

Regular Session  
June 18, 2007

The Randolph County Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, June 18, 2007, at 6 p.m. at the Jaycee Building.

Call to Order

Chairperson LaVerne Williams called the meeting to order. Board members in attendance were as follows: P. Guthrie, G. Cook, G. Lawson, and B. Coltrane. Tommy McDonald and Janet Johnson were not present for the meeting.

Moment of Silence

The Board observed a Moment of Silence before beginning the meeting.

Pledge of Allegiance

Abbey Cates and Emily Walker, students from Uwharrie Middle School, led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recognition of Guests

Chairperson Williams recognized principal representatives Rick Dawes and Linda Johnson; Randolph Community College President Bob Shackelford; and members of the press.

Student Reading

The student reading was presented by Jessica Krpejs a fifth grader at Hopewell Elementary School.

Announcements

Superintendent Andrews made the following announcements:

1. Principals/Central Office Summer Retreat, June 20-22, 2007

Board Spotlight

Career and Technical Education Director Ann Callicutt recognized FBLA State Winners Ashley Sumner, Matt Hutton, Bekah Perez, Ashley Short, Amy Giles, and Justin Brown from Trinity High School and Kristen Hardin from Eastern Randolph High School.

Donnie Baxter introduced Southwestern Randolph High School Softball Coach Steve Taylor. Mr. Taylor recognized seniors from the Southwestern Randolph High School State AAA Softball Championship Team.

Mr. Baxter also recognized Wayne and Betty Snyder from Snyder Farms Restaurant. The Snyders have been long-time friends and supporters of the school system and most recently were corporate sponsors of the Randolph Sports Council.

Minutes

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by B. Coltrane that minutes of meetings held on May 21 and 31, 2007, be approved as presented. The motion carried: 5-0.

Public Comments

There were no public comments.

Adoption of Agenda

P. Guthrie made a motion seconded by G. Lawson that the Board adopt the agenda as presented. The motion carried: 5-0.

Consent Items

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by G. Cook that the Board approve consent items as presented. The motion carried: 5-0.

1. Assignments and Releases – 29 releases, 145 assignments, and 8 denial(s) for student assignments for 2007-2008 school year.

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2. Budget Amendment will be presented to the Board and voted by telephone the last week in June and confirmed at the July Board meeting.
3. Federal Projects Applications and Assurances – Title II and Title V.
4. Interim Budget Resolution – That the Board approve an amount equal to the 2006-2007 budget as an Interim Budget for 2007-2008 until local, state, and federal allotments are finalized.
5. School Depositories and Treasurers for the 2007-2008 school year.
6. Child Nutrition Food and Supply Bids – Walker Distributing, Beverages; Flowers Baking Co., Bread; Pet Dairy, Milk; and Covington Supply, Chemicals.
7. Second Reading of Policy 4125 Transfer of Students To/From Other School Districts/Homeless Students.
8. Providence Grove High School Change Orders – Polishing of corridors and mid and upper stair landings in lieu of installing VCT flooring at a cost of \$39,996.91.
9. Appointment of John Freeze to Randolph Community College Board of Trustees.
10. Contract with EduCon consulting group for energy savings plan.

Career Technical Education Plan

Director Ann Callicutt presented the Career Technical Education Plan for the coming school year. She reported that the plan contained no major changes over the current plan.

Spanish Immersion Program

Alan Young, VIF CEO, presented information on the Spanish Immersion Program for elementary school students. His presentation included a video showing kindergarten through second grade students in a classroom setting receiving math and science instruction in Spanish. He reported that research showed that students in this program scored high academically while learning a second language. Sharon Harper, Principal at Hopewell School, stated that she, as well as parents, were looking forward to implementing the program in kindergarten during the coming school year. She reported that there was a waiting list of students for the program.

Testing Update

Vicki Moss, Director of Testing and Accountability, presented preliminary writing, reading, math, and end-of-course scores for the 2006-2007 school year. Writing scores have increased in grades 4, 7, and 10 over the 2006-2007 school year. She presented information for each school for End-of-Grade Math and Reading scores and high school End-of-Course Preliminary Data.

