Board Meeting Summary July 14, 2025

The Trion Board of Education met in the regular monthly meeting on Monday, July 14, 2025. The meeting was held in the Board Room of the Board of Education office located at 239 Simmons Street, Trion, Georgia.

Present for the meeting were: Dr. Phil Williams, Superintendent, Chair Randy Henderson, Vice Chair Kari Brown, Members Johnny Brimer, Darriel Broome and Laura Chesley. Also in attendance were Dr. Howard Hughes and Mandy Taylor.

Old Business

The board approved new Policy GCRH: Classified Personal Vacations.

New Business

- Board members received and approved the ESPLOST and the system financial reports.
- The board approved a spending resolution for the month of August 2025.
- The board received the FY26 tentative budget. The tentative budget will be tabled for a period of review. If no revisions are needed, the budget will be resubmitted for final approval.
- Board members approved budget amendment to transfer funds from the general account to the cafeteria account.
- The school quarterly financial reports were reviewed and approved by the board.
- The board received the first reading of a new tentative Policy DFL Investment Earnings and approved the revision of Policy JGJA Suicide Prevention.
- The K-3rd grade reading curriculum was reviewed and approved by board members.
- Elementary, middle, and high school student handbooks for SY 2025-2026 were submitted and approved by the board members.
- The board reviewed and approved the Student Support Services Manuals, Gifted Education Manual, ESOL/Title III handbook, and the Federal Programs Manual.

Other Business

The board received the Bulldog Athletic Club financial report as an information item. The BAC reports \$21,370.11 as the closing balance. The band booster club reports a balance of \$16,142.30 with \$7,836.20 in savings.

Superintendent Report

Dr. Williams updated board members with the progress of several active construction projects on the campus.

Personnel

The following personnel recommendations were submitted and approved:

Certified Recommendations:

Regina Crabtree – Elementary Teacher (49%) Staci Corbin – Elementary Teacher (49%)

Classified Recommendations:

Amanda Burke - Elementary Bookkeeper Mallori Goodridge - Elementary Administrative Assistant Claudia Reynoso – High School Administrative Assistant Kait Thrasher – Elementary Paraprofessional

Certified Resignations:

Heath Vincent – High School Teacher Garrett Brown – High School Teacher

Classified Resignation:

Cathy Eversole - Elementary Bookkeeper

Substitute Employees:

Kaye Hall – Teacher Katelyn Woods – Teacher Emma Kate Day - Teacher

The next board meeting will be held Monday, August 11, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. in the board room.