



Minutes
School Board Meeting
FY2023 Budget Proposal Adoption & Appointment of Interim School Board Member
Greene County Schools
WMHS Performing Arts Center
February 23, 2022

Members Present: Mr. Todd Sansom, Chair; Ms. Sharon Mack, Member; Mr. Brooks Taylor, Member; Mr. Jason Tooley, Member; Dr. Andrea Whitmarsh, Superintendent; Ms. Rhonda Houchens, Clerk; Ms. Jennifer Walker, Deputy Clerk.

Member(s) of The Greene County Board of Supervisors Present: Mr. Steve Bowman, Liaison

Mr. Sansom called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. in the William Monroe High School Performing Arts Center.

Mr. Sansom requested a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Taylor made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Mr. Tooley seconded. No discussion. All Ayes, motion carried.

Mr. Sansom invited everyone to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Dr. Whitmarsh presented action item #11-1196, FY2023 Budget Proposal Adoption. Dr. Whitmarsh stated the board will take action tonight on the FY2023 Budget Proposal. She shared that the budget proposal was in the packet. Dr. Whitmarsh shared the changes since the last presentation which include health insurance renewal is flat so no additional increase, initial House and Senate budget proposals, and Governor Youngkin has not released his budget proposal. Dr. Whitmarsh stated her recommendation was to approve the FY2023 budget in the amount of \$47,099,556.

Ms. Mack made a motion to approve the proposed FY2023 budget in the amount of \$47,099,556. Mr. Taylor seconded.

Ms. Mack shared some highlights of the budget.

Mr. Sansom followed up with comments regarding the need for retaining staff and staying competitive with salaries.

Mr. Todd Sansom stated: The Board will certify by roll call vote:

Mr. Tooley - Aye

Ms. Mack – Aye

Mr. Taylor – Aye

Mr. Sansom Aye

Mr. Sansom stated February was School Board Clerk Appreciation Month. Mr. Sansom recognized Rhonda Houchens, Clerk and Jennifer Walker, Deputy Clerk.

Mr. Sansom thanked Jason Collier for his service and also thanked him for his time he spent on the PREP Board.

Mr. Sansom presented action item 11-1197, Appointment of Interim School Board Member. He stated there were six candidates, interviews took place last night and they were all very impressive.

Mr. Jason Tooley made a motion to approve action 11-1197; I move that the board appoints Becky Roach on an interim basis to serve as the Greene County School Board Member representing the Stanardsville District.

Motion was seconded by Sharon Mack.

Ms. Mack stated she was blown away by each and every candidate. She stated there was a lot of talent. She thanked all six candidates.

Mr. Tooley stated the six individuals were all unique and all six had something to offer. He shared he appreciated all the candidates coming out and thanked them for their interest.

Mr. Taylor stated each candidate brought something amazing to the table. Each candidate had something to offer and it was a tough decision. He thanked all six candidates.

Mr. Sansom welcomed candidates if they were interested in Greene Education Foundation or the Greene County Technical Education Advisor Board.

Mr. Todd Sansom stated: The Board will certify by roll call vote on the motion to approve Ms. Becky Roach as Interim Member:

Jason Tooley – Aye

Sharon Mack – Aye

Brooks Taylor – Aye

Todd Sansom - Aye

Mr. Sansom welcomed Ms. Roach aboard.

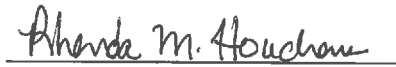
Mr. Sansom requested a motion to adjourn the meeting

Mr. Tooley made a motion to adjourn meeting. Ms. Mack, seconded. No discussion, All Ayes, motion carried.

Mr. Sansom adjourned the meeting at 7:32 p.m.



Chair



Clerk