State Education Report

Board Member Becky Coltrane reported that at the last state meeting federal and state legislation, No Child Left Behind, calendar issues, and tax credits were discussed.

Summer Board Retreat

Superintendent Andrews reported that the Summer Board Retreat was scheduled for Tuesday, August 21, 2007.

Facility Construction Update

Marty Trotter, Director of Facilities and Construction, reported that bids had been advertised for Wheatmore High School and that a pre-bid conference was scheduled for June 20 at 3 p.m. Bids will be opened on June 12 and reported to the Board at a special meeting in July. Wheatmore High School is scheduled for completion in June 2009.

Mr. Trotter reported that concrete had been poured for the media center at Providence Grove High School and metal studs for interior walls and block for exterior walls had been constructed.

Trinity High School Fitness Center

Mr. Trotter, Trinity High School Principal Daryl Barnes, members of the Athletic Booster Club, and Architect Dean Spinks, and Contractor Ricky Bevins presented plans for the construction of a 3,000 square foot fitness center to be constructed behind the Trinity High School gymnasium. G. Cook made a motion

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seconded by B. Coltrane that the Board approve plans for the fitness center as presented. The motion carried: 5-0. Construction on the project will begin in July, 2007, and a completion date of October, 2007.

Closed Session

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by P. Guthrie that the Board go into closed session to consult with the attorney concerning preserve the attorney-client privilege in regards to a discussion of a bond forfeiture as provided in North Carolina General Statute 143.318.11(a)(3), to discuss the acquisition of real estate as provided in North Carolina General Statutes 143.318.11(a)(3), and to discuss the terms of an employment contract as provided in North Carolina General Statute 143.318.11(a)(5). The motion carried: 5-0.

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by B. Coltrane that the meeting return to open session. The motion carried: 5-0.

Appointment

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by G. Lawson that the Board approve the recommendation of Superintendent Donald Andrews to name Marty Trotter, currently Director of Facilities and Construction, Assistant Superintendent of Operations. The motion carried: 5-0.

Bond Forfeiture

Attorney Bob Wilhoit made a recommendation that the Board offer Aegis Security Insurance Company a \$10,000 refund on a posted and paid bond for Lucino Abonza Rios. B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by G. Lawson that the recommendation of the attorney be approved as presented. The motion carried: 5-0.

Personnel Report

P. Guthrie made a motion seconded by B. Coltrane that the Board approve the Personnel Report as presented. The motion carried: 5-0. The report as approved by the Board is as follows:

PERSONNEL REPORT

PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE/SUBJECT</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>DATE EFFECTIVE</u>
<u>EMPLOYMENT</u>			
Jan Espada	EC	THS	08/16/07
James Luther	Science	SERMS	08/16/07
Paula Mills	Speech/Lang. Path.	RES	08/16/07
Zach Thornburg	Math	RHS	08/16/07
Jessica Burton	Music	ERHS	08/16/07
Jennifer Reynolds	Social Studies	SWRHS	08/16/07
Jane Braswell	Language Arts	SWRMS	08/16/07
Christopher Pierce	Science	UMS	08/16/07
Angela Hunt	Grade 2	TES	08/16/07
Stephanie Davidson	Grade 1	TES	08/16/07
Beverly Snider	Business	THS	08/16/07
Michelle Landrum	Business	THS	08/16/07
Peggy Hayden	Language Arts	SWRMS	08/16/07
Megan Tinker	Psychologist	C/O	08/16/07
Josianne Bigham	Language Arts	RMS	08/16/07
Traci Passmore	Grade 5	Liberty	08/16/07
Jane Keeter	P.E.	RMS	08/16/07
Megan Chamblee	Social Studies	SWRHS	08/16/07
Jennifer Dickerson	Science	SWRHS	08/16/07

