructional Services for English Learners
ff. IHBF – Medical Homebound Instruction
gg. IHBG – Home Schooling
hh. IHBG-R – Home Schooling
ii. IHBH – Charter Schools
jj. IHBIB – Primary/Pre-Primary Education (Child Development)
kk. IHBIB-R – Primary/Pre-Primary Education (Child Development)
ll. IHC – Proficiency-Based Credit Courses
mm. IHCA – Summer School
nn. IHCD – Advanced College Placement
oo. IHCD-R – Advanced College Placement
pp. IHCF – Childcare Programs
qq. IHD – Adult/Community Education
rr. IIA – Grouping for Instruction
ss. IJ – Instructional Resources and Materials
tt. IJ-E – Instructional Resources and Materials
uu. IJA – Comparability of Services
vv. IJJ – Textbook Selection and Adoption
ww. IJK – Supplementary Materials Selection and Adoption
xx. IJKA – Technology Resource Selection and Adoption
yy. IJL – Library/Media Center Materials Selection and Adoption
zz. IJNDAA – Distance, Online, and Virtual Education
aaa. IJNDAA-R – Distance, Online, and Virtual Education
bbb. IJNDB-R – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
ccc. IJNDB-E(1) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Employee Acceptable Use Policy)
ddd. IJNDB-E(2) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Technology Acceptable Use Agreement Contract for Students)
eee. IJNDB-E(3) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Technology Acceptable Use Policy)
fff. IJNDB-E(4) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Non-Employee Acceptable Use Policy)
ggg. IJNDB-E(5) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Employee Laptop Agreement and Regulations)
hhh. IJNDB-E(6) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Student/Parent Laptop Agreement and Regulations)
iii. IJNDB-E(7) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Employee Laptop Insurance Form)
jjj. IJNDB-E(8) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction
(Report of Inappropriate Website Discovery)
kkk. IJOA – Field Trips
lll. IJOA-R – Field Trips
mmm. IJOB/IJOC – Resource Persons/School Volunteers

nnn.   IJOB/IJOC-R – Resource Persons/School Volunteers
ooo.   IKA – Grading/Assessment Systems
ppp.   IKA-R – Grading/Assessment Systems
qqq.   IKAA – Tests and Examinations
rrr.   IKAB – Report Cards/Progress Reports
sss.   IKACA – Parent Conferences
ttt.   IKAD – Grade Adjustments
uuu.   IKADD – Content and Credit Recovery
vvv.   IKADD-R – Content and Credit Recovery
www.   IKADD-E – Content and Credit Recovery (Credit Recovery Application)
xxx.   IKB – Homework
yyy.   IKD – Honor Rolls
zzz.   IKE – Promotion, Retention, and Acceleration of Students
aaaa.   IKE-R – Promotion, Retention, and Acceleration of Students
bbbb.   IKF – Graduation Requirements
cccc.   IKF-R – Graduation Requirements
dddd.   IKFC – Employability Credential
eeee.   IKFC-R – Employability Credential
ffff.   IL – Evaluation of Instructional Programs
gggg.   ILB – Test/Assessment Administration
hhhh.   ILB-R – Test/Assessment Administration
iiii.   ILBB – State Program Assessments
jjjj.   ILBB-R – State Program Assessments
kkkk.   IMB – Teaching about Controversial/Sensitive Issues
llll.   IMD – School Ceremonies and Observances
mmmm.   IMDA – Patriotic Exercises
nnnn.   IMDB – Flag/Motto Displays
oooo.   IMG – Animals in School

Superintendent Brown presented policies IA, IB, IC, ID, IE, IG, IGCA, IHA, IHAA, IHAB, IHAC, IHAD, IHAE, IHAF, IHAG, IHAH, IHAJ, IHAK, IHAL, IHAM, IHAM-E, IHAN, IHAO, IHAP, IHAQ, IHBA, IHBA-E, IHBB, IHBC, IHBEA, IHBEA-R, IHBF, IHBG, IHBG-R, IHBH, IHBIB, IHBIB-R, IHC, IHCA, IHCD, IHCD-R, IHCF, IHD, IIA, IJ, IJ-E, IJA, IJJ, IJK, IJKA, IJL, IJNDAA, IJNDAA-R, IJNDB-R, IJNDB-E(1), IJNDB-E(2), IJNDB-E(3), IJNDB-E(4), IJNDB-E(5), IJNDB-E(6), IJNDB-E(7), IJNDB-E(8), IJOA, IJOA-R, IJOB/IJOC, IJOB/IJOC-R, IKA, IKA-R, IKAA, IKAB, IKACA, IKAD, IKADD, IKADD-R, IKADD-E, IKB, IKD, IKE, IKE-R, IKF, IKF-R, IKFC, IKFC-R, IL, ILB, ILB-R, ILBB, ILBB-R, IMB, IMD, IMDA, IMDB, and IMG for second reading.

