

CLAIBORNE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

August 6, 2026

The Buildings and Grounds Committee met at the Claiborne Parish School Board, Homer, Louisiana, at five p.m. on Thursday, August 6, 2026.

Present: BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE: Roy Mardis (Chair), Patricia Stevens, Mark Perot

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Stewart Griffin, William Maddox, Linda Knox, , Perry Anderson, Tommy Davidson, and David Nokes

Mr. Anderson, President of the Board, opened the meeting with a prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. Brooks asked Mr. Larry Boyte, a member of the Maintenance Department, to update the Board on maintenance projects that have been completed, in progress, or upcoming. Mr. Boyte gave an update on all the campuses. He mentioned at the first of June, there were 141 minor requests pending and that all 141 of those had been completed. He stated there are other major projects going on such as the renovations at Haynesville High Auditorium. There had been some ongoing issues with the contractors and there were a lot of on-site visits over the course of the summer. He noted that several bathrooms as well as the main hallway were repainted this summer and that sinks and plant care stations were installed in the Ag building. Haynesville Elementary had a few renovations. The 5th grade bathrooms were repainted as were the faculty bathroom and breakroom. New toilets and Ac's were installed. Flower beds were redone as was the principal's office. Lighting for the elementary parking lot was discussed. The clubhouse renovation at Summerfield for the baseball team and softball team is still in progress. The gym lobby and some classrooms got repainted. Classrooms were rewired with all new LED lighting and drop ceilings were installed in 3 classrooms. Pre-k bathroom floor was fixed and the main buildings boys bathroom got new floors, wall coverings, and new paint. Homer Elementary got new risers and four sets of new bleachers in the multipurpose building. The main offices were all repainted. Homer Cafeteria had four air conditioners fixed. The Jr. High had 8 new Ac units and 2 new doors installed. The classrooms were all rewired with led lighting and got new window blinds. The high school was also rewired with new led lighting in all the classrooms. Partitions were put in the boys' bathrooms as well as windows replaced in the press box. Potholes are still being worked on, and maintenance will be starting on the boiler project soon that is being funded by Foster Campbell.

Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Mardis.

Mr. Chris Brooks, Secretary

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