

Board Meeting  
April 8, 2021

The Scottsboro City Board of Education met in regular session met on Thursday, April 8, 2021 at 5:00 P.M. at Page Administration Building.

Mrs. Stewart, Board President, called the meeting to order.

The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Caroline Sanders, 9<sup>th</sup> Grade, Scottsboro High School and a prayer by Dr. Gary Speers.

Dr. Jose Reyes, Jr., Superintendent and all Board members were present: Mr. Lee Benson, Dr. Gary Speers, Mrs. Patricia Stewart, Mr. Jason Williams and Mr. Patrick Woosley.

Mr. Jimmy Green with Scottsboro Water, Sewer and Gas gave a presentation in regard to Easements being requested by Timbers at Galloway, Ltd.

The Board recognized the **2020-2021 Scottsboro High School Cheerleaders** for placing Third in the Class 6A Division of the AHSAA State Cheerleading Championships on February 24, 2021.

The Board recognized the **Scottsboro High School Boys Basketball Team** for winning the Sub-Region playoff game, advancing to the Class 6A Northwest Regional Tournament at Wallace State Community College and advancing to the AHSAA Final Four in Birmingham, Alabama.

The Board recognized **Individual Members of the Scottsboro High School Football Team** for being selected to the 2020 Class 6A Region 7 All Region Football **First Team** as follows: **Cade Holder, Noah Linville, Jacob Manning, and Camden Treece; Second Team: B.J Harris and Jonah Warren and Honorable Mention – Gavin McCrary.**

A motion was made by Mr. Williams and a second by Mr. Woosley to approve the **Agenda**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Agenda.

### **Consent Agenda**

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Benson and a second by Mr. Williams to approve the **Consent Items**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Consent Items which consists of the following:

- A. Board Minutes
  - 1. February 18, 2021 Called Board Meeting
  - 2. February 18, 2021 Board Work Session
  - 3. March 4, 2021 Regular Board Meeting
- B. Financial Statement & Bank Reconciliation for February, 2021
- C. Fund Raisers

### **Action Items**

#### **A. Personnel**

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Benson and a second by Mr. Williams to approve the **Personnel Agenda**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Personnel Agenda.

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1. BELL, Kim – English Teacher, Scottsboro Junior High School, effective April 12, 2021, replacing Erin Young.

## B. Additions to Substitute List

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Benson and a second by Mr. Williams to approve the **Additions to the Substitute List**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Additions to the Substitute List.

## C. Revisions to 2020-2021 Supplemental Positions

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Williams and a second Mr. Benson to approve the **Revisions to 2020-2021 Supplemental Positions**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Revisions to 2020-2021 Supplemental Positions.

## D. Job Description

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Benson and a second by Mr. Williams to approve the **Job Description for Technology Integration Coordinator**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Job Description for Technology Integration Coordinator.

## E. Contract for Scott Dobbins

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Benson and a second by Mr. Woosley to approve the **Contract for Scott Dobbins, Assistant Principal at Scottsboro Junior High School**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Contract for Scott Dobbins.

## F. Math Textbook Adoption (K-12)

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Benson and a second by Mr. Woosley to approve the **Math Textbook Adoption** as follows: 1) **Kindergarten – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade**, enVision by Savvas; **6<sup>th</sup> Grade – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade**, enVision by Savvas; **9<sup>th</sup> Grade – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade**, Big Ideas Math by Big Ideas Learning and **9<sup>th</sup> Grade – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade**, Pre-Calculus with Limits by Cengage. The vote was unanimous to approve the Math Textbook Adoption.

## G. 2021-2022 School Calendar

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Williams and a second by Mr. Benson to approve the **2021-2022 School Calendar**. The vote was unanimous to approve the 2021-2022 School Calendar.

#### H. Technology Surplus

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Williams and a second by Mr. Woosley to approve the **Technology Surplus**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Technology Surplus.

#### I. Renaissance Learning Universal Screener (K-3)

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Williams and a second by Mr. Benson to approve the purchase of the **Renaissance Learning Universal Screener** for three (3) years (2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024) at a **cost of \$88,434.93**. The vote was unanimous to approve the purchase of the Renaissance Learning Universal Screener for three (3) years.

#### J. Contract Revision – Department of Human Resources

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Benson and a second by Mr. Williams to approve the **Contract Revision with the Department of Human Resources (DHR)**. The vote was unanimous to approve the Contract Revision with the Department of Human Resources.

#### K. Mask Ordinance

As recommended by Dr. Reyes, a motion was made by Mr. Williams and a second by Mr. Woosley to approve the **Mask Ordinance that Scottsboro City Schools adhere to the Governor's ruling to allow the choice to mask or not to mask for faculty, staff, and students at the cessation of the current order ending on April 9, 2021 for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year**. A roll call vote was taken with a yes vote by Mr. Benson, Mr. Williams and Mr. Woosley and a no vote by Mrs. Stewart and Dr. Speers. The motion was approved.

### **Information**

#### A. COVID Update

Dr. Reyes gave an update COVID cases for Scottsboro City Schools Cases. There have been zero positive cases for faculty and students for the past six (6) weeks. There is still 50% of staff who have taken the vaccine and 50% who have not.

#### B. Scottsboro High School Prom

Dr. Reyes shared information is planned for April 17, 2021 from 7:00 p.m. – 11: 00 p.m. at Goosepond Civic Center and is restricted to students of Scottsboro High School only.

#### C. End-of-Year Activities

Dr. Reyes shared that the End-of-Year Activities is provided for them and if they can attend some of these activities, especially the ones for Seniors, that would be good.

Dr. Reyes also shared with the Board that he has been thinking about for quite a while about hiring a system wide Strengthening/Conditioning Coach and has talked with Mr. Paradise about this position. He stated that our system is in good shape financially and would like for this to be on the next work session agenda for discussion.

The USDA came and looked at the baseball/softball fields and there will be a group that will come in and do a core sample on the fields and it will cost about \$8,500. We need to find out what is wrong with the fields before going any further

**Dates for Board Work Session and Board Meeting**

- A. Board Work Session – April 22, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.
- B. Regular Board Meeting – May 6, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

Before adjourning, Dr. Speers requested at the next Board meeting the item of Security for Board meetings and Board work sessions be placed on the Agenda.

On a motion by Mr. Williams and a second by Mr. Benson, the vote was unanimous to **Adjourn.**

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President

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Secretary