

GULF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Friday, January 26, 2018

The Gulf County School Board met in special session Friday, January 26, 2018, at 8:00 AM, at their Administrative Office in Port St. Joe. Superintendent Norton and the following board members were present: Chairman Brooke Wooten, Vice Chairman Cindy Belin, Billy C. Quinn, Jr., Danny Little, and John Wright. Attorney Costin was unable to attend the meeting.

BOARD MEETING

I.	<u>CALL TO ORDER:</u> Chairman Wooten called the meeting to order at 8:00.
II.	<u>ADOPTION OF AGENDA:</u> On motion by Mr. Wright and seconded by Mrs. Belin the Board unanimously approved the agenda.
III.	<u>HEAR FROM THE PUBLIC:</u> None
IV.	<u>PERSONNEL MATTERS:</u> On motion by Mr. Wright and seconded by Mr. Quinn the Board voted unanimously to take the following action: (SM: 17/18 – 081) <ul style="list-style-type: none">-Approved Corey Silcox’ resignation letter effective January 18, 2018, and-Approved John Palmer’s resignation from his extra-curricular position of Head Football Coach effective January 19, 2018, as well as his Athletic Director position as soon as a replacement for the AD position is hired.-Approved Gregory Jordan for the Physical Education position at Port St. Joe High School effective February 15, 2018, and-Approved Debbie Gerber as a Hospital/Homebound position at Wewahitchka High School as needed, and-Approved Ernest Tyler Worley as a paraprofessional at Wewahitchka High School effective January 29, 2018, and-Approved the following teachers for extra pay for tutoring ACT prep for high school students (Title V): Debbie Childress, Fred Flowers, Kim McFarland, Kerri Barlow, Debbie Gerber, and Misty Wood-Approved buying Greg Jordan’s planning period.-Approved the following substitute applicant: Christa McDaniel
V.	<u>SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT:</u> Mr. Norton thanked The Board for supporting his decision to close school for one day, and briefed them on efforts underway to sanitize the schools and busses as best we can. He stated that while we are aware the flu is airborne, the long weekend will give the students and employees the opportunity to regroup and rest. Mr. Norton introduced News Correspondent Kerry Sanders and his crew who were onsite filming a live feed for <i>The Today Show</i> regarding Gulf District School’s decision to close school due to the flu’s impact in our schools and community.
VI.	<u>BOARD MEMBER CONCERNS:</u>
VII.	<u>ADJOURNMENT:</u> Chairman Wooten adjourned the meeting at 8:23.