SPECIAL BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

Tuesday, May 22, 2018

ROLL CALL – The Raleigh County Board of Education met in special session on Tuesday, May 22, 2018 at 4:30 PM in Munson Hall of the Raleigh County Schools Central Office with the following members present: President Larry D. Ford, Dr. Charlotte Hutchens, Ms. Marie Hamrick, Ms. Marsha Smith, and Mr. C. David Price, Secretary. Vice-President Jack G. Roop was absent.

<u>APPROVAL OF AGENDA/ADJUSTMENTS</u> – President Ford called the meeting to order. Dr. Hutchens made the motion to approve the agenda. Ms. Hamrick seconded the motion. The motion passed 4-0.

<u>NEW BUSINESS</u> – President Ford stated that the meeting was called for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on the proposed budget for 2018-19.

Mr. Darrin Butcher, Treasurer/Chief School Business Official, gave an overview of the budget.

PUBLIC INPUT

- Wendy Peters, Teacher and RCEA President, expressed concern of teachers pay and provided state rankings as posted on the WVDE website.
- Mitzi Akers, Central Office Secretary and SSPA Representative, also showed concern of pay and
 questioned the logistics of why some staff receive things that others don't, using an example of an aide not
 receiving an iPad when assisting a student.
- Mark Montgomery, teacher at Independence Middle School, thanked the board for their continual support but questioned salaries of Assistant Superintendents and directors.

ADJOURNMENT – The meeting adjourned at 5:03 PM by consensus of all members.

Larry D. Ford President