

## Orangeburg County School District

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102 Founders Court  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Board Room  
Orangeburg, SC 29118

July 9, 2019

### Minutes

Board members present: R. L. Brown, Debora Brunson, Idella Carson, Ruby Edwards, Vernell Goodwin, William O'Quinn, Betty Pelzer, Peggy Tyler, and Mary Ulmer.

#### Proceedings:

##### Call to Order:

The Board chair, Peggy Tyler, called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. In accordance with S.C. Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, § 30-4-80 (e), the following media outlets were notified of the time, place, and agenda of the meeting: *The Times and Democrat* and *The Advertiser-Herald*.

##### Moment of Silence:

Board chair, Peggy Tyler, called for a moment of silence.

##### Pledge of Allegiance:

Board chair, Peggy Tyler, asked R. L. Brown, Parliamentarian, to lead the Board in the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

##### Approval of Agenda:

Mary Ulmer moved, with a second by R. L. Brown, to approve the agenda. The motion passed 9-0.

##### Approval of Minutes:

Idella Carson moved, with a second by Mary Ulmer, to approve the minutes from June 25, 2019.

##### Information Items:

- A. Superintendent's Report
  1. High School Graduation
  2. Administrative Retreat
    - July 31
    - August 1
  3. District Convocation – Thursday, August 15, 2019, 9 a.m.
  4. School Operation Procedures

All schools will continue to use and wear the uniform and colors from FY 2018-19. Any changes will need the approval of the PTA.

- B. District Website /e-mail (Dr. Jesse Washington)
- C. Financial Update (Michael Thom)

Dr. Jesse Washington reported in the absence of Michael Thom.

Public Forum:

The Board received and accepted all information from Public Forum.

Executive Session: 6:46 p.m.

Idella Carson moved, with a second by R. L. Brown, to enter into executive session. The motion passed 9-0.

Return to Open Session: 8:17 p.m.

Mary Ulmer moved, with a second by Idella Carson, to return to Open Session. The motion passed 9-0.

Action Items:

- A. Personnel /Vacancies (Ernest Holiday)

Idella Carson moved, with a second by R. L. Brown, to approve the recommendations by the Interim Superintendent for certified employment. The motion passed 9-0.

Idella Carson moved, with a second by Betty Pelzer, to approve the release of candidates from the District. The motion passed 9-0.

Idella Carson moved, with a second by Mary Ulmer, to approve 'Person A' as the Chief of Special Services. The motion passed 9-0.

Adjournment:

Mary Ulmer moved, with a second by Idella Carson, to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed 9-0. The meeting adjourned at 8:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Marie S. Harrison  
Executive Assistant