JACKSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Regular Business Meeting
March 24, 2015 – 6:00 p.m.
Smoky Mountain High School

AMENDED AGENDA

***ALL ACTION ITEMS APPROVED***

I. JACKSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
   A. Call to Order (Ken Henke, Chairman)
   B. Pledge of Allegiance (Adam Larcher, SMHS Study Body President)
   C. Approve Agenda (Mr. Henke)

II. SPECIAL RECOGNITION (Jake Buchanan, SMHS Principal)

III. SPECIAL PRESENTATION
     Ms. Amanda Bowers, SMHS Teacher – Nursing Fundamentals II Class
     Students: Sydney Fulmer, Yolanda Gonzales, Savannah Kelly, Andee Parris, and Shea Roper

IV. OPEN SESSION FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS
    Sign up to speak before meeting. • Designed for school board to listen.
    Time to speak limited to 5 minutes • Complaints about individual employees or students prohibited

V. CONSENT ACTION AGENDA (Ken Henke)
   A. Open Session Minutes of Regular Meeting on February 24, 2015.

VI. INFORMATION
   A. Superintendent’s Report (Dr. Murray)
   B. Maintenance Update (Joe Buchanan)
   C. Unaudited Financial Summary (Gwen Edwards)
   D. Calendar Flexibility (Dr. Murray)

VII. ACTION AGENDA
    A. Budget Amendments (Gwen Edwards)
    B. State Wireless Initiative (David Proffitt and Gwen Edwards)
    C. Field Trips (Dr. Murray)
       1. Andy’s Trout Farm- Smoky Mountain High School, Grades 9-12, Otto, NC, May 1, 2015 – Travel Tracker #1133
       2. Balsam Lake Lodge – Cullowhee Valley Elementary School, Grades K-8, Balsam Lake, NC, May 21-22, 2015 – Travel Tracker #1277
       3. Dixie Classic Festivals Washington DC – Smoky Mountain High School, Grades 9-12, Washington, D.C., April 10, 2015 – Travel Tracker #1225
       4. NC State University – Fairview Elementary School, Grades 6-8, Raleigh, NC, April 24 to 26, 2015 – Travel Tracker #1214
       5. Ripley’s Aquarium of the Smokies - Fairview Elementary School, Grade 4, Gatlinburg, TN, April 16, 2015 to April 17, 2015 – Travel Tracker #1152
       6. Ripley’s Aquarium of the Smokies – Smoky Mountain High School, Grades 9-12, Gatlinburg, TN, April 24, 2015 – Travel Tracker #1236

VIII. CLOSED SESSION – Pursuant to G.S. 143.318.11 for the following purposes: under subsection; (a) (1) to prevent the disclosure of privileged or confidential personnel information
pursuant to G.S. 115C-319-321 and (a) (3) to discuss matters protected by the attorney-client privilege.

IX. PERSONNEL ACTION AGENDA

Employee Recommendations:
1. Buchanan, Larry – Substitute Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
2. Caldwell, Susan – Teacher, Smoky Mountain High School
3. Carter, Thomas – Substitute Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
4. Davidson, Todd – Activity Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
5. Hoyle, Joe – Substitute Bus Monitor, Scotts Creek Elementary School
7. Sides, Mark – Activity Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
8. Stepp, Peggy – Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School

Employee Resignations:
1. Bethea, Michelle – EC Teacher, School of Alternatives
2. Hennessee, Carol – After School Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
3. Maysel, Tim – Head Boy’s Basketball Coach, Blue Ridge Early College
4. Mears, Kelsey – Head Volleyball Coach, Blue Ridge Early College
5. Zerressen, Mike – Teacher, Blue Ridge Early College

Employee Retirements:
1. Barker, Mary Anne – Teacher, Smoky Mountain High School
2. Elkovich, Thomas – Custodian, Smoky Mountain Elementary School
3. Reece, Sandra – Teacher Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
4. Simmons, Si – Teacher, Smoky Mountain High School
5. West, Dona – EC Teacher, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School

Non-Staff Coach Recommendations:
1. Bullis, Courtney – Assistant Track Coach, Fairview Elementary School
2. Crow, Zachariah – Assistant Junior Varsity Baseball Coach, Smoky Mountain High School
4. Leaming, Zachary – Assistant Track Coach, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
5. Orr, Seth – Head Baseball Coach, Fairview Elementary School

Special Requests – One Year Leave of Absence:
1. Kane, Jennifer – EC Teacher, Smoky Mountain High School
2. Lanoue, Lauren – Teacher, Scotts Creek Elementary School
3. Lanoue, Robert – Teacher, Smoky Mountain High School

Extended Summer Employment:

Summer Day Camp
1. Allen, Laura - Fairview Elementary School
2. Caudle, Crystal – Fairview Elementary School
3. Fisher, Vyanne – Fairview Elementary School
4. Franklin, Traci - Fairview Elementary School
5. French, Betty Ann - Fairview Elementary School
6. Henson, Julie - Fairview Elementary School
7. Karup, Aimee - Fairview Elementary School
8. Morgan, Jessica - Fairview Elementary School
9. Sloan, Patricia - Fairview Elementary School
10. Stanley, Rhea - Fairview Elementary School  
11. Tierney, Sarah - Fairview Elementary School  
12. Watson, Joshua - Fairview Elementary School  
13. Woody, Chad - Fairview Elementary School

**Summer Reading Camp**
1. Barkiewicz, Amanda – Cullowhee Valley Elementary School  
2. Bryant, Pam - Cullowhee Valley Elementary School  
3. Caudle, Kim – Fairview Elementary School  
4. Harris, Donna – Smokey Mountain Elementary School  
5. Houtzer, Deborah – Blue Ridge School  
6. Kilpatrick, Alicia – Smokey Mountain Elementary School  
7. Macaulay, Eleanor – Fairview Elementary School  
8. McCue, Gretchen - Cullowhee Valley Elementary School  
9. McDaniel, Erin - Cullowhee Valley Elementary School  
10. Rearigh, Andrea – Fairview Elementary School  
11. Stillwell, Renee - Cullowhee Valley Elementary School  
12. Turner, Sutton – Blue Ridge School  
13. Whisnant, Holly – Fairview Elementary School

X. INFORMATION

a) Superintendent’s Report

The next regularly scheduled business meeting of the Board of Education is April 28, 2015 at 6:00 p.m., at Cullowhee Valley Elementary School.

XI. Adjournment