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Melissa Swett	Cross Cat	NERMS	08/16/07
Carol Schuck-Dillon	Spanish	ERHS	08/16/07
Susan Cox	Lang. Arts	SERMS	08/16/07
Tara Davis	Math	SWRMS	08/16/07
Sandra Epps	Grade 3	Ramseur	08/16/07
Karen Plasschaert	TMD	Franklinville	08/16/07
Jennifer Warren	Grade 3	Franklinville	08/16/07

TRANSFER

Courtney Davis	English	SWRMS>RHS	08/16/07
Jenna Lineberry	L.D. Resource	SWRMS>RHS	08/16/07
Susan Stevenson	Gifted Ed>Gifted Ed/Lead Teacher	Ramseur/Col.> Coleridge	08/16/07
Patricia Underwood	Math	SWRMS>RHS	08/16/07
Brenda Daniel	Science	SWRHS>RECHS	08/16/07
Angele Johnson	Grade 5>Guidance	G.C.>Hopewell	08/16/07
Catherine Odham	GROW>Grade 3	Seagrove	08/16/07
David Benbow	P.E.	Ramseur/Col.> SERMS	08/16/07
Diana Mishoe	Guidance	Hopewell>THS	08/16/07
Tiffany Edwards	E.C.>CDC	SWRHS>RECHS	08/16/07
Dale Davies	L.D. Res.>BED	THS	08/16/07
Robert Davis	L.D. Res.>BED	UMS	08/16/07
Kelly Hill	BED>Cross Cat	UMS	08/16/07
Vickie King	L.D. Resource	RMS>L.C.	08/16/07
Pam Freeman	Speech/Lang.	Ramseur>C.O.	08/16/07
Megan Moody	Grade 4	Seagrove>S'mont.	08/16/07
Tracy Dawes	P.E.>Asst. Prin.	UMS>RHS	08/01/07
Jennifer Hendren	L.D. Resource	RES>Ramseur	08/16/07
Katherine Hambright	Grade 3	TES>JLE	08/16/07
Amy Ketron	English	SWRMS>THS	08/16/07
Karen Johnson	Assistant Principal	RES>RMS	08/01/07
Shelley Lopossay	Reading>Reading/GE	Franklinville	08/16/07
Ruth Trent	LD Res.>Cross Cat	Tabernacle	08/16/07
Deborah Trogdon-Stout	Science	RHS>THS	08/16/07
Dawn Walters	Lead Teacher 11 mos.>12 mos.	C/O	07/01/07
Beverly Williamson	Speech Path. 100%>80%	Seagrove	08/16/07
Jessica Wulff	Hearing Impaired	Southmont>Rams.	08/16/07
Veronica Zaragoza	Cross Cat>LD Res.	ERHS	08/16/07
Julie Pack	Assistant Principal	RMS>RHS	07/01/07
Misty Wolfe	Science>Guidance	THS	08/16/07
Edwina Severt	Lead Teacher>Asst. Prin.	SWRHS	07/01/07

RESIGNATION

Melissa Simmons	Social Studies	RMS	06/13/07
Misti Money	Grade 2	Southmont	06/13/07
Wendy Carico	Grade 3	Hopewell	06/13/07
Jessica Daniels	Speech/Lang. Path.	Grays Chapel	06/13/07
Tara Snyder	LD Resource	RHS	06/13/07
Anna Caviness	Grade 2	Southmont	06/13/07
Aimee Toth	Kindergarten	Archdale	06/13/07
Alicia Miller	LD Resource	Ramseur	06/13/07
Erik Huey	English	RHS	06/13/07
Mary Doyle	Chorus	SERMS	06/13/07
Leigh Humphrey	LD Resource	RMS	06/13/07

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Trent Taylor	Asst. Principal	SWRHS	06/30/07
Claudia Barto	LD Resource	THS	06/13/07
Howard Barber	Math	SERMS	06/13/07
Kyle Mendenhall	LD Resource	RHS	06/13/07
Candace Stanley	Language Arts	SERMS	05/24/07
Heather Mitchell	Grade 1	TES	06/13/07
Cassia Simms	B-K	Liberty	06/13/07
Crissie Jones	Grade 2	Coleridge	06/13/07
Lori Coble	LD Resource	RMS	06/13/07

