FAYETTEVILLE CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
OCTOBER 12, 2026 @ 5 PM
MUNICIPAL BUILDING AUDITORIUM
FAYETTEVILLE, TN

Present:

Mark Clark, Chairman
Pam Bryson, Vice Chair
Jennifer Murdock
Bridgett Hopkins
Shawnta Fulton
Kayla Camp
Eric Jones, Director of Schools
Lydia Smith, Student Ex-Officio

Also Attending:

Lisa Williams
Rujena Dotson
Adam McCormick
Claudia Styles
Tricia Jean
Steve Giffin
Brittany Baker
Montie Taylor
Spencer Perrin

Absent:
Jeff Bradford, ex officio

Chairman Clark called the meeting to order. Mrs. Murdock made a motion to approve the agenda; second by Mrs. Hopkins. All members voted aye.

Chairman Clark led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mrs. Murdock made a motion to approve the minutes of the September 15, 2026 regular meeting; second by Mrs. Hopkins. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Murdock made a motion to approve the September disbursements; second by Mrs. Hopkins. All members voted aye.

Principals' Reports –

Mrs. Baker – presented a report on behalf of Ralph Askins School.

Mrs. Taylor – presented a report on behalf of Fayetteville Middle School.

Mr. Perrin – presented a report on behalf of Fayetteville High School.

Public Comment –

Chairman Clark noted that, in accordance with Board Policy 1.404, members of the public wishing to make comments and who have given the board advance notice of their desire to speak are being provided that opportunity. No members of the public had requested to speak.

Supervisors' Reports –

Dr. Styles requested board approval of the 2026 Local Education Agency Compliance Report. Chairman Clark made a motion to approve the report; second by Mrs. Hopkins. All members voted aye.

Mr. Giffin and Mrs. Jean presented reports, and Mrs. Dotson and Mr. McCormick offered to answer questions from the board.

CFO Report –

Lisa Williams – Mrs. Williams presented the September 2026 financial report for the board's review.

Reports –

Facilities and Transportation – Gregg Kennedy, project manager, Broaddus & Associates, presented a report on the progress of the FEMA Safe Room/Gymnasium project at Fayetteville High School.

Finance – Chairman Clark made a motion to approve Century Construction Group Pay Application #2 for the Fayetteville High School Safe Room/Gymnasium DR-4514-004-R project in the amount of $400,716.12; second by Vice Chair Bryson. All members voted aye.

Chairman Clark made a motion to approve FY27 GP (141) Budget Amendment #2, the purpose of which is to allocate TN Tutoring Grant (TTG), Public School Safety Grant (PSSG), and Innovative School Models (ISM); second by Vice Chair Bryson. All members voted aye.

Insurance and Policy – Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 1.400 School Board Meetings on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 1.403 Agendas on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 1.404 Appeals to and Appearances Before the Board on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 1.905 Charter School Renewal on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 2.100 Fiscal Management Goals on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 4.213 Family Life Education on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 4.215 Instructional Use of Digital Devices on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 4.301 Interscholastic Athletics on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 4.600 Grading System on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 4.603 Promotion and Retention on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 4.605 Graduation Requirements on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 5.106 Application and Employment on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 5.110 Compensation Guides & Contracts on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve Policy 5.200 Separation Practices for Tenured Teachers on second reading; second by Mrs. Camp. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 5.201 Separation Practices for Non-Tenured Teachers on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 5.302 Sick Leave on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 5.303 Personal and Professional Leave on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 5.600 Staff Rights & Responsibilities on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 5.801 Director of Schools Recruitment and Selection on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 6.200 Attendance on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 6.202 Home Schools on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 6.205 Student Assignments on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 6.303 Questioning Students & Searches on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 6.306 Interference/Disruption of School activities on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve Policy 6.4053 Outside Applied Behavior Analysis Therapy on second reading; second by Ms. Fulton. All members voted aye.

Superintendent's Report –

Mr. Jones recommended the board approve the TISA Accountability Report for 2026-27. Chairman Clark made a motion to approve the TISA Accountability Report for 2026-27; second by Vice Chair Bryson. All members voted aye.

Mr. Jones recommended the board approve the FHS Beta Club attending State Convention on Nov. 19-21 at Gaylord Opryland in Nashville. Ms. Fulton made a motion to approve the trip; second by Mrs. Hopkins. All members voted aye.

Chairman's Report - Mrs. Murdock made a motion to approve a resolution for Custodian Appreciation Day on Oct. 22, 2026; second by Ms. Bryson. All members voted aye.

Chairman Clark announced the board will meet in regular session on Monday, Nov. 2, 2026, at 5 p.m., in the auditorium on the first floor of the Fayetteville Municipal Building.

The meeting was adjourned.



Mark Clark, Chairman



Pamela Bryson, Vice Chairman

Minutes submitted by Sandy Williams