

The Franklin County Board of Education met in regular session at the Franklin County Schools' Riverside Campus. The following members were present: Chair Paige Sayles, Vice Chair Bernard Hall, Mrs. Rosemary Champion, Mrs. Meghan Jordan, Dr. Elizabeth Keith, and Mr. Thomas Piper. Superintendent Dr. Rhonda Schuhler and Attorney Boyd Sturges were present. Chair Paige Sayles called the meeting to order.

Media: Mr. Gary Cunard, *The Franklin Times*

A Moment of Silence was observed in memory of Sitlaly Figueroa-Martinez, Bunn High School student who passed away last week.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Bernard Hall, seconded by Mrs. Rosemary Champion, and unanimously carried to approve the agenda.

There were no public comments.

A motion was made by Mrs. Rosemary Champion, seconded by Vice Chair Bernard Hall, and unanimously carried to approve the consent agenda that consisted of the July 8, 2019 and July 15, 2019 board minutes.

A motion was made by Mr. Thomas Piper, seconded by Mrs. Meghan Jordan, and unanimously carried to approve Policies 3101 Dual Enrollment, 4240/7312 Child Abuse Reports and Investigations, and 4700 Student Records as presented.

Dr. Lela Baldwin, Chief of Academics, reported on scholarships awarded to 2018-19 graduates. Mr. Geoffrey Hawthorn, Executive Director of K-8 Education and Federal Program, gave an update on the federal budget. No action was taken.

Superintendent Dr. Rhonda Schuhler gave a brief oral Superintendent's Report.

Chair Paige Sayles announced upcoming meetings.

A motion was made by Mrs. Rosemary Champion, seconded by Vice Chair Bernard Hall, and unanimously carried to go into closed session for the purpose of G.S.143.318.11(a)(1)/(3) Personnel/Consult with Attorney.

A motion was made by Mrs. Rosemary Champion, seconded by Vice Chair Bernard Hall, and unanimously carried to return to open session.

A motion was made by Dr. Elizabeth Keith, seconded by Mrs. Rosemary Champion, and unanimously carried to approve the August 12, 2019 personnel report as presented and attached herein.

A motion was made by Mr. Thomas Piper, seconded by Dr. Elizabeth Keith, and unanimously carried to adjourn at 8:30 p.m.

---

Paige Sayles, Chair

Diane D. Marks, Board Clerk