

MINUTES
Board Meeting
April 25, 2022

The **board meeting** of the Tattall County Board of Education was held on **April 25, 2022, 1:00 P.M.** The meeting was **called to order** with a **welcome** by Chairman, Richard Bland, **prayer** by Ronnie Oliver and **pledge** to the Flag led by Stephanie Thomas.

Those board members present were:

Richard Bland
Ronnie Oliver
DuAnn Cowart Davis
Stephanie Thomas

The board Superintendent present was:

Dr. Gina G. Williams

System staff members present were:

Donna Bland, Debbie Powell, Carla Waters, Tina Debevec, Starla Barker, Jonathan King, Shaqulia Foreman, Sasha Quarles, Jodie Wallis and Julianne Atkinson

Visitors present were:

Pam Waters, *Journal-Sentinel*, Geoffrey Atkinson, Michael Sapp, Joy Todd, Shanica Dunson, Jessica Martinez, Madelyn Martinez, William Martinez, Nolan Wiginton and Cita Anderson

On Motion of Stephanie Thomas, and seconded by DuAnn Cowart Davis, the board unanimously adopted the agenda for April 25, 2022.

Received presentations/requests from visitors/others:

(To assure that the board can conduct its business efficiently, all presentations should be brief and shall be limited, not to exceed five [5] minutes, unless an extension of time is granted. All personnel/student and real estate matters may be discussed in executive session.

- **GES presentation**
- **TCHS Drama Club presentation**
- **Recognized 2022 STAR Student – Nolan Wiginton**
- **Recognized 2022 STAR Teacher – Cita Anderson**

II. ITEMS OF INFORMATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

A. Received reports from Superintendent.

1. Superintendent reported:

- a) **ESSER III ARP Act report – COVID In Person Learning Plan and Supplement/Bonus.**
- b) **ESPLOST information.**

- B. Received reports from other system personnel:**
 - 1. Debbie Powell**
 - a) District financial status review.**

III. SUPERINTENDENT’S RECOMMENDATIONS AND REPORTS

On motion of DuAnn Cowart Davis and seconded by Ronnie Oliver, the board unanimously approved the consent agenda as presented for the April 25, 2022, board meeting.

- A. Approved Minutes**
 - Board meeting for Monday, March 28, 2022, 1:00 p.m.**
- B. Employed certified personnel: (Effective 2022-2023)**
 - (Employment is temporary/provisional until the receipt of a criminal records check/fingerprints and Georgia Teacher Certification).**
 - Raegan Kicklighter, teacher**
 - Brennen Geraldo, teacher**
 - James Gansrow, teacher**
 - Nathan Lott, teacher**
- C. Approved release from 2021-2022 contract:**
 - Crystal Caraway, teacher (effective 4/5/2022)**
- D. Accepted resignations and identified personnel leaving the system:**
 - Kay-Lyn Boyett, teacher (resignation)**
 - Ken Murphy, teacher (retirement)**
 - Lexi Palazzo, teacher (resignation)**
 - Taylor Skelton, teacher (resignation)**
 - Hollie Ikner, teacher (resignation)**
 - Shannon Loraine Stuckey, teacher (resignation)**
- E. Approved the \$2000.00 Supplement/Bonus for staff.**
- F. Approved Summer school staff: (See attached)**
- G. Approved contract for Migrant Service Provider for Arthur Larry Smith (7/1/2022-6/30/2023)**
- H. Accept February 2022 and March 2022 expenditures.**

IV. Motioned by Stephanie Thomas, the board adjourned at 1:52 p.m.

Chairman _____

Vice Chair _____

Board Member _____

Board Member _____

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Board Member _____

Secretary _____

Approved: May 23, 2022