The Dale County Board of Education met in Special Session Tuesday, August 26, 2025, at 5:30 p.m., in the Board Room of the Dale County Government Building. Shannon Deloney, Board President, presided over the meeting with members Jerald Cook, Priscilla McKnight, Phillip Parker, and Superintendent Ben Baker present.

- 1 The meeting was called to order by President Shannon Deloney.
- 2 Approval of Agenda

Motion – Priscilla McKnight, Second – Jerald Cook, carried.

3 Visitors

No visitors were present.

4 Personnel 2025-2026

The Superintendent recommended the following personnel pending certification and background requirements by the State Department of Education.

Personnel 2025-2026

Certified

Medical Leave

- 1 Lauren McVey, Teacher, (SDMS) expected dates for leave September 5, 2025 – September 26, 2025
- 2 Misti England, replacement for Lauren McVey expected dates for leave September 5, 2025 September 26, 2025

Maternity Leave

- 3 Lindsey Sullivan, Teacher, (SDMS) expected dates for leave November 3, 2025 – January 20, 2026
- 4 Misti England, replacement for Lindsey Sullivan expected dates for leave November 3, 2025 January 20, 2026
- 5 Cassie Lee, Teacher, (MCES) expected dates for leave January 6, 2026 March 20, 2026
- 6 Alexis Braden Atkins, replacement for Cassie Lee expected dates for leave January 6, 2025 March 20, 2026

Personnel 2025-2026 (Cont.)

Certified

Employ

7 – Ned (Bucky) Sconyers, Transportation Director, (District)

Resign

8 – Maegan Chelsi Jones, Teacher, (Ariton)

Contract Title I Teacher

9 – Tonya Norris, Intervention Teacher, (DCHS)

Non-Certified

Maternity Leave

10 – Caroline Hall, Paraprofessional Aide, (MCES) expected dates for leave January 24, 2026 – March 30, 2026

11 – Meagan Pecor, replacement for Caroline Hall expected dates for leave January 24, 2026 – March 30, 2026

Resign

12 – Kacey Gunter, Paraprofessional Aide, (LHS)

Motion – Dale Sutton, Second – Phillip Parker, carried.

5 Other

With no other business, President Deloney adjourned the meeting.

Secretary