

**FAYETTEVILLE CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
JULY 1, 2019**

Present:

Jeff Whitmore, Chairman
Tom Holland, Vice-Chairman
Joyce Eady
Jennifer Murdock
Sarah Raby
Danny Bryant, Liaison

Also Attending:

Christine Tuten
Ron Perrin
Rujena Dotson
Eric Jones
Steve Giffin
Bridgette Jones
Adam McCormick

Absent:

Janine Wilson, Superintendent
Mark Clark
Cindy Young

Chairman Whitmore called the meeting to order. Dr. Wilson is recovering from shoulder replacement surgery. Mr. Clark is out of town. Mrs. Eady made a motion to approve the agenda; second by Vice Chairman Holland. All board members present voted aye.

Chairman Whitmore led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Vice Chairman Holland made a motion to approve minutes from the June 10, 2019 regularly scheduled board meeting; second by Mrs. Murdock. All board members present voted aye.

Vice Chairman Holland made a motion to approve June disbursements; second by Mrs. Raby. All board members present voted aye.

Ms. Tonya Allen and Ms. Windy Butler along with FMS students reported on their recent trip to New York and Washington. Some of the sites the students visited were the Library of Congress, State Capital, Changing of the Guards at Arlington Cemetery, Washington Monument, World War II Memorial, Abraham Lincoln Monument, Times Square, Empire State Building, Statue of Liberty, New York Stock Exchange/Wallstreet Buildings, 911 Memorial, China Town, Broadway Show – Chicago and Hershey World in Pennsylvania on the way home. Mr. Giffin thanked the board for giving the students this opportunity. He commented on how respectful the students were and how happy he was that everyone arrived home safely.

Reports:

Facilities and Transportation – Mr. Perrin reported on building damage caused by Thursdays storm at FHS. The band room roof was damaged and lightning struck computer line switches at both FHS and FMS. The switches were under warranty. Mr. John Cheney will not be able to attend the July 8 meeting but will be here on August 2 after lunch to meet with board members. The annual breakfast will be on August 1 at First Baptist Church on the second floor and the annual hamburger luncheon will be on August 2. Invitations with details will be mailed to employees and board members.

Finance – Chairman Whitmore made a motion to approve Cafeteria Line Item Amendment #1 FY2019; second by Vice Chairman Holland. All board members present voted aye.

Chairman Whitmore made a motion to approve FY20 Consolidated Application for IDEA/ESEA; second by Mrs. Raby. All board members present voted aye.

Insurance and Policy – No Report

Supervisors' Report -

Mr. Perrin – No Report

Mr. Jones – reported the state department is in the process of funding additional money for the schools. This should directly benefit Fayetteville City Schools.

Mrs. Dotson – reported the speaker at the breakfast inservice is Bethany Tucker. She is being paid by Title Funds. Mrs. Dotson went over the schedule for Thursday and Friday. Representative Pat Marsh and Senator Shane Reeves plan to eat lunch at Askins on Friday.

Mrs. Young – Absent

Mrs. Tuten – thanked the board for approving the FY20 Consolidated Application for IDEA/ESEA. Fayetteville City's Consolidated Funding Application has been approved by TN Department of Education's Office of Consolidated Planning and Monitoring.

Principals' Reports – All principals submitted a written report of activities at their schools.

Dr. Jones – reported that Read to be Ready Summer camp is finished for the summer. There were approximately 30 students each day and they were able to take 2 to 3 books home with them daily. They took a field trip to see "Toy Story." The Read to be Ready Funds will not be available next year, but the system plans to continue the program next year with local funds if possible.

Steve Giffin – reported the gym floor at FMS is finished. Basketball boys and girls have attended camps this summer. There will be a cheerleading camp as well. The building is being prepared for school to begin.

Mr. McCormick – reported that FHS was ranked 54 out of all schools in TN in the US News and World Report which ranked us in the top 40 percent in the nation. They look at graduation rates and ACT scores to compile their data. Gear Up has their national conference in San Francisco July 15-17 – Mrs. Brewer and Mrs. Pitts will attend. FFA had a good week at camp and was selected to do the flag lowering ceremony. Out of 17 students 12 received awards and some multiple awards.

Chairman's Report –

Chairman Whitmore presented a field trip request for an overnight trip to Orlando, FL/Disney-Citrus Bowl for the 9 – 12 grade cheerleaders and mascot. Vice Chairman Holland made a motion to approve the trip to Orlando; second by Mrs. Eady. All board members voted aye.


Chairman Whitmore reminded board members that TSBA Summer Law is in Gatlinburg, TN on July 19-20.

New Hires:	Rebecca Bianucci	Art Teacher – FHS
	Kayla Chriss	Pre-K E.A. – Askins
	Jordan Holt	History Teacher – FHS
	Carey Knox	Maintenance
	Catherine Walker	Pre-K E.A. - Askins

The next regularly scheduled board meeting is scheduled for August 5, 2019.

Mrs. Murdock requested dates for the Certified Academic Language Therapist Jennifer Flemming – Maury County Schools and Julia Wall – Limestone County Schools. The board agreed to September 9, 2019 at 3:30 p.m. if this is acceptable for Ms. Flemming and Ms. Wall. Mrs. Murdock will contact them and report back at the August board meeting.

The meeting was adjourned.



Jeff Whitmore, Chairman



Thomas Holland, Jr., Vice Chairman

Minutes submitted by JoAnn Scott