MINUTES

DILLON SCHOOL DISTRICT FOUR BOARD OF TRUSTEES

1738 Highway 301 North Dillon, South Carolina

May 17, 2021

- I. The regular meeting was called to order by Chairman Earl Gleason, Jr.
- II. The agenda was approved on a motion by Alex Lewis with a second from Famon Whitfield. All approved.
- **III.** Visitors and the media were welcomed at this time.
- **IV.** The roll was called as follows:

Earl Gleason, Jr., Burt Rogers, Mike McRae, Kenny Bethea, Mandy Faircloth, Alex Lewis and Famon Whitfield.

ABSENT:

Burt Rogers

VISITORS:

Betsy Finklea, The Dillon Herald NETC Faculty & Students

V. NOTICE TO THE MEDIA:

In accordance with the SC Code of Laws of 1976(e) amended; the following has been notified of the date, time and place of this meeting.

The Dillon Herald

VI. There being no corrections or additions to the April 19, 2021 minutes and current agenda, Chairman Earl Gleason, Jr. ruled that they stand approved.

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

 NETC Student Recognition – Dr. Kyle Wagner was on hand to recognize four students for the outstanding work they have done taking dual credits at NETC.

- 2. Budget Update Bryan Rivenbark, Chief Financial Officer gave Board Members an update on the General Fund Financial Report. The report was for April 1, 2021 through April 30, 2021. Information only.
- Student Services Lynn Liebenrood, Director of Student Services gave board members information on summer programs being held at all eight schools. Information only.
- **4.** Covid-19 Update Jackie Hayes gave board members an update on the Covid-19. This was for information only.
- Safety Equipment Superintendent Rogers informed board members that the district had purchased eight wheelchairs. One chair for each school. Information only.
- **6. DHS & LVH School Graduation** Superintendent Rogers also informed board members of the graduation for DHS and LVH School. LHS will be at 9 o'clock on June 15, 2021 and DHS will be at 10 o'clock on June 15, 2021. Both graduations will be held on the stadium field. Information only.

VIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

A motion to go into Executive Session was made by Kenny Bethea with a second from Mike McRae. Unanimous.

A motion to come out of Executive Session was made by Alex Lewis with a second by Famon Whitfield. All approved.

1. **Personnel** – After returning to Open Session, Lynn Liebenrood gave Board Members the recommendations, resignations and retirement. All approved.

Tamara Nance-Bethea will be going to Lake View Elementary as Principal and Dr. Kim Walsh will be leaving for Marlboro School District. Motion made by Kenny Bethea with a second from Mike McRae. Unanimous.

Attached is a list of Educators recommended for Re-Employment for the 2021-2022 SY. Motion made by Kenny Bethea with a second from Famon Whitfield. Earl Gleason, Jr. and Mike McRae abstained. Professional Staff recommended for re-employment for the 2021-2022 SY was made by Famon Whitfield with a second from Alex Lewis. Retired-Rehired Educators Recommended for re-employment for the 2021-2022 SY was made by Famon Whitfield with a second from Alex Lewis. All approved.

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IX. ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m. Motion made by Alex Lewis with a second from Mike McRae. Unanimous.

Respectfully Submitted,
Earl Gleason, Jr., Chairman
Mike McRae, Secretary
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