

OPP CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE
Tuesday, June 17, 2025, at 5:00 p.m.

A. Call to Order

Dr. Walter Burgess, Board President, called the meeting to order.

B. Roll Call

Those present:

Dr. Walter Burgess
Mr. Merrill Culverhouse
Dr. Katie Fuller
Mr. Andrew McCord

Those absent:

Dr. Lori Stanfield

C. Approval of Agenda

- a. Mr. Andrew McCord moved to accept the agenda as presented. Dr. Katie Fuller seconded the motion, which passed with a unanimous vote.

D. Approval of Minutes

- a. Dr. Katie Fuller moved to accept the minutes from May 21st meeting as presented in written form. Mr. Andrew McCord seconded the motion, which passed with a unanimous vote.

E. Awards & Resolutions

- a. None

F. Public Comments

- a. None

G. Old Business

- a. None

H. New Business

- a. Out of State Field Trip

Mr. Ted Watson recommended the Board approve the Out of State Field Trip for the Opp High School Girls Varsity Basketball Team to attend a basketball camp at Florida State University in Tallahassee, Florida as presented and detailed in the attachment.

Dr. Katie Fuller moved to approve the Out of State Field Trip for the Opp High School Girls Varsity Basketball Team to attend a basketball camp at Florida State University in Tallahassee, Florida as present and detailed in the attachment. Mr. Merrill Culverhouse seconded the motion, which passed with unanimous vote.

- b. 2025-2026 Board Meeting Dates & Times

Mr. Ted Watson recommended the Board approve the 2025-2026 Board Meeting Dates and Times as presented and detailed in the attachment. Mr. Merrill Culverhouse moved for the Board to approve the 2025-2026 Board Meeting Dates and Times as presented and detailed in the attachment. Dr. Katie Fuller seconded the motion, which passed with unanimous vote.

- c. Personnel Report

Mr. Ted Watson recommended the Board approve the Personnel Report as presented and detailed below.

Resignations

Lisa Holloway – Special Education Teacher/OMS

Holly Driver – 8th Grade English Teacher/OMS

Darren Chesteen – Bus Mechanic

Internal Transfers

Debbie Preachers – From Interim to Director of Student Support Services
Chad Johnson – From OHS History Teacher to OMS Guidance Counselor
Daniel Allison – From OHS English Teacher to OHS History Teacher
Diana Greenacre – From OHS Paraprofessional to OES Special Education Teacher
Kait Presley – From OMS Paraprofessional to OMS Language Arts Teacher 5th Grade
Angela Parker – From Central Office Receptionist/Accounts Payable to District Office
Administrative Assistant to include check signing privileges
Joanna Whigham – From OMS Bookkeeper to Central Office Receptionist/Accounts
Payable
Connie Free – From 9-Month Math Coach to 10-Month Math Coach

Intents to Hire

Ella Colvin – Paraprofessional/OES
Chris Littleton – Principal/OMS
Katie Rameriz – Special Education Teacher/OMS
Olivia Spayde – 8th Grade English Teacher/OMS
Hillary Parker – Paraprofessional/OMS
Zeb Green – Assistant Football Coach/OMS
Ashley Meadows – English Teacher/OHS
Kasey Parker – Special Education Teacher/OHS
Sarah Moseley – Paraprofessional/OHS
Hallie Brown – Paraprofessional/OHS
Jimmy Godwin – Instructional Aide/OHS
Michael Wood – Groundskeeper
Darren Chesteen – Bus Drive
Joseph Warren – Bus Mechanic

FMLA

Gracyn King – Maternity Leave (beginning of school year)

Dr. Katie Fuller moved for the Board to go into Executive Session to Discuss Good Name & Character. Mr. Andrew McCord seconded the motion, which passed with a unanimous vote. Dr. Katie Fuller moved for the Board to go back into Regular Session. Mr. Merrill Culverhouse seconded the motion, which passed with a unanimous vote.

Dr. Katie Fuller moved for the Board to approve the Personnel Report as presented and detailed above. Mr. Andrew McCord seconded the motion, which passed with a unanimous vote.

I. Superintendent's Report

- a. Mr. Watson gave the Board an update on Ms. Edgar and her return date back home.
- b. Mr. Watson informed the Board that the Opp City Council approved ordinance No 2025-05 on June 16, 2025 extending the 1/2 cent city sales tax to July 1, 2045 when the Series 2025 warrants will be retired.
- c. Mr. Watson informed the Board that a Called Board Meeting will need to be held sometime the week of July 7th.
- d. Mr. Watson reminded the Board of the upcoming Meet & Greet for the new OHS Band Director schedule for Monday, June 23rd, at 6:00 p.m. at The Depot.

J. Adjourn

- a. There being no further business, Mr. Andrew McCord moved to adjourn the meeting.
Dr. Walter Burgess seconded the motion, which passed with unanimous vote.



Mr. Ted Watson, Acting Superintendent



Dr. Walter Burgess, Board President