## WHITE HALL SCHOOL DISTRICT MINUTES OF SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

REGULAR MEETING Julius S. Brown Admin. Building Tuesday June 21, 2016

Roy Agee Connie Medsker

Doug Coleman Raymond Jones, President

Rebecca Pittillo, Secretary Scott Ray, Vice President DJ Stacey

Larry Smith, Superintendent

The White Hall School Board met in regular meeting Tuesday June 21, 2016 with all Board Members present except Dr. Jones and Mrs. Medsker.

Dr. Coleman opened the meeting with prayer, and Mr. Agee led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Mr. Agee moved and Mrs. Pittillo seconded to approve the Consent Agenda as presented to the School Board,

- Approval of Minutes- May 10, 2016 Facility Use Requests:
  - Facility use request from WHYFL May 14, 2016, WHHS Football Field, 10:00am-2:00pm a football clinic. Kevin Yeager and Eric Jones contact people.
  - Facility use request from WHHS Girls & Boys Basketball Programs to use the WHHS Cafeteria, September 9, 2016, 3:00pm-7:00pm for their annual Fish Fry Fundraiser. Marc Stringer contact person.
  - Facility use request from Big Jim's Little League Team to use the GES field from March 20, 2016 through spring from 5:30-7:00 pm, for practice. Joseph Reese contact person.
- Approval of Claims
  (All facility requests were approved waiving all fees except the cost of a district custodian and a district food service worker if the campus cafeteria is to be used.)

Motion carried unanimously.

Mrs. Pittillo moved and Mr. Agee seconded to accept the Standards Annual Accreditation report for 2015-16. Motion carried unanimously

Mr. Agee moved and Mrs. Stacey seconded to approve District's annual contract with Pine Bluff Psychological Association, Inc. to continue to provide testing services for our services. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Agee moved and Mrs. Stacey seconded to approve the Times and Dates for 2016-2017 School Board Meetings as presented to the board. Motion carried unanimously.

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Dr. Coleman moved and Mr. Agee seconded to recommend approval of low bids of \$103,286.47 for property insurance and \$16,836.93 for vehicle and mobile equipment insurance both from ASBA for the 2016-17 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Agee moved and Mrs, Stacey seconded to approve low bid amounts of \$15,165.72 for Student/Athletic Insurance and \$4,060.50 for Student Catastrophic Accident Insurance both from Dwight Jones for our athletic coverage for both the 2016-17 and the 2017-18 school years. Motion carried unanimously.

Mrs. Stacy moved and Mr. Agee seconded to approve vendors for Food Service Contracts this 2016-17 school year based upon proposed bid amounts Highland Dairy for Milk Products, Hamilton Dist. for Bread Products, Curry's Pest Control for Kitchen Pest Control Services as proposed in their bids. Motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Smith presented each Board member with an Advanced Ed informational packet along with a discussion of pros and cons of continuing a relationship with Advanced Ed. Dr. Smith requested that the Board make the decision as whether to retain our membership. Mr. Agee moved and Mrs. Pittillo seconded to discontinue the Districts membership with Advanced Ed at this time. Motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Coleman moved and Mr. Agee seconded to approve the low bids in the amount of \$5,375.00 from Arkansas Pro Wash to powerwash the WHHS football stadium. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Agee moved and Mrs. Pittillo seconded to approve change to classified Salary Schedule as presented . Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Agee moved and Dr. Coleman seconded to approve the change order for carpet replacement in the amount of \$1,178.55 and this amount to be paid from the District's Building Fund. Motion carried unanimously.

Heath Bennett, Assistant Superintendent, presented the April 2016 Financial statement to the School Board.

Craig Dupuy, Assistant Superintendent, presented the Board with an update on the District Transportation and Maintenance summer progress.

Dorothy Welch, Assistant Superintendent, presented the board with copies of the proposed student handbooks to be voted on at the next Board meeting.

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Dr. Smith presented to the Board a letter and drawing submitted by Bunny Brown in regards to converting a classroom to a welding lab.

Dr. Smith also presented a letter from the Jefferson County Election Commissioners in regards to changing voting date to the General Election in November. The Board directed Dr. Smith to send a letter to the Jefferson County Election Commission informing the commission that the School Board would rather keep School Elections separate.

Dr. Smith presented the Board with a letter from the Legislative Audit regarding a random audit conducted on the District. Stating "NO ISSUES WERE NOTED".

Mr Agee. moved and Mrs. Pittillo seconded to go to executive session for the discussion of resignations, retirements, transfers and new hires. Motion carried unanimously.

Mrs. DJ Stacey presented to the School Board her resignation effective June 21, 2016 to the Board. Reluctantly, Mr. Ray accepted Mrs. Stacey's resignation with kind words appreciative of all the work she has done for the Board these past five years.

