# Agenda

BEAUFORT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Hilton Head Island Middle School
Media Center
55 Wilborn Road
Hilton Head Island, SC 29926
February 3, 2026
5:00 – 9:15 pm Public Session
Hybrid Video Conferencing
This meeting will be broadcast by the County Channel

NOTICE

In accordance with new safety and security guidelines, bags, backpacks and purses are prohibited by the public at Beaufort County Board of Education Meetings.

**Request for Public Comments participation will be accepted between 4:00pm–4:30pm by sending an email with your name, phone #, and topic to robyn.cushingberry@beaufort.k12.sc.us.**
**You will receive a phone call during Public Comments where you will be able to speak and address the Board for a maximum of *three minutes* on issues within the Board's domain. The forum will be limited to 30 minutes.**

**If you are in person, you may address the Board for a maximum of three minutes on issues within the Board's domain. Each speaker must fill out a Public Comment Card. Please see the Board Clerk for a card.**

**Request for the second Public Comments will be accepted between 7:00 – 7:30pm in the same manner as above. The second Public Comments will take place prior to adjournment no later than 9:00pm. The second forum will be limited to 15 minutes.**

In the event the Board has not finished addressing all items listed on the February 3, 2026, Agenda, the Board will reconvene at 6:00 pm on February 4 2026, the next business day to finish the agenda items.

| ***Mission*: *The Beaufort County School District, through a personalized learning approach, will prepare graduates who compete and succeed in an ever-changing global society and career marketplace.*** | **Coherent Governance Reference** |
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| **5:00 p.m. Public Session**<br>**Call to Order** | Policy GC-2.20 |
| **Approval of Agenda** | |
| **Pledge of Allegiance, Moment of Silence, Statement of Media Notification** | |
| **Election of Secretary –** Conducted by Mr. Carlton Dallas, Board Chair | |
| **Points of Celebration**<br>• Southern BCSD Students of Months<br>➢ November- 3rd grade student Sophia Campos Montes, Red Cedar Elementary<br>➢ December – 4th grade student Cristian Alveranga, Okatie Elementary<br>• WordMaster Challenge Perfect Scores 5th grade students<br>• GFOA Distinguished Budget Presentation Award<br>• NexGen Rising Stars – Ashley Gould<br>• Recognition for Bus Driver Carrie Brown | |
| **First Public Comments - See information above** | Policy GC-2. 23.I.IV |
| **CLOC Update** | |

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| **Chair's Report**<br>• Committee Assignments<br>• Board Retreat<br>• Board Development | |
| **Superintendent's Report**<br>Goal #1 Student Achievement<br>• Early Childhood Update<br>Goal #2 Highly Qualified Teachers and Administrators<br>N/A<br>Goal #3 Fiscal Responsibility<br>N/A<br>Goal #4 Policy Development and Implementation<br>N/A<br>Goal #5 Supervision and Evaluation of the Superintendent<br>N/A<br>Other Matters<br>N/A | |
| **Board Business Action**<br>• Board Meeting Schedule and Agendas | |
| **Consent Agenda**<br>• School Update from Work Session<br>• December 9, 2025 Board Meeting Minutes<br>• January 6, 2026 Board Meeting Minutes<br>• January 23, 2026 Board Work Session Minutes | |
| **Future Agenda Topics** | |
| **Announcements** | |
| **Second Public Comments – See information above.** | Policy GC-2. 23.I.IV |
| **Executive Session**<br>• Employment Matter re: December, 2025 Personnel Ratification Report pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 30-4-70(a)(1).<br>• Employment Matter re: January, 2026 Personnel Ratification Report pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 30-4-70(a)(1).<br>• Receipt of legal advice relating to pending legal claims covered by the attorney client privilege pursuant to S.C. Code ann. Section 30-4-70(a)(2).<br>• Discussion of negotiations incident to proposed purchase of property in Southern Beaufort County pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 30-4-70(a)(2).<br>• Discussion of Superintendent's Evaluation & Contractual Matter pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 30-4-70(a)(1). | |
| **Public Session**<br>**Action as Necessary or Appropriate Regarding Matters Discussed in Executive Session** | |
| **Adjournment**<br><br>**Adjournment until next business day: if the Board has not finished addressing all items listed on the February 3, 2026, Agenda, the Board will adjourn at 9:15 p.m. and will reconvene at 5:00 p.m. on February 4,2026.**<br><br>The Beaufort County Board of Education and the Beaufort County School District can be accessed at: beaufortschools.net | |

**Next Scheduled School Board Meeting – February 17 2026, Board Meeting. This may be subject to change so please check our website for the most updated information.**

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