After brief discussion, **Trustee John Hiers moved and Secretary Tonie Holman seconded to approve for second reading of Policies IA – Instructional Goals and Learning Objectives (Philosophy of Education), IB – Academic Freedom, IC – School Year, ID – School Day, IE – Organization of Instruction, IG – Curriculum Development, Adoption, and Review, IGCA – Service Learning, IHA – Basic Instructional Program, IHAA – English/Reading/Writing/Language Arts Education, IHAB – Mathematics Education, IHAC – Social Studies Education, IHAD – Science Education, IHAE – Physical Education, IHAF – Arts Education, IHAG – Music**

Education, IHAH – World Language Education, IHAJ – Computer/Technology Literacy, IHAK – Character Education, IHAL – Religious Instruction, IHAM – Health Education, IHAM-E – Health Education Opt-Out Form, IHAN – Driver Training, IHAO – Environmental Education, IHAP – Consumer Education, IHAQ – Career/Transition to Work Education, IHBA – Special Education/Programs for Students with Disabilities, IHBA-E – Special Education/Programs for Students with Disabilities, IHBB – Gifted and Talented Education, IHBC – Programs for At-Risk/Disadvantaged Students, IHBEA – Instructional Services for English Learners, IHBEA-R – Instructional Services for English Learners, IHBF – Medical Homebound Instruction, IHBG – Home Schooling, IHBG-R – Home Schooling, IHBH – Charter Schools, IHBIB – Primary/Pre-Primary Education (Child Development), IHBIB-R – Primary/Pre-Primary Education (Child Development), IHC – Proficiency-Based Credit Courses, IHCA – Summer School, IHCD – Advanced College Placement, IHCD-R – Advanced College Placement, IHCF – Childcare Programs, IHD – Adult/Community Education, IIA – Grouping for Instruction, IJ – Instructional Resources and Materials, IJ-E – Instructional Resources and Materials, IJA – Comparability of Services, IJJ – Textbook Selection and Adoption, IJK – Supplementary Materials Selection and Adoption, IJKA – Technology Resource Selection and Adoption, IJL – Library/Media Center Materials Selection and Adoption, IJNDAA – Distance, Online, and Virtual Education, IJNDAA-R– Distance, Online, and Virtual Education, IJNDB-R – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction, IJNDB-E(1) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Employee Acceptable Use Policy), IJNDB-E(2) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Technology Acceptable Use Agreement Contract for Students), IJNDB-E(3) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Technology Acceptable Use Policy), IJNDB-E(4) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Non-Employee Acceptable Use Policy), IJNDB-E(5) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Employee Laptop Agreement and Regulations), IJNDB-E(6) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Student/Parent Laptop Agreement and Regulations), IJNDB-E(7) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Employee Laptop Insurance Form), IJNDB-E(8) – Use of Technology Resources in Instruction (Report of Inappropriate Website Discovery), IJOA – Field Trips, IJOA-R – Field Trips, IJOB/IJOC – Resource Persons/School Volunteers, IJOB/IJOC-R – Resource Persons/School Volunteers, IKA – Grading/Assessment Systems, IKA-R – Grading/Assessment Systems, IKAA – Tests and Examinations, IKAB – Report Cards/Progress Reports, IKACA – Parent Conferences, IKAD – Grade Adjustments, IKADD – Content and Credit Recovery, IKADD-R – Content and Credit Recovery, IKADD-E – Content and Credit Recovery (Credit Recovery Application), IKB – Homework, IKD – Honor Rolls, IKE – Promotion, Retention, and Acceleration of Students, IKE-R – Promotion, Retention, and Acceleration of Students, IKF – Graduation Requirements, IKF-R – Graduation Requirements, IKFC – Employability Credential, IKFC-R – Employability Credential, IL – Evaluation of Instructional Programs, ILB – Test/Assessment Administration, ILB-R – Test/Assessment Administration, ILBB – State Program Assessments, ILBB-R – State Program Assessments, IMB – Teaching about Controversial/Sensitive Issues, IMD – School Ceremonies and Observances, IMDA – Patriotic Exercises, IMDB –

Flag/Motto Displays, and IMG – Animals in School. The motion passed 7-0. [Board Packet Enclosures]