Dr. Coleman moved and Mrs. Stacey seconded to approve the following personnel issues as presented:

Personnel Items (Revised) June 21, 2016

## **Certified Resignations**

Gerald Durham WHHS Furniture Manufacturing Teacher- resignation-

effective June 30, 2016

Skip Carr WHHS Head Baseball/Assistant Football Coach portion of his

contract only- resignation- effective June 30, 2016

Rieke Stewart WHHS Assistant Sr Boys Basketball portion of his contract

only- resignation- effective June 30, 2016

Deanna Gasnier WHMS Special Education Teacher- resignation- effective

June 30, 2016

Steven Powell WHHS Assistant Sr Girls Basketball portion of his contract

only- resignation- effective June 30, 2016

Lt. Col Stan Warrick WHHS JROTC Instructor- resignation effective June 30, 2016

Ashley Tietz WHMS Math Teacher/Cheer and Dance Sponsor- resignation

effective June 30, 2016

Michael Summers WHMS Choral Music Teacher- resignation- effective June 30,

2016

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Stacy Richey

WHHS Oral Communication/Drama Teacher- resignation effective June 30, 2016

Sandy Pitts

GES Title I Teacher- resignation effective June 30, 2016

Terah Rash

WHMS Science Teacher- resignation effective June 30, 2016

## Certified New Hires

Paula Woolfolk

WHMS Special Education Teacher- effective July 1, 2016 conditional- pending- criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, and any verified past employment.

Andriana Dixon

HES Special Education Teacher- effective July 1, 2016 conditional- pending- criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, and any verified past employment.

Meredith Bailey

GES Speech Language Pathologist- effective July 1, 2016 conditional- pending- criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, and any verified past employment.

AJ Dixon

WHMS- Social Studies/Asst HS Track/Asst Jr Boys Basketball Coach- effective July 1, 2016 conditional- pending-criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, appropriate coaching endorsements and any verified past employment. Must also obtain/maintain appropriate CDL or complete CDL requirement by April 1, 2017.

Cortez Lee

WHHS Asst Sr Football Coach/Asst Sr Baseball Coach/PE TBD- effective July 1, 2016 conditional- pending- criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, and any verified past employment. Must also obtain/maintain appropriate CDL or complete CDL requirement by April 1, 2017.

Rebecca Dixon

WHHS Asst Sr Girls Basketball/WHMS Math Teacher-effective July 1, 2016 conditional- pending- criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, appropriate coaching endorsements and any verified past employment. Must also obtain/maintain appropriate CDL or complete CDL requirement by April 1, 2017.

Kaitlin Mahaffey

WHMS Choral Music Teacher- effective July 1, 2016 conditional- pending- criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, and any verified past employment. Must

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also obtain/maintain appropriate CDL or complete CDL requirement by April 1, 2017.

Adrian Toppings WHHS Oral Communication/Drama Teacher- effective July 1,

2016 conditional- pending- criminal background and Child Maltreatment Central Registry checks, presentation of transcripts, licensure, and any verified past employment. Must also make progress complete ALP for Oral Communication/Drama or make satisfactory progress for

renewal of contract

**Certified Transfers** 

James Kight WHMS 0.5 FTE/WHHS 0.5 FTE Assistant Principal to Full-

Time WHMS Assistant Principal- effective July 1, 2016

Shane Harp WHHS Assistant Baseball Coach to Head Baseball Coach-

effective July 1, 2016. Must also obtain/maintain appropriate

CDL or complete CDL requirement by April 1, 2017.

Chris Johnson WHHS Asst Jr Boys Basketball Coach to Asst Sr Boys

Basketball Coach- effective July 1, 2016. Must also obtain/maintain appropriate CDL or complete CDL

requirement by April 1, 2017.

Kelli Norman WHHS Addition of Jr Cheer to her teaching contract- effective

July 1, 2016. Must also obtain/maintain appropriate CDL or

complete CDL requirement by April 1, 2017.

Classified New Hires

Ricklyn Chadick WHMS Level I 6.5 Hr Food Service- effective July 1, 2016-

conditional pending criminal background and Child

Maltreatment Central Registry checks

Jason Kimbrell District- Level II 8 Hr/261Day Contract- effective July 1,

2016- conditional pending criminal background and Child

Maltreatment Central Registry checks

**Classified Transfers** 

Carla Harvey WHMS Level I 4.5 Hr Food Service to Level I 6.5 Hr Food

Service- transfer effective July 1. 2016

Amy Kalkbrenner WHMS Level II 245 Day Secretary to District Level III 245

Day Secretary- effective June 30, 2016

School Board approved one (3) substitute.	
Motion carried unanimously.	
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Dr. Coleman moved and Mrs. Pittillo unanimously.	seconded to adjourn meeting. Motion carried
	Dr. Raymond Jones, School Board President
	Mrs. Rebecca Pittillo, School, Board Secretary
Dr. Larry Smith, Superintendent	