**QUITMAN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**GEORGETOWN, GEORGIA**

**MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 6, 2022**

**REGULAR MEETING**

The Quitman County Board of Education met in a regular session on September 6, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the Boardroom of the Administrative Office, 215 Kaigler Road. Mr. Willie J. Anderson, Chairman, presided.

**PRESENT:** Mr. Willie J. Anderson, Chairman; Mr. Larry Wilborn, Vice Chairman, Mr. Jimmy Eleby, Mrs. Christi Green, and Ms. Sherri Hunter, Board members; and Mr. Jon-Erik Jones, School Superintendent.

**ABSENT:** None.

**CALL TO ORDER AND OPENING CEREMONY**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Anderson with a moment of silence followed by the Pledge.

**AGENDA APPROVAL**

On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to approve the Agenda as printed. The motion passed.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

The Superintendent recommended approval of August 2, 2022, Regular Board Minutes. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of August 17, 2022, Called Board Minutes (Tax Hearing #1). On a motion by Mr. Eleby and a second by Mr. Wilborn, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of August 17, 2022, Called Board Minutes (Tax Hearing #2). On a motion by Mr. Eleby and a second by Mr. Wilborn, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of August 24, 2022, Called Board Minutes (Tax Hearing #3). There was a correction that was needed per Mrs. Green. The correction was made during the meeting. On a motion by Mr. Eleby and a second by Mr. Wilborn, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of June 23, 2022, Called Board Minutes. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

**SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORTS & UPDATES**

Principal Curry shared school updates including attendance, academic, and athletic updates and Georgia Milestone data.

The Superintendent informed the Board that he would resume with District Spotlights next month. We will also start inviting students and parents back to the Board meetings next month.

**PERSONNEL (EXECUTIVE SESSION)**

The Superintendent recommended entering executive session for the purpose of discussing personnel. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to resume regular session. The motion passed.

Chairman Anderson stated that the Board had met in executive session for the purpose of discussing personnel. No decisions were made, and no votes were taken; only discussion took place.

The Superintendent recommended the approval of the concession stand proposal. The proposal includes a supplement for Mr. Hill and budget for additional support in the concession stand to decrease the number of games teachers are required to work. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of the slate of Extended Learning Time Workers. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

**FINANCE**

The Superintendent recommended approval of the Financial Report for August 2022. On a motion by Mr. Eleby and a second by Mr. Wilborn, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of the Tax Collections for July 2022. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

**MAINTENANCE & OPERATIONS**

The Superintendent and Board tabled a discussion of a fall surplus sale until the next meeting.

The Superintendent recommended approval of a school volunteer form (administrative procedure), pending final approval by the Board’s attorney. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

**NEW & UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

The Superintendent recommended approval of the Divisive Concepts Policy. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent and Board tabled “Board Policies for First Reading” until the next meeting.

The Superintendent recommended approval of the FY’23 Federal & CTAE Grants. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of the AT&T Contract. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of the Emergency Preparedness Proposal (75 manuals from Guest Communications will cost $4,268.25). On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of the following fundraisers for the Senior Class: Buddy Pictures and Krispy Kreme Donuts. On a motion by Mr. Eleby and a second by Mr. Wilborn, the Board voted (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

The Superintendent recommended approval of a FBLA Talent Show on October 7th. On a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted (5, 0), to accept the Superintendent’s recommendation. The motion passed.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS - None**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Superintendent provided updates to the Board on the COSSBA Urban Boards Alliance Symposium.

The Superintendent shared the Board and Administrator Brochures with the Board.

The Superintendent informed the Board that Strength of a Village had a request for transportation support for their YES program. He advised the Board that he would work with Ms. Leslie Culver, Ms. Sara Crumbs, and the organization to do what we can to support. They are requesting support on Mondays.

The next Regular Board Meeting is October 4, 2022, at 6:00 p.m.

**ADJOURNMENT**

With there being no other business to discuss, on a motion by Mr. Wilborn and a second by Mr. Eleby, the Board voted unanimously (5, 0), to adjourn. The motion passed.

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Chairman Secretary