4. **Second Reading – BCSD Policies – Section K – School-Community-Home Relations**
    a. KA – School/Parent/Community Relations
    b. KB – Parent and Family Engagement in Education
    c. KBB – Parent Rights and Responsibilities
    d. KBE – Relations with Parent Organizations
    e. KC – Career and Technical Education Planning and Appeals
    f. KCA – School-Community Relations Goals
    g. KCD – Public Gifts/Donations
    h. KD – Public Information and Communication
    i. KDB – Public's Right to Know/Freedom of Information
    j. KDCB – Concealed Recording
    k. KDD – Media Relations
    l. KDDA – Press Releases, Conferences, and Interviews
    m. KE – Public Concerns and Complaints
    n. KEC – Public Concerns and Complaints About Instructional Resources
    o. KEC-R – Public Concerns and Complaints About Instructional Resources
    p. KEC-E – Public Concerns and Complaints About Instructional Resources
    q. KF – Community Use of School Facilities
    r. KF-E(1) – Community Use of School Facilities
    s. KF-E(2) – Community Use of School Facilities
    t. KFA – Open Community Use of School Recreational Areas
    u. KHC – Distribution/Posting of Promotional Materials
    v. KHE – Political Solicitations in Schools
    w. KI – Visitors
    x. KI-R – Visitors
    y. KI-E -- Visitors
    z. KJ – Relations with Community Organizations
    aa. KLG – Relations with Law Enforcement Authorities
    bb. KLGA – School Resource Officers

    Superintendent Brown presented policies KA, KB, KBB, KBE, KC, KCA, KCD, KD, KDB, KDCB, KDD, KDDA, KE, KEC, KEC-R, KEC-E, KF, KF-E(1), KF-E(2), KFA, KHC, KHE, KI, KI-R, KI-E, KJ, KLG, and KLGA for second reading.

    After brief discussion, **Secretary Tonie Holman moved and Trustee Naomi Eckels seconded to approve for second reading of Policies KA –School/Parent/Community Relations, KB – Parent and Family Engagement in Education, KBB – Parent Rights and Responsibilities, KBE – Relations with Parent Organizations, KC – Career and Technical Education Planning and Appeals, KCA – School-Community Relations Goals, KCD – Public Gifts/Donations, KD – Public Information and Communication, KDB – Public's Right to Know/Freedom of Information, KDCB – Concealed Recording, KDD – Media Relations, KDDA – Press Releases, Conferences, and Interviews, KE – Public Concerns and Complaints, KEC – Public Concerns and**

Complaints About Instructional Resources, KEC-R – Public Concerns and Complaints About Instructional Resources, KEC-E – Public Concerns and Complaints About Instructional Resources, KF – Community Use of School Facilities, KF-E(1) – Community Use of School Facilities, KF-E(2) – Community Use of School Facilities, KFA – Open Community Use of School Recreational Areas, KHC – Distribution/Posting of Promotional Materials, KHE – Political Solicitations in Schools, KI – Visitors, KI-R – Visitors, KI-E – Visitors, KJ – Relations with Community Organizations, KLG – Relations with Law Enforcement Authorities, and KLGA – School Resource Officers. The motion passed 7-0. [Board Packet Enclosures]

5. **Second Reading – BCSD Policies – Section L – Education Agency Relations**
   a. LA – Education Agency Relations, Goals, and Objectives
   b. LBA – Shared Services and Staff
   c. LH – Relations with Educational Accreditation Agencies

   Superintendent Brown presented policies LA, LBA, and LH for second reading.

   After brief discussion, **Trustee Cynthia Hurst moved and Secretary Tonie Holman seconded to approve for second reading of Policies LA – Education Agency Relations, Goals, and Objectives, LBA – Shared Services and Staff, and LH – Relations with Educational Accreditation Agencies.** The motion passed 7-0. [Board Packet Enclosures]

6. **Second Reading – BCSD Policies – Section A – Foundations & Basic Commitments**
   a. ADF – District Wellness

   Superintendent Brown presented policy ADF for second reading.

   After brief discussion, **Trustee Harriet Coker moved and Secretary Tonie Holman seconded to approve for second reading of Policy ADF -- District Wellness.** The motion passed 7-0. [Board Packet Enclosure]

7. **Second Reading – BCSD Policies – Section G – Personnel**
   a. GDB – Support Staff Contracts and Compensation

   Superintendent Brown presented policy GDB for second reading.

   After brief discussion**, Trustee Cynthia Hurst moved and Trustee Naomi Eckels seconded to approve for second reading of Policy GDB – Support staff Contracts and Compensation.** The motion passed 7-0. [Board Packet Enclosure]

8. **Second Reading – BCSD Policies – Section J – Students**
   a. JIH – Student Interrogations, Searches, and Arrests
   b. JIH-R – Student Interrogations, Searches, and Arrests

   Superintendent Brown presented policies JIH and JIH-R for second reading.

After brief discussion, **Trustee Harriet Coker moved and Secretary Tonie Holman seconded to approve for second reading of Policies JIH – Student Interrogations, Searches, and Arrests and JIH-R – Student Interrogations, Searches, and Arrests.** The motion passed 7-0. [Board Packet Enclosures]

9.   **Adjourn**

Trustee Harriet Coker moved and Secretary Tonie Holman seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed 7-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Minutes approved:

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Janeth Walker, Board Chair

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Tonie A. Holman, Secretary