

The Franklin County Board of Education met in a special called session at 5:30 p.m. Due to national and state guidelines regarding the COVID-19 pandemic, board members were given the option to attend the meeting in person at the Franklin County Schools' Riverside Campus or join the meeting electronically off site. The following members participated in the meeting: in person - Chair Paige Sayles and Mrs. Rosemary Champion; electronically – Vice Chair Bernard Hall, Mrs. Debra Brodie, Mrs. Meghan Jordan, Dr. Elizabeth Keith, and Mr. Thomas Piper. Superintendent Dr. Rhonda Schuhler was present, and Attorney Boyd Sturges joined the meeting electronically. Chair Paige Sayles called the meeting to order.

Media: None present

A Moment of Silence was observed, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

A motion was made by Mrs. Rosemary Champion, seconded by Mrs. Debra Brodie, and unanimously carried to approve the agenda.

A motion was made by Dr. Elizabeth Keith, seconded by Vice Chair Bernard Hall, and unanimously carried to approve the Resolution Granting Emergency Powers to the Superintendent as amended to reflect Governor Cooper's Executive Order of March 23, 2020 closing schools through at least May 15, 2020.

A motion was made by Mrs. Debra Brodie, seconded by Mrs. Meghan Jordan, and unanimously carried to adjourn at 5:51 p.m.

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Paige Sayles, Chair

Diane D. Marks, Clerk to the Board