

Colbert County Schools  
Board Meeting  
October 21, 2021

The Colbert County Board of Education met on October 21, 2021 at the office of the Superintendent. The time of the meeting was 5:00 p.m. All members were present except Thomas Barnes. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and an invocation was held.

Upon a motion by Member Yarber and a second by Member Burgess, the agenda was approved.

Upon a motion by Member Witt and a second by Member Yarber, the minutes of the September 16, 2021 Board Meeting was approved.

Upon a motion by Member Yarber and a second by Member Burgess, the minutes of the September 20, 2021 Board Meeting was approved.

Superintendent Hand addressed the board with his report.

Superintendent Hand recommended the approval of the reconciled monthly financial report for September 2021. Member Burgess moved that the recommendation be approved and Member Yarber seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

In action items, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval of the Scholastic Month Payroll \$2,352,009.75 and the Bills and Accounts \$1,689,972.42 for September 2021. Member Witt moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Yarber seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to declare tractor at Colbert County High School as surplus and dispose of or sell at fair market value. Member Burgess moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Yarber seconded the motion and the recommendation was approved.

Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to declare technology items as surplus and dispose of or sell at fair market value. Member Burgess moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Yarber seconded the motion and the recommendation was approved.

Superintendent Hand recommended the approval of the following research-based, educational, instructional, and curricular software systems; Edmentum High School Courseware, Edmentum Reading Eggs for Elementary. Member Burgess moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Witt seconded the motion and the recommendation was approved.

Superintendent Hand made the recommendation to approve the following Federal Program Plans; Consolidated Plan, Parent and Family Engagement Plan, Homeless Plan, Foster Care Plan, and EL Plan. Member Yarber moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Burgess seconded the motion and the recommendation was approved.

Superintendent Hand recommended the approval of Technology Department Job Descriptions. Member Yarber moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Burgess seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Superintendent Hand recommended the rescind employment for Kimberly Goodloe, itinerate para-professional. Member Witt moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Yarber seconded the motion and the recommendation was approved.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to accept the following resignation:

1. Rachel Ozbirn, itinerate para-professional, effective October 1, 2021
2. Nick Pearson, Information Technology, effective October 13, 2021

Member Yarber moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Burgess seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval of the following New Job Assignments:

1. Tabitha Dickens, from Custodian at Leighton Elementary to Itinerate Paraprofessional, effective October 22, 2021

Member Saint moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Witt seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval of additional job duties 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC After School Program effective October 1, 2021.

1. Brooke McCormack, Program Teacher, Colbert Heights Elementary
2. Emma James, Program Teacher, Colbert Heights Elementary
3. Brooks Canup, Program Teacher, Hatton Elementary

Member Yarber moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Saint seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to employ the following:

1. LeAnn Kimbrough, CNP Worker, Colbert Heights High School, effective October 22, 2021

Member Burgess moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Yarber seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to employ the following:

1. Jamie Boston, Itinerate Para Professional, effective November 8, 2021

Member Yarber moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Burgess seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to employ the following:

1. Sandra Springer, Custodian, Hatton Elementary, effective November 1, 2021

Member Yarber moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Burgess seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to employ the following:

1. Roy Williams, Interim Principal, Colbert Heights High School, effective October 22, 2021

Member Yarber moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Burgess seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintendent Hand recommended the approval to amend the following Family Medical Leave:

1. Baylee Porter, Colbert Heights Elementary, extended from October 18, 2021 to May 27, 2022

Member Witt moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Saint seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

Upon a written recommendation, Superintended Hand recommended the approval of Long-Term Sub for the following:

1. Misty Whitt, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Cherokee Elementary, effective October 22, 2021

Member Saint moved that the recommendation be approved. Member Burgess seconded the motion and the recommendation was passed unanimously.

After no further business, Member Saint moved that the meeting adjourn. Member Yarber seconded the motion and the motion carried.

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President, Sandra James

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Member, Ricky Saint

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Member, Thomas Barnes

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Member, Jackie Witt

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Member Thomas Burgess

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Member, David Yarber

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Secretary, Chris Hand