

Special Joint Session with the Randolph County Commissioners

Opening

Chairman Smith welcomed all in attendance. Mr. Darrell Frye, Chairman of the Randolph County Board of Commissioners, called the meeting to order.

Dr. Woody thanked the Commissioners for their generosity for the current school year appropriations. Dr. Woody presented local current expense budget considerations including estimated continuation costs for the 2021-2022 school year.

Mr. Ed Keller, Director of Facilities and Maintenance, provided an update of the Ten Year Facility Plan. Mr. Keller explained that Asheboro City Schools is maintaining current facility needs within the yearly appropriation from the Randolph County Board of Commissioners.

Mr. Ed Keller presented the 2020-2021 Department of Public Instruction Facility Needs Survey. The survey is required every five years and identifies the facility needs for the district. The plan was approved as presented.

Mr. Fred Jernigan of Smith Sinnett Architecture reviewed the Phase III renovation timeline for Asheboro High School as well as the most current budget projection.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Board of Education Meeting

Opening:

Chairman Smith called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance, then followed with a moment of silence and The Pledge of Allegiance.

The Board unanimously approved the meeting agenda.

Special Recognitions:

- Points of Pride was presented by Ms. Leigh Anna Marbert, Public Information Officer.
- Area childcare centers were recognized as the Community Partners for their efforts in supporting the students of Asheboro City Schools during the pandemic.

Public Comments: There were no requests to address the Board.

Consent Agenda: The following items under the Consent Agenda were approved as presented:

- A. Minutes for January 14, 2021 Board of Education Meeting and January 29 & 30, 2021 Board Retreat
- B. Personnel (See list at the end of this document)
- C. Public School Building Capital Fund – NC Education Lottery Application
- D. Bank Signature Card for Donna Lee Loflin Elementary School
- E. Resolution for Strategic Planning Process
- F. Career and Technical Education Honors Class Additions for 2021-2022
- G. Honors Class Additions for Asheboro High School for 2021-2022
- H. Budget Amendment E-01
- I. Budget Amendment F-01
- J. Budget Amendment S-05

- K. Mental Health Support Personnel Report
- L. Award Roofing Contracts for North Asheboro Middle School to Bar Roofing and Maintenance and Charles W. McCrary Elementary School to Owen Roofing, Inc.

Action Items:

- A. Dr. Aaron Woody, Superintendent, presented the proposed Legislative Platform. The platform was approved as presented.

Information, Reports, and Recommendations:

- A. Policies for 30-Day Review were presented by Dr. Drew Maerz, Director of Testing and Accountability
 - Policy 1720/4030/7235 – Title IX Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex
 - Policy 1725/4035/7236 – Title IX Sexual Harassment – Prohibited Conduct and Reporting Process
 - Policy 1726/4036/7237 – Title IX Sexual Harassment Grievance Process
 - Policy 2120 – Code of Ethics for School Board Members
 - Policy 2121 – Board Member Conflict of Interest
 - Policy 3410 – Testing and Assessment Program
 - Policy 3620 – Extracurricular Activities and Student Organizations
 - Policy 4040/7310 – Staff-Student Relations
 - Policy 4600 – Student Fees
 - Policy 5070/7350 – Public Records – Retentions, Release, and Disposition
- B. Ms. Sarah Beth Robbins, CTE Administrator/Curriculum & Instructional Management Coordinator, and Courtney McGowan, Career Development Coordinator, provided a Career and Technical Education update.
- C. The proposed 2022-2023 school calendar was presented for 30-day review by Dr. Drew Maerz, Director of Testing and Accountability.

Superintendent’s Report: Dr. Aaron Woody, Superintendent, reported the following:

- The Strategic Plan planning process is underway. Administrative and school staff will work with parents and other community stakeholders to develop goals for the new four-year plan.
- We continue to operate under Plan B in response to COVID-19. In the elementary setting, students are being invited to attend in-person four days per week. We are looking at ways to bring in additional students, particularly at the middle and high schools.
- The Administrative Team has developed plans to visit schools during the second semester to monitor the work being presented in classrooms, to collect data, and to formulate future plans.
- The Asheboro City Schools COVID-19 Dashboard was launched on the ACS website on January 22. This will be updated weekly on Fridays.
- Equity Team:
 - The team continues its monthly book study on *White Fragility*.
 - Partnered with Dr. Tiwana Allen to develop action plans and professional development needs.
 - Partnering with The Hunt Institute for professional development on racial equity leadership.
 - The Asheboro City Schools 2019-2020 Annual Report has been released.
 - Dr. Woody met with the Superintendent’s Staff Advisory Council, the Faith-based Advisory Council, the Latino Advisory Council, and the Black Advisory Council this past month.

Board Operations

- A. Chairman Smith reviewed the calendar of upcoming events, noting the next board meeting is March 11, 2021.
- B. Chairman Smith noted that all board members have been enrolled for the virtual 2021 National School Boards Annual Conference.
- C. Chairman Smith encouraged all board members to take advantage of opportunities to share with the community information regarding the high school renovation plans.

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 9:08 p.m.

**Asheboro City Schools
Personnel Transactions
February 11, 2021**

1. RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS/SEPARATIONS

LAST	FIRST	SCHOOL	SUBJECT	EFFECTIVE
Tucker	Julia	LP	Kindergarten	6/4/2021
Cooper	Dorothy	GBT	Instructional Assistant	6/30/2021
Patterson	Andrea	GBT	Instructional Assistant	6/4/2021
Gary	Chester	NAMS	Technology	6/30/2021

2. APPOINTMENTS

LAST	FIRST	SCHOOL	SUBJECT	EFFECTIVE
Brunner	Alice	CO	Substitute (\$85 per day)	2/15/2021
Durham	Charles	CO	Bus Driver	2/15/2021
Roman	Chelsea	DLL	Instructional Assistant (FT; Temp)	2/15 - 6/4/2021
Sriram	Anjann	DLL	Instructional Assistant (FT; Temp)	2/15 - 6/4/2021
Tracey	Richard	CO	Substitute (\$85 per day)	2/15/2021

3. TRANSFERS

LAST	FIRST	SCHOOL	SUBJECT	EFFECTIVE
Aguirre	Mariana	DLL	School Secretary to Data Manager Treasurer	2/1/2021
Sabogal	Jafeth	DLL	Instructional Assistant to School Secretary	2/10/2021