

November 6, 2023  
Colquitt, Georgia

The Miller County Board of Education met in a regular session on Monday, November 6, 2023, at 6:00 P.M.

The following members were present:

Michael Keown, Superintendent  
Cody Cleveland, Board Chair  
Bill Spooner, Vice-Chair  
Leroy Bush  
Jason Cox  
Jason Suggs

Chairman Cody Cleveland called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. and Bill Spooner led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recommendation made by Chairman Mr. Cleveland to approve the agenda and past minutes. Motion made by Mr. Suggs and seconded by Mr. Spooner. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Keown presented the System Strategic Plan. Teachers were recognized as follows:

*Elementary School Teacher of the Year – April Brown*

*Middle School Teacher of the Year – Tammy Vann*

*High School Teacher of the Year – Jessica Horne*

*District Teacher of the Year – Jessica Horne*

Recommendation made by Mr. Keown to approve the Travel and Fundraiser requests. Motion made by Mr. Spooner, seconded by Mr. Bush, motion carried unanimously.

Recommendation made by Mr. Keown to approve the Financial Statements. Motion made by Mr. Bush seconded by Mr. Spooner, motion carried unanimously.

Recommendation made by Mr. Keown to approve the purchases over \$5,000 as follows.

- *Progress Learning, USA Test Prep renewal, \$5,500.00 Consolidated Funds.  
Motion made by Mr. Bush, seconded by Mr. Suggs, motion carried unanimously.*
- *Invision, Gate Access Control Project, \$14,966.00, State Security Grant.  
Motion made by Mr. Suggs, seconded by Mr. Spooner, motion carried unanimously.*

No Executive Session.

Recommendation made by Mr. Keown to approve Personnel as follows.

- *Approve hiring Kaitlin King as custodian, replacing Anthony Richardson and Byron Williams as a substitute Teacher. Motion made by Mr. Bush, seconded by Mr. Cox, motion carried unanimously.*
- *Accept resignation from Joel Espano, Math Teacher, effective 10-18-23. Motion made by Mr. Spooner, seconded By Mr. Suggs, motion carried unanimously.*


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Mr. Cleveland adjourned the meeting at 6:20. Motion, Mr. Bush, second Mr. Cox, carried unanimously.



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Superintendent



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Board Chair