

**MINUTES**  
***Board Meeting***  
**April 27, 2020**

The **board meeting** of the Tattnall County Board of Education was held on **April 27, 2020, 1:00 P.M.** The meeting was **called to order** with a **welcome** by Chairman, Richard Bland, **prayer** by Mary Ruth Ray and **pledge** to the Flag led by Stephanie Thomas.

**Those board members present were:**

Richard Bland  
DuAnn Cowart Davis  
Stephanie Thomas  
Mary Ruth Ray  
Dale Kicklighter

**The board Superintendent present was:**

Dr. Gina G. Williams

**System staff members present were:**

Donna Bland, Kristen Waters, Robin Waters, Carla Waters and Gwenda Johnson

**Visitors present were:**

Pam Waters, *Journal-Sentinel*

**On Motion of Dale Kicklighter, and seconded by Mary Ruth Ray, the board unanimously adopted the agenda for April 27, 2020.**

**II. ITEMS OF INFORMATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

**A. Received reports from Superintendent.**

**1. Superintendent reported:**

- a) **Hiring report**
- b) **Year-end news**
- c) **FY21 funding news**
- d) **Upon recommendation of Dr. Gina G. Williams, Superintendent, motioned by DuAnn Cowart Davis and seconded by Stephanie Thomas, it was unanimous to approve Local Facilities Plan resolution.**

**III. SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS AND REPORTS**

**On motion of Mary Ruth Ray and seconded by Dale Kicklighter, the board unanimously approved the consent agenda as presented for the April 27, 2020, meeting.**

**A. Approved Minutes**

**Regular board meeting for Monday, March 23, 2020, 1:00 p.m.**

**B. Employed certified personnel:**

(Employment is temporary/provisional until the receipt of a criminal records check/fingerprints and Georgia Teacher Certification).

**Brittany Tatum, teacher**  
**Courtney Fitzgerald, teacher**  
**Mary Beth Franklin, teacher**

**Kristin Barratta, teacher**  
**Jacob Stanfield, teacher**  
**Julius Hart, teacher**

**Cindy Huff, teacher  
Jamie Arnold, teacher  
Alexis Ferrell, teacher  
Moriah Morey, teacher**

**Amelia Parker, teacher  
Minnie Barefield, teacher  
Gina Jacobs Ragland, teacher**

**C. Employed Pre-K certified personnel:  
Inde'ra Williams**

**D. Employed non-certified personnel:  
Sheronda Mobley, paraprofessional**

**E. Accepted resignations and identified personnel leaving the system:  
Chloe Pickle, teacher (resignation - effective March 30, 2020)  
Katie Kennedy, teacher (resignation - effective May 27, 2020)  
Gil Johnson, teacher (resignation - effective May 27, 2020)  
Carla Waters, Asst. Supt – Curriculum & Instruction (retirement – effective June 30, 2020)  
Jamie Lynn, teacher – (non-renewal effective May 27, 2020)**

**F. Approved Transfer Kristen Waters from TCHS Principal to Curriculum Director**

**G. Approved transportation surplus:  
Bus #300  
Bus #205**

**IV. Motioned by Mary Ruth Ray, the board adjourned at 1:02 p.m.**

Chairman \_\_\_\_\_

Vice Chair \_\_\_\_\_

Board Member \_\_\_\_\_

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Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved: May 18, 2020**