

August 19, 2025 Regular Board Meeting

Jackson Public Schools

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August 19, 2025 at 05:30 PM

Agenda

I. Call to Order

A. **Call to Order | Barbara T. Hilliard., Board President**

II. Establishment of Quorum

III. Adoption of Agenda

IV. Reading and Approving Minutes

A. **August 5, 2025 Regular Board Meeting_Minutes**

V. Superintendent's Remarks

VI. Public Participation for General Comments and / or Proposed Issues

VII. Information Only Items:

A. **Review of Project 75: From Page to Power (Our Early Literacy Strategic Plan) | Michael L. Cormack, Jr., Ed.D. Deputy Superintendent**

B. **Review of the Renewal Agreement between The National Center of Teacher Residencies and the Jackson Public School District | Tommy Nalls, Jr. Ed.D., SHRM-SCP Director of Recruitment**

C. **Review of the Renewal Agreement between the Boundless Educators Initiative (BEI) with The National Center of Teacher Residencies and the Jackson Public School District | Tommy Nalls, Jr. Ed.D., SHRM-SCP Director of Recruitment**

D. **Review of the Renewal Agreement between the University of Mississippi Medical Center (UMMC) and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Talatha Bingham-Gibbs, Ed.D, CCC-SLP Executive Director | Exceptional Education Services**

E. **Review of the Renewal Agreement between Stepping Stones and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Talatha Bingham-Gibbs, Ed.D, CCC-SLP Executive Director | Exceptional Education Services**

F. **Review of the Renewal Agreement between Smart Therapy and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Talatha Bingham-Gibbs, Ed.D, CCC-SLP Executive Director | Exceptional Education Services**

G. **Review of Agreement between Mississippi Arts Commission (MAC) and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) for the Mississippi Whole Schools Program at Casey Elementary | Anthony Moore, Ed.D. Executive Director of Advanced Academics**

H. Review of Agreement between Mississippi Arts Commission (MAC) and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) for the Mississippi Whole Schools Program at Green Elementary | Anthony Moore, Ed.D. Executive Director of Advanced Academics

I. Review of Various Policies for Amendment | JBA - School Age & Entry Requirements and KKA - Parent & Family Engagement and for Creation | JCDBAA - Scholar Identification Badges and JCDACC - 1st Time Drug Offender Policy | Larrissa C. Harris, Esq., General Counsel

J. Review of the Agreement between the Greater Jackson Chamber Partnership MOU and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Laketia Marshall-Thomas Assistant Superintendent, High School Division

VIII. Information Action Items:

A. Approval of the Agreement between Jackson State University (JSU) and Jackson Public School District for a Dual Credit and Dual Enrollment Program | Laketia Marshall-Thomas Assistant Superintendent, High School Division

B. Approval to Award RFP #2025-07 (Final) to Accelerate Learning, Curriculum Associates (revised) and Savvas Learning for K-12 Core Curriculum Resources | Kimberly Smith, Ed.D. Executive Director | Office Of Teaching & Learning

C. Approval of Monthly Financial Report for the Month Ended July 31, 2025 (FY2025-2026) | Margaret Purnell, Executive Director of Business Services

IX. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS - Finance:

A. Approval to Accept Donations from Various Donors | Earl Burke, Chief Operations Officer

B. Approval of Various Disbursements from Accounts Payable and Activity Funds | Margaret Purnell, Executive Director of Business Services

C. Approval to Reject RFP 2025-13 Emergency Management Support System for Schools Jackson Public School District | William M. Merritt, IV, Ed.D., Chief of Staff

D. Approval of RFP 2025-15 - Relocatable Classrooms for Kirksey Middle School | Sandra Robinson, Executive Director of Facilities Operations

E. Approval of RFP 2025-19 Erate (NAC) | George Slade, Executive Director - Information Technology

F. Approval of Bid 3270 Computer and Technology Devices for Various Vendors | George Slade Executive Director - Information Technology

X. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS - General:

A. Approval of the Agreement between Access Vision and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Talatha Bingham-Gibbs, Ed.D, CCC-SLP Executive Director | Exceptional Education Services

B. Approval of the Renewal Agreement between Defined Learning and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Anthony Moore, Ed.D. Executive Director of Advanced Academics

C. Approval of Renewal Agreement between The Institute of Montessori Training formerly known as The Authentic Institute of Montessori Training and the Jackson Public School District | Anthony Moore, Ed.D. Executive Director of Advanced Academics

D. Approval of the Renewal Agreement between Grade Results and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) |

E. Approval of the Renewal Agreement between Heartland School Solutions (POS Software Monitoring) and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Marc Rowe, Executive Director of Child Nutrition

F. Approval of the Renewal Agreement between Central Access for Educational Data Services and Fund Accounting System Data Security Agreements and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Margaret Purnell, Executive Director of Business Services

G. Approval of the Letter of Engagement between Teller, Hopson & Schrader, LLP for Legal Services for Sixteenth Section Properties and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) | Earl Burke, Chief Operations Officer

H. Approval of the Renewal Agreement between Achieve 3000 and the Jackson Public School District (JPSD) |

I. Approval of District-to-District Transfer (Incoming/Outgoing) | Faith R. Strong, Ph.D. Director of Data Management & Enrollment Services | Office of Data & Accountability

XI. CONCENT AGENDA ITEMS - Personnel

A. Approval of Personnel | Sandra Lyons | Executive Director of Human Resources

XII. Consideration to Hold an Executive Session

XIII. Adjournment