**Cherokee County Board of Education**

**Regular Board Meeting - Work Session**
**09/18/2025 05:30 PM**
**1205 Bluffs Parkway, Canton, GA 30114**

**MEETING MINUTES**

**Attendees - Voting Members**

Janet Read Welch, Board Chair
Patsy Jordan, Vice-Chair
Kelly Poole, Board Member
Chance Beam, Board Member
Robert Rechsteiner, Board Member
Erin Ragsdale, Board Member
Dr. Susan Padgett-Harrison, Board Member

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**I. CALL TO ORDER**
*Chair, Janet Read Welch called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.*

**II. SUPERINTENDENT WELCOME**
Dr. Davis welcomed everyone in attendance.

**III. BOARD MEMBER ITEMS**

**1. Third-Party Validation of Floating Homestead Exemption Projections, STAAP LLC**
STAAP LLC provided the third-party validation of floating homestead exemption projections, as information.

**IV. SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS**

**1. Finance:**

**a. Kenneth Owen, Chief Financial Officer**
Provided the monthly finance report, as information.

**b. Mike McGowan, Chief of Staff**
Legislative Priorities 2026 Report, as information.

**c. Mike McGowan, Chief of Staff**
Provided an update on status of local legislation HB845.

**2. Capital Outlay:**

**a. Trey Moores, Chief Support Services Officer**
Provided the monthly Capital Outlay report, as information.

## V. ADJOURNMENT

*The work session meeting adjourned at 6:08 p.m.*

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Janet Read Welch
School Board Chair

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Mary Elizabeth Davis
Superintendent