

Board Meeting
July 25, 2007

The Scottsboro City Board of Education met in a called session on the above date at 4:30 P.M. in the Page Administration Building with all members present: Mr. Jerry Coleman, President, Mr. Howard Hill, Mr. Donald Hodges, Dr. Judy McCrary and Mrs. M.M. McKinnon.

On a motion from Mrs. McKinnon and a second by Mr. Hill, the vote was unanimous to approve the **Agenda**.

On a motion from Dr. McCrary and a second by Mr. Hill, the vote was unanimous to approve the following **Personnel Matters**:

I. TRANSFER

JONES, Helen – Part-time CNP Worker at Scottsboro High School to Full-time CNP Worker at Scottsboro High School, effective August 6, 2007 for the 2007-2008 school year, replacing Faye Frye (medical leave of absence for the 2007-2008 school year).

On a motion from Mrs. McKinnon and a second by Mr. Hodges, the vote was unanimous to approve the following:

II. EMPLOYMENT

Certified Staff

CHILDRESS, Karen – Third Grade Teacher, Caldwell Elementary School, effective September 19 – December 21, 2007, replacing Renee Scott (maternity leave).

DOLL, Thomas – Math Teacher, Scottsboro High School, effective August 6, 2007, replacing Crystal Phillips.

MASON, Bethany Davis – First Grade Teacher, Nelson Elementary School, effective August 6 – December 21, 2007, replacing Bandy Staton (maternity leave).

Support Staff

KELLEY, Terry – Bus Driver, effective August 6, 2007, replacing Robert Mullican.

PUCKETT, Peggy – Part-time CNP Worker at Scottsboro High School, effective August 9, 2007, for the 2007-2008 school year only.

TALLEY, Betty – CNP Worker, Caldwell Elementary School, effective August 6, 2007, replacing Christina Banks.

WHITNEY, Ashley – After-School Teacher Assistant, Brownwood Elementary, effective August 6, 2007, replacing Erica Holder.

On a motion by Dr. McCrary and a second by Mr. Hill, the vote was unanimous to approve the following:

III. LEAVE OF ABSENCE

MAJORS, Sherry – ARI Reading Coach, Caldwell Elementary School, effective September 4 – October 26, 2007.

On a motion by Mrs. McKinnon and a second by Mr. Hodges, the vote was unanimous to approve the **Substitute Teachers Salary Schedule**.

On a motion by Dr. McCrary and a second by Mr. Hodges, the vote was unanimous to award the **bid** for **Scottsboro High School lunchroom doors** to Atlas Glass Company at a cost of \$9,538.00.

The members of the board received draft copies of Policy J5L, Student Absences and Excuses and Policy J5M, Truancy for action at the August 6 Board Meeting. Dr. Berry explained to the board these policies do not coincide with the Administrative Code; the number of unexcused absences, when we notify parents, when we have a hearing at the central office, and when they are turned over to the juvenile judge. Our system did not want to start school with one set of policies for our students and then have to change it later on so Don Word, our attorney, made corrections to these policies. The draft policies are correct and how they should legally be and as long as there is ten (10) days from the time the members of the board receive the policies and when the policies are voted on there is no problem. The Policy Review Committee has not seen these policies but copies of these will be given to Shelia Cornelison, Cynthia Patridge and Janice Jeffery. Once the policies are approved, the policies will be legal accordingly with the Administrative Code.

Dr. Berry shared that the next board meeting will be August 6 and will be a full day for our school system. The first thing on that day will be institute at 8:00 a.m. at Collins Auditorium; at 9:30 a.m., a national speaker will be there, storyteller K-12 and motivation speaker, Carmen Deedy. At 3:00 p.m., the Chamber of Commerce will be at our Cosmetology Building to do the ribbon cutting. Open House will be at Cosmetology from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. and our board meeting there at 5:00 p.m. The first thing on the agenda that night will be the first budget hearing.

On a motion by Mrs. McKinnon and a second by Dr. McCrary, the meeting was **adjourned**.

President

Secretary