



AGENDA

"Building a Better Tomorrow, Today"

Vision/Aspiration Statement

The vision of Clayton County Public Schools is to prepare ALL graduates to have the skills to pursue and accomplish college, post-secondary training, and/or career opportunities in order to live and compete successfully in a global society.

Mission Statement

The mission of Clayton County Public Schools is to empower scholars to achieve academic, professional, and personal goals by providing equitable access and experiences that build skills in literacy, creativity, critical thinking, and collaboration.

Summary

Executive Session 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM / Closed to Public)

I. Call to Order

Mr. Straker called the meeting to order at 6pm

II. Executive Session

A motion was made to enter into Executive Session to discuss Legal, Litigation and Personnel Matters.

Motion: Ms. Hill

Second: Ms. Tellis Cooper

Vote: Unanimous

III. Pledge of Allegiance

Mr. Straker led the Pledge of Allegiance.

IV. Board Roll Call

Members Present: Mr. Benjamin Straker, Sr., Board Chair, Ms. Mary Baker, Vice Chair, Ms. Jasmine Bowles, Mr. Mark Christmas, Dr. Jessie Goree, Dr. Deatrice Haney, Ms. Sabrina Hill, Ms. Joy Tellis Cooper, Ms. Victoria Williams, and Dr. Anthony W. Smith, Superintendent/CEO.

V. Ethics Statement

Mr. Straker read the Ethics Statement.

VI. Adoption of Agenda

A motion was made for the Board to adopt the Board Work Session Agenda as submitted.

Motion: Ms. Tellis Cooper

Second: Mr. Christmas

Vote: Unanimous

VII. Recommendations from Executive Session

A. Assistant Principal, Riverdale ES

A motion was made for the Board to approve the Superintendent's recommendation of Ms. Vanese Shaw as Assistant Principal of Riverdale ES.

Motion Dr. Goree

Second: Ms. Hill

Vote: Unanimous

B. Employee Tribunal 2025-2026-02

A motion was made for the Board to uphold Employee Tribunal 2025-2026-02 Panel's decision.

Motion: Dr. Goree

Second: Ms. Baker

Vote: Unanimous

VIII. Board Member's Update

Congratulations to our schools who are being invited out of the country to perform

- Great work for the Let's Talk Literacy
- Shout out to the Communications Department for their good work
- Thanks to all who support the College Fair hosted by Dr. Goree
- District 5 will be hosting a male conference, Saturday, October 4 at Mt. Zion HS. "We are collecting ties for our male students".
- Great Kindergarten graduation at Kay Pace
- **CONGRATULATIONS CCPS-RISE IN GRADUATION RATE!**
- CCPS BOE Interns will run the CCPS BOE Podcast.
- Hispanic Heritage Month

IX. Updates to the Board

A. Foundation Report

Clayton County Public Schools Foundation Board Chair, Mr. Hayelom Tadessee and Dr. Ralph Simpson, Deputy Superintendent, Administrative Services, provided an update to the Board and Community.

B. Cognia Mid-Cycle Progress Report

Dr. Monika Wiley, Assistant Superintendent, Strategic Improvement provided an update to the Board and Community on the Cognia Mid-Cycle Progress Report.

C. Graduation Rate Update

Dr. Delphia Young, Deputy Superintendent, Division of Teaching and Learning & Strategic Improvement, provided an update the Board and Community on the Graduation Rate.

D. Safety & Security Update,

Dr. Reynard Walker, Chief, Safety and Security, provided an update to the Board and Community.

X. Proposed Agenda from the Superintendent and Chair

A. Business Services - Ms. Ramona Bivins

1. Financial Report - Consent Agenda

Ms. Ramona Bivins, Chief Financial Officer, provided the monthly Financial Report to the Board and Community.

2. SPLOST Revenue Report - Consent Agenda

Ms. Ramona Bivins, Chief Financial Officer, provided the monthly SPLOST Revenue Report to the Board and Community.

3. Purchasing Report - Consent Agenda

Ms. Ramona Bivins, Chief Financial Officer, provided the monthly Purchasing Report to the Board and Community.

B. Capital Improvement - Mr. Ronick Joseph

1. Capital Improvement/SPLOST Report - Consent Agenda

Mr. Ronick Joseph, Chief, Capital Improvement Officer, presented the monthly Capital Improvement/SPLOST Report to the Board and Community.

2. Capital Purchasing Report - Consent Agenda

Mr. Ronick Joseph, Chief, Capital Improvement Officer, presented the monthly Capital Purchasing Report to the Board and Community.

3. North Clayton High School Final GMP - Consent Agenda

Mr. Ronick Joseph, Chief, Capital Improvement Officer, provided the North Clayton High School Final GMP to the Board and Community.

C. Human Resources - Ms. Alisha Albritten

1. Personnel Changes Report - Consent Agenda

Ms. Alisha Albritten, Chief, Human Resources, presented the monthly Personnel Changes Report to the Board and Community.

D. Board Matters

1. Policy Series G - Second Read / Vote at October 6, 2025 Board Meeting

This Policy will be addressed at the next Board Meeting.

2. Policy Series M - Second Read / Vote at October 6, 2025 Board Meeting

XI. The Business Agenda (for vote tonight)

A. Renaming of the Homeless Center

A motion was made for the Board to approve the Renaming of the Homeless Center to the McKinney Vento Program (MVP): Pathway to Promise.

Motion: Ms. Hill

Second: Ms. Bowles

Vote: (8-Yes, 1-Not Present).

B. Approval of the Proposed Board Meeting Agenda for October 6, 2025

A motion was made for the Board to approve the Proposed Board Meeting Agenda for October 6, 2025 as submitted.

Motion: Ms. Bowles

Second: Ms. Hill

Vote: (7-Yes, 1-No, 1-Not Present).

XII. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:23 pm.

NOTE: This is a summary of the September 29, 2025, Board Work Session of the Clayton County Board of Education. The official minutes will be voted on at the next regular business meeting of the Board of Education and will be made available to the public thereafter.

