PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF ROBESON COUNTY

Board of Education Special Called Meeting – Hargrave

Summary of Minutes

March 25, 2021

The Board of Education for the Public Schools of Robeson County convened in a special called meeting on March 25, 2021 – 6:00 P.M. – Central Office – Virtual Meeting.

Craig Lowry, Chairman

Mike Smith, Vice Chairman

Henry Brewer

Dr. Linda Emanuel

Brenda Fairley-Ferebee

William Gentry

Vonta Leach

Randy Lawson

Terry Locklear

John Simmons

Dwayne Smith

Also in attendance were: Superintendent Dr. Freddie Williamson; Dr. Robert Locklear, Melissa R. Thompson, Assistant Superintendents; Erica Setzer, Chief Finance Officer, Dr. Glen Burnette, Chief Communications Officer and Attorney Grady Hunt.

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

1. **Call to Order:** Chairman Craig Lowry

2. **Invocation:** Terry Locklear

3. **Adoption of the Agenda:** Chairman Craig Lowry

5. **INFORMATION ITEMS**

6. **Action Item**

**A. PSRC Pre-K-8th Grade Transition to “Plan A” Following Spring Break**

A motion was made by Mike Smith and seconded by Henry Brewer to approve the superintendent’s recommendation to approve Pre-K-8th to return to the classroom for in-person instruction four days a week under “Plan A” guidelines beginning on April 12, 2021. (Voting for) Craig Lowry, Mike Smith, Randy Lawson, Dwayne Smith, Henry Brewer, Terry Locklear, Dr. Linda Emanuel, Brenda Fairley-Ferebee. (Voting against) William Gentry, John Simmons, Vonta Leach. The Board voted (8) to (3) to approve the recommendation.

7. Motion to adjourn. The Board approved the motion.

Respectfully submitted,

Mr. Craig Lowry, Chairman

Superintendent Freddie Williamson, Secretary