

Trenton, Florida
December 10, 2019

The Gilchrist County School Board met in Board Room 14-002 on Tuesday, December 10, 2019 at 4:00 PM with the following members present:

Christie McElroy, Chair
Susan Owens, Vice Chair
Gina Geiger
Michelle Walker-Crawford
D. Deen Lancaster

Also present were Robert G. Rankin, Superintendent of Schools and Lindsey Lander, Gilchrist County School Board Attorney.

Upon completion of opening ceremonies, the following business was transacted:

AGENDA

The chair amended the agenda for good cause. The amendment consisted of the following:

6. C. Transfer Applications
 2. Elementary Students
 - a. Trenton Elementary
 1. 2nd grade from Levy County
 2. 4th grade from Levy County
 - b. Bell Elementary
 1. 3rd grade from Dixie County

Susan Owens moved to approve the agenda as amended and Gina Geiger seconded. Vote was unanimous for approval.

MINUTES

Motion was made by Michelle Walker-Crawford and seconded by Susan Owens to accept the minutes of the meeting held on November 19, 2019. Vote was unanimous for approval.

CITIZEN INPUT/DELEGATIONS

There were no delegations present wishing to address the Board.

DISTRICT MATTER

Linda Gartin presented the new Student Community Service Requirements for Bright Futures Scholarships. Deen Lancaster moved to approve the new Student Community Service Requirements for Bright Futures Scholarships as presented, with effective date of December 11, 2019, and Susan Owens seconded. Vote was unanimous for approval.

REMOVAL OF ITEMS FROM CONSENT AGENDA

No items were removed from the Consent Agenda.

CONSENT AGENDA

Deen Lancaster moved to approve the Consent Agenda that consisted of the following:

6. Consent Agenda - **ALL ITEMS APPROVED**

A. Financial

1. Check Summaries: Report Date and Time(s)

a.	11/12/19	11:58AM	01:56PM	02:28PM	
b.	11/14/19	10:58AM	11:40AM	11:56AM	12:52PM
c.	11/19/19	10:56AM			
d.	11/22/19	12:45PM	04:11PM		
e.	12/04/19	10:37AM			

B. Agreement/Amendment/Contract/Grant/Project/Change Order

1. Field Trip Handbook
2. SWI Photographers with Bell High
3. SWI Photographers with Trenton High
4. Coca-Cola Beverages Florida, LLC Beverage Agreement with Trenton Middle/High

C. Transfer Applications

1. Secondary Students
 - a. Bell High – L. Bost 10th grade and M. Bost 12th grade. Students are currently enrolled but have, temporarily, moved to Branford.
2. Elementary Students
 - a. Trenton Elementary
 1. 2nd grade from Levy County
 2. 4th grade from Levy County
 - b. Bell Elementary
 1. 3rd grade from Dixie County

6. **Consent Agenda - ALL ITEMS APPROVED**

D. **Personnel - (INDIVIDUALS NEW TO DISTRICT: APPROVALS ARE CONTINGENT UPON VERIFICATION OF QUALIFICATIONS AND BACKGROUND REVIEW)**

1. Resignations
 - a. Amanda Langford, MIS Fiscal Clerk, District Office, last day working 11/19/19
 - b. Jacqueline Parrish, HS Reading Teacher, Trenton High, last working day 12/20/19
2. Terminations
 - a. John Spencer, JROTC Instructor, Bell High, last day working 11/14/19
 - b. Amanda Brooks, Mental Health Counselor, District Wide, last working day 12/2/19
3. Appointment
 - a. Don Steward, HS Math Teacher, Bell High, effective 11/14/19
4. Intern Placement
 - a. Marlee Phillips, UF Agriculture, Bill Martin at Bell High, 1/21/20 – 4/24/20
5. Request for Additional Hours
 - a. Bell High School - Xina Leggett
6. Supplement Awards – Bell High (see attached)
 - a. Charles Mehl, James Slayton, Crystall Minshew, Mike Moore, Douglas Beard, Ashley Johnson, Linda Lyles, John Belaskey and Mark Kenney

The motion was seconded by Gina Geiger. Approval of the Board was unanimous.

REPORTS

Various reports were given by the superintendent, board members, and the board attorney.

Michelle Walker-Crawford moved to amend the agenda to add Item 9. Request Board Attorney to create a letter to the Florida School Board Association (FSBA) stating the Gilchrist County School Board supports the FSBA's decision in filing an *Amici Curiae* (friend of the court) in support of the petitioner, The School District of Escambia County, Florida in their appeal for the School District of Escambia County vs. Santa Rosa Dunes Owners Association, Inc. Susan Owens seconded Mrs. Walker-Crawford's motion and vote was unanimous to add Item 9.

Michelle Walker-Crawford moved to approve Item 9. Request Board Attorney to create a letter to the Florida School Board Association (FSBA) stating the Gilchrist County School Board supports the FSBA's decision in filing an *Amici Curiae* (friend of the court) in support of the petitioner, The School District of Escambia County, Florida in their appeal for the School District of Escambia County vs. Santa Rosa Dunes Owners Association, Inc. with Gina Geiger seconding. Vote was unanimous.

STUDENT SERVICES - CLOSED SESSION DISCIPLINARY REVIEWS

A. Expulsion Recommendation

1. Case #20-004 – Michelle Walker-Crawford motioned to accept the Superintendent's recommendation with Dean Lancaster seconding. Vote was unanimous.
2. Case #20-005 – Gina Geiger motioned to accept the Superintendent's recommendation with Michelle Walker-Crawford seconding. Vote was unanimous.

Susan Owens became acting Chair as Christie McElroy had to leave the meeting.

B. Request for Review

1. Case #19-003 - Michelle Walker-Crawford motioned to accept the Superintendent's recommendation with Dean Lancaster seconding. Vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Board adjourned at 5:44PM

ATTEST:

CHRISTIE MCELROY
CHAIR OF THE BOARD

ROBERT G. RANKIN, SUPERINTENDENT OF
SCHOOLS AND SECRETARY TO THE BOARD