RETIREMENT

Tom Kindelberger	LD Resource	SWRHS	07/01/07
Roger King	Guidance	THS	07/01/07
Cynthia Swearingen	Grade 5	Ramseur	07/01/07

POSITION ENDING

Eldora Allen	Remediation	Southmont	06/13/07
Cynthia Pierce	Adm. Asst./Support	ERHS	06/13/07
Janet Cates	Lead Teacher	Ramseur	06/13/07
Claudia Ihme	Remediation	Ramseur	06/13/07
Laura York	Remediation	Southmont	06/13/07

CONTRACT ENDING

Vickie Kosterman	E.C.	RMS	06/13/07
Karri Bell	GROW	Level Cross	06/13/07
Kaye Davis	GROW	New Market	06/13/07
Caroline Kemp	GROW	RES	06/13/07
Ira McGee	E.C.	SERMS	06/13/07
Jack Embree	Science	UMS	06/13/07
Ken Gray	Remediation	Franklinville	06/13/07
Linda Wright	Remediation	Franklinville	06/13/07
Sherry Harrell	Math	RHS	06/13/07
Nichole Robertshaw(VIF)	Grade 4	Grays Chapel	06/13/07

POSITION EXTENDED

Toni Wiker	Remediation	RES	06/13/07
Charlotte Nester	Remediation	RES	06/13/07
Jason Oliver	Remediation	Southmont	06/13/07

PART-TIME POSITIONS CONTINUED

Kristina Wheat	Curriculum Facilitator	ATMS	08/16/07
Phyllis Wicker	Remediation	NERMS	08/16/07
Betty Jo Armfield	EC Program Spec.	C/O	08/16/07
Mitchell Beane	ESL	Grays Chapel	08/16/07
Garlie Edwards	ESL	Liberty	08/16/07
Patricia Spencer	K-2 Lead Teacher	C/O	07/01/07
Meredith Swanson	Psychologist	C/O	08/01/07
Kathryn Wasileski	Psychologist	C/O	08/01/07
Tom Allen	Technology	Tabernacle	08/16/07
Peggy Folelman	Remediation	SWRMS	08/16/07
Sandra Paisley	Remediation	SERMS	08/16/07
LeeVan Hughes	Remediation	RMS	08/16/07
Lewis Southern	Math	SWRHS	08/16/07
Janice Mills	English	SWRHS	08/16/07
Burton Cates	P.E.	ERHS	08/16/07
Brenda Powers	Art	Farmer	08/16/07

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Judy Ward	P.E.	Farmer	08/16/07
Joyce Gray	Reading	Franklinville	08/16/07
Rick Larrick	P.E.	ERHS	08/16/07
Elizabeth Sherman	Remediation	Hopewell	08/16/07

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PENDING CONTRACTS ISSUED

Jill Nelson	Technology	RMS	06/15/07
Dianne Hutchinson	Grade 4	Ramseur	06/15/07
David Webster	Carpentry	ERHS	06/15/07
Tommy Daniel	Carpentry	SWRHS	06/15/07
Lauren Wood	Science	ERHS	06/15/07
Anthony Grosch	Social Studies	RHS	06/15/07

CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADES</u>	<u>SCHOOL(S)</u>	<u>PAY LEVEL</u>
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EMPLOYMENT

Eddie Morphis	Electrician	Maintenance	05/29/07
Anita Proano	Teacher Assistant	Hopewell	08/16/07
Paula Faulkner	Teacher Assistant	Seagrove	08/16/07
Nancy Ellis	Secretary/Treasurer	SERMS	06/18/07

TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT

Erin Hill	Teacher Assistant	Trinity Elem	04/23/07- 06/13/07
Zeb Todd	General Maintenance	Maintenance	05/21/07
Susan Kirkman	Custodian	Level Cross	06/13/07- 08/15/07
David McLeod III	Custodian	Seagrove	06/11/07
Joshua Abernethy	Custodian	Seagrove	07/09/07
James Williamson	Custodian	Seagrove	06/08/07
Sandra Leonard	Custodian	Seagrove	06/11/07
Sharon Hunt	Custodian	Braxton	06/14/07- 08/15/07
Donna Campbell	Custodian	Southmont	06/11/07
Jeffrey Batchelor	Custodian	ERHS	06/13/07
Tangela Miller	Custodian	Hopewell	06/13/07
Melanie Way	Instructional Tutor	Coleridge	05/01/07
Tammy Bryant	Instructional Tutor	Uwharrie	05/01/07
Mindy Hawkins	Instructional Tutor	Uwharrie	05/01/07
Rita Long	Instructional Tutor	Uwharrie	05/01/07

TRANSFER

Lou Stout	General Office Assistant/Elem SIMS to Student Services Assistant	Ramseur to Central Office	06/14/07
Doely Watkins	Bilingual Advocate to Elem SIMS/General Office Assistant	Ramseur	08/16/07
Debra Albright	Teacher Assistant K3/Lightspan to Teacher Assistant Lightspan	Seagrove	08/16/07
Betty Hill	Teacher Assistant to Teacher Assistant AT	Hopewell	08/16/07
Sara Todd	Teacher Assistant K3/Technology Assistant to Media Assistant	Archdale	08/16/07
Sheila Luffman	Teacher Assistant Exceptional Children	SWRHS to SWRMS	08/24/07
Karen Arnold	Teacher Assistant Lightspan to Teacher Assistant K3	Southmont to Seagrove	08/16/07 08/16/07

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Sami Cosner	Teacher Assistant (4/5)/(AT)/Media to Teacher Assistant K3	Archdale	08/16/07
Katie McKenzie	General Office Assistant/Teacher Assistant /(4/5)(DF) to General Office Assistant	Coleridge	08/16/07
Angela Deaton	Teacher Assistant Exceptional Children to Teacher Assistant K3	Franklinville	08/16/07
Jennifer Brower	Teacher Assistant K3/ After School Care/DF to Teacher Assistant/Bus Driver	Franklinville	08/16/07
Naomi Pendleton	After School Care Director to Technology Assistant	Archdale to Southmont	08/16/07
Rebecca Wooters	Remediation to Teacher Assistant (4/5) DF	Archdale	08/16/07

CHANGE OF SERVICE

Wanda Lucas	Administrative Assistant to Superintendent 5 hr to 4 hr	Central Office	07/01/07
Louise Bridges	Custodian 12 mo to 10 mo	Level Cross	06/13/07
Valerie Peace	General Office Assistant 11 mo to 12 mo	ATMS	06/13/07

SHORT TERM DISABILITY

Annette Chavis	Teacher Assistant Pre K for pay	Randleman Elem	March 7, 2007
Ernest Smith	Custodian	Lawrence	05/11/07

LONG TERM DISABILITY

Kathryn Owen	Teacher Assistant	Farmer	04/01/07
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RESIGNATION

Rosemarie Poeppelman	Teacher Assistant Exceptional Children	SERMS	05/17/07
Dale Wall	Bus Driver	Hopewell	06/07/07
Melanie Boling	School Nurse	Central Office	06/13/07
Janet Clarke	Parents as Teachers Coordinator	Southmont	05/18/07

TERMINATION

Cortina Black	Teacher Assistant	Liberty	06/13/07
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POSITION ELIMINATED

Joni Kolwyck	Teacher Assistant Exceptional Children	ATMS	08/16/07
Angela Taylor	General Office Assistant	ATMS	08/16/07

RETIREMENT

Harold Allred	Maintenance	Maintenance	08/01/07
Dallas Turner	HVAC Foreman	Maintenance	08/01/07
Vickie Blanks	Secretary/Treasurer	SERMS	07/01/07



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SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADES</u>	<u>SCHOOL(S)</u>	<u>PAY LEVEL</u>
Douglas Harmon	K-5	Trindale	Non Certified

Adjournment

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by PI Guthrie that the meeting adjourn. The motion carried: 5-0.

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Chairman

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Secretary