JACKSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Regular Business Meeting
October 27, 2015 – 6:00 p.m.
Central Office Board Room

AGENDA

**ALL ACTION ITEMS APPROVED**

I. JACKSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
   A. Call to Order (Ken Henke, Chairman)
   B. Pledge of Allegiance
   C. Approve Agenda

II. 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

III. CONSENT ACTION AGENDA (Ken Henke)
     A. Open Session Minutes of Meeting on September 21, 2015

IV. INFORMATION
    A. Superintendent’s Report (Dr. Murray)
    B. Maintenance Update (Joe Buchanan)
    C. Rural Low Income Schools Grant (Dr. Elliott)
    D. Unaudited Financial Summary (Gwen Edwards)

V. ACTION AGENDA
    A. Approval for NFL Foundation Grassroots Program Grant/Schools and Community in Jackson County Field Surface Grant (Cindi Simmons)
    B. Budget Amendments (Gwen Edwards)
    C. State Bonus (Gwen Edwards)
    D. Approval for Roofing Projects – Fairview, SME and SMHS (Joe Buchanan)
    E. Inter-local Governmental Agreement (Dr. Murray)
    F. Glenville Rescue Squad Treatment Plant Agreement (Dr. Elliott)
    G. School Improvement Plans (Jason Watson)
    H. Low Performing Schools Plan (Dr. Murray)
    I. School Safety Plans (Cindi Simmons)
    J. Policies (Dr. Murray)
       First Reading:
       1. Students at Risk of Academic Failure (3405)
       Updates:
       1. Title I Parent Involvement (1320/3560)
       2. Board Attorney (2610)
       3. Web Page Development (3227/7322)
       4. Student Promotion and Accountability (3420)
       5. Staff-Student Relations (4040/7310)
6. Unsafe School Choice Transfer (4152)
7. Tobacco Products – Students (4320)
8. Criminal Behavior (4335)
9. Registered Sex Offenders (5022)
10. Smoking and Tobacco Products (5026/7250)
11. Weapons and Explosives Prohibited (5027/7275)
12. Drivers (6315)
13. Vandalism (6550)
14. Insurance (8340)
15. Site Selection (9010)
16. Facility Design (9020)
17. Sale, Disposal, and Lease of Board-Owned Real Property (9400)

K. Field Trips: (Dr. Murray)
1. Chattanooga Aquarium and Space Center - BRS Grade 6, Huntsville, AL, Apr. 5 to 8, 2016 – Travel Tracker #1871
2. NC State Fairgrounds – SMHS, Grades 9 to 12, Raleigh, NC, Feb. 3 to 4, 2016, Travel Tracker #1821
3. New York, NY - SMHS, Grades 9 to 12, New York, NY, Mar. 15 to 20, 2016, Travel Tracker #1845
4. Space Camp – Smokey Mountain Elementary School, Grade 6, Huntsville, AL, Apr. 27 to 29, 2016, Travel Tracker #1887
5. Young Harris College – School of Alternatives, Grades 3 to 8, Young Harris, GA, Oct. 28, 2015, Travel Tracker #1896
6. New York, NY – Jackson County Early College, Grade 12, New York, NY, May 11 to 16, 2016, Travel Tracker #1607
7. Raleigh and Wilmington - Smokey Mountain Elementary School, Grade 8, Raleigh, NC, Apr. 5 to 8, 2016 – Travel Tracker #1900

VI. 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.

VII. PERSONNEL ACTION AGENDA

Employee Recommendations:
1. Ashe, Lela – Substitute Child Nutrition Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
2. Awtry, John – Custodian/Substitute Bus Driver, Smokey Mountain High School
4. Blevins, Elizabeth Nancy – Substitute Bus Monitor, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
5. Brooks, Kelly – Substitute Bus Monitor, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
6. Broom, Anita – Substitute Child Nutrition Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
7. Chastain, Charity – EC Teacher Assistant, School of Alternatives
8. Coffey, Leigh Ann – Teacher, Blue Ridge School and Early College
9. Cole, Ameka – Bus Driver, Fairview Elementary School
10. Dean, Lisa – K-8 Literacy Consultant LEAP Program, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
11. Franklin, Traci – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
12. French, Betty Ann – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
13. Guelcher, Jeffrey – Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School and Fairview Elementary School
14. Lanning, Shannon – Custodian and Bus Driver, Scotts Creek Elementary School
15. McClellan, Jesame – Teacher Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
16. McMahan, Patricia – Substitute Custodian, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
17. McMahan, Sammy – Substitute Bus Driver, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
18. Miller, Charles Sandy – Substitute Bus Monitor, All Schools
19. Parsons, Jonathan – Teacher, Fairview Elementary School
20. Ries, Dale – Cherokee Language Instructor, Smokey Mountain Elementary School and Smoky Mountain High School
21. Speir, Ashley – Interim EC Teacher, Fairview Elementary School
22. Stanley, Rhea – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
23. Vreeland, Teresa – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
24. Watson, Tracy – K-8 Math Consultant LEAP Program, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
25. Woodring, Shannon – Bookkeeper, Data Manager, Jackson County Early College

Employee Resignations:
1. Benson, Patricia – Administrative Assistant, Jackson County Early College
2. Bigelow, Adam – Teacher, Blue Ridge Early College
3. Bradley, Joshua – Custodian/Bus Driver, Scotts Creek Elementary School
4. Buchanan, Joe – Maintenance Director, Central Office
5. Buchanan, Larry – Custodian/Substitute Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
6. Kilby, Charles – Head Coach Middle School Baseball, Blue Ridge Early College
7. Kilby, Charles – Head Coach Middle School Soccer, Blue Ridge Early College
8. Milkey, Corina – Child Nutrition Manager, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
9. Stephens, Roy – Bus Driver, Fairview Elementary School
10. Walker, Susie – Teacher, Blue Ridge School

Employee Retirements:
1. Tessin, Cathy – Teacher Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School

Non-Staff Coach Recommendations:
1. Bell, Tasha – Assistant Coach Cheerleading, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
2. Carnes, Scotti – Head Coach Winter Varsity Cheerleader, Smoky Mountain High School
3. Madden, Jeff – Head Coach Middle School Boys Basketball, Blue Ridge Early College
4. O’Berry, James – Head Coach Middle School Girls Basketball, Blue Ridge Early College
5. Parker, Dailey – Assistant Coach Swimming, Smoky Mountain High School
6. Tallman, Caleb – Assistant Coach Basketball, Scott Creek Elementary School
7. Wolfe, Jonah – Assistant Coach Junior Varsity Football, Smoky Mountain High School

Staff Coach Recommendations:
1. Nelson, Josh – Assistant Coach Middle School Baseball, Scotts Creek Elementary School
2. Reddin, Colby – Head Coach Junior Varsity Wrestling, Smoky Mountain High School
3. Sartain, Michael – Head Coach Indoor Track, Smoky Mountain High School
4. Shuler, Pam – Assistant Athletic Director Winter Sports, Smoky Mountain High School
5. Taylor, Mark – Assistant Athletic Director Fall Sports, Smoky Mountain High School

The next regularly scheduled business meeting of the Board of Education is Monday, November 16, 2015 at 6:00 p.m., at the Board of Education Administrative Office.

VIII. Adjournment