

**ARKADELPHIA BOARD OF EDUCATION
OFFICIAL MINUTES: NOVEMBER 4, 2014**

The Arkadelphia Board of Education met in special session Tuesday, November 4, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. in the Superintendent's Office of the Administration Building, located At 235 North Eleventh Street.

Members Present: Dr. Jeff Root, President; Dr. Kenneth G. Harris, Jr., Vice President; Ms. Terri King, Secretary; Ms. Karrie Goodman, Mr. Randy Turner, and Dr. Casey Motl.

Member Absent: Mr. Billy Groom.

Dr. Root stated the purpose of the meeting was to conduct the agenda planning session for the regular November board meeting and to consider agenda items listed.

AGENDA PLANNING SESSION

The Board and Superintendent conducted the agenda planning session.

PERSONNEL

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following actions were approved:

Resignations

Dan Dawson, Bus Driver; effective October 17, 2014

Nancy Jones, Bus Driver; effective October 20, 2014

Tonya Campbell, Paraprofessional (Peake); effective November 7, 2014

Sarah Brawley, Primary teacher (Central); effective November 7, 2014

Employment

Kenneth Bartholomew, Full-time bus driver; 124 day contract – at scale

Medical Leave of Absence

Amanda Harris, Primary teacher/Central; December 1 – 19, 2014

Agenda Item Addition

The board gave consensus to adding an additional agenda item: "Update on Counseling Agency."

Update on Counseling Agency

Dr. Whitten provided an update to the Board on the current status of the District's counseling contract.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:06 p.m.

MS. TERRI KING, SECRETARY