

GULF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Monday, May 24, 2021

The Gulf County School Board met in special session Monday, May 24, 2021, at 7:45 (Agenda-Review Workshop) and 8:00 (School Board Meeting) at their Administrative Office in Port St. Joe. Superintendent Norton, Attorney Costin, and the following Board Members were present: Chairman Cindy Belin, Vice-Chairman Denny McGlon, Marvin Davis, and Ruby Knox. Mr. Wooten was unable to attend due to a work-related scheduling conflict.

Workshop: The board reviewed the May 24 agenda packet.

BOARD MEETING:

I. CALL TO ORDER: Chairman Belin called the meeting to order at 8:00.

II. ADOPTION OF AGENDA: On motion by Mr. McGlon and seconded by Mr. Davis the board unanimously approved the amended agenda to include the addition of pages 3.05, 5.06, 6-6A, 7-7A, 11.03–11.03C, and 12-12.03, the removal of pages 4, 9, and 10, and moving the regular scheduled June 8 meeting to June 15 at 10:00.

III. HEAR FROM THE PUBLIC: None

IV. CONSENT MATTERS: On motion by Mrs. Knox and seconded by Mr. McGlon the board voted unanimously to take the following action:

-Approved the May 4 Minutes, and (SM: 20/21 –142)

-Approved Change Order #4 for the Johnson Controls Project, and (SM: 20/21 –143)

PERSONNEL: (SM: 20/21 –144)

-Approved Kim Cochrane’s resignation effective the end of SY 2020-2021, and

-Approved Natasha Pennycuff’s resignation effective the end of SY 2020-2021, and

-Approved Debbie Peak’s retirement letter effective January 31, 2022, and

-Approved Travis Scorza’s resignation effective the end of SY 2020-2021, and

-Approved Mariah Parkerson’s request for maternity leave effective June 21, 2021, with an anticipated return date of August 30, 2021, and

-Approved Kasie Wood’s resignation effective the end of SY 2020-2021, and

-Approved Alicia “Sissy” Godwin for the PSJHS Principal Position effective July 1, 2021, and

-Approved Will Cribbs’ transfer from PSJH Bridges to WHS Bridges effective August 2, 2021, and

-Approved Theresa Dietz for a WES teaching position effective August 2, 2021, and

-Approved Karen Lankford for the PSJH ESE (Bridges) teaching position effective August 2, 2021, and

-Approved Liane Odom for the PSJH Science teaching position effective August 2, 2021, and

-Approved Chelsey Ardire for a WES teaching position effective August 2, 2021, and

-Approved two new reading interventionist positions (one for each elementary school), and approved the request to expand the existing Reading Coach position to a 10+2 position to allow sufficient time to disaggregate ELA data and provide training in the B.E.S.T. standards and the new ELA curriculum. These measures will be funded from the Specific Appropriation 106 grant.

-Approved Annual Contract Re-Appointments for SY 2021-2022 for Instructional and Non-Instructional employees, and

-Approved the following coaches to receive appropriate bonuses for taking their teams to state:

Bobby Johns (WHS Head Boys Weightlifting); Justin Smith (WHS Head Girls Softball);

Tony Price (WHS Assist. Girls’ Softball); Kenny Parker (PSJH Head Track); Keion McNair (PSJH Assist. Track);

Tanner Jones (PSJH Head Boys’ Weightlifting); Darrion Wilson (PSJH Assist. Boys’ Weightlifting).

V. PROGRAM MATTERS: On motion by Mr. Davis and seconded by Mrs. Knox the board voted unanimously to take the following action:

-Approved the PAEC 2021-22 FOCUS Software License Agreement, and (SM: 20/21 –145)

-Approved the Agreement with North Florida Child Development for 2021 Summer VPK Services. (SM: 20/21 –146)

VI. BID MATTERS: On motion by Mr. McGlon and seconded by Mrs. Knox the board voted unanimously to take the following action: (SM: 20/21 –147)

-Awarded the 2021-2022 Extermination Contract to Charlie Pettis Pest Services in the amount of \$7,800.00, and

-Awarded individual items on Bid #22-002 for Janitorial Supplies to the following vendors: Sanitation Products of America and Southern Cleaning Supply, and (SM: 20/21 –148)

-Awarded Bid #22-003 for Gas/Diesel/Oil to JV Gander Distribution, Inc., and (SM: 20/21 –149)

-Awarded Bid #22-004 for Tires to Southern Tire Mart. (SM: 20/21 –150)

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VII.	<u>SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:</u>
VIII.	<u>BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS:</u> Chairman Belin announced that the next regular meeting is Tuesday, June 15, 2021, at 9:45 (workshop) and 10:00 (board meeting).
IX.	<u>ADJOURNMENT:</u> Chairman Belin adjourned the meeting at 8:20.