

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE  
**SOUTH TIPPAAH SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**BOARD OF TRUSTEES**  
Oscar Shannon Building  
September 17, 2019  
5:15 P.M.

Members Present: Tim Clark, Haley Moffitt, Kerry Cockrell, and Wayne Jumper

Members Absent: David Duncan

Others Present: Frank Campbell, Superintendent; Tony Elliott, Assistant Superintendent; Price Elliott, Board Attorney; Jerry Childs, Business Manager; Bre Anna Heard, Blue Mountain Principal; Josh Rainey; Sharon Rainey; and Kerra Caldwell

The meeting was called to order by Board Chairman Haley Moffitt and commenced as an open meeting. The Invocation was led by Tony Elliott. Frank Campbell led those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. Tim Clark read the South Tippah School District Vision Statement, Mission Statement, and Belief Statement.

The September 17, 2019 South Tippah School District Meeting Agenda was approved on a motion by Kerry Cockrell, seconded by Wayne Jumper. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

There was no action taken on Agenda Item 6: Public Comments

Tim Clark made the motion to approve the Blue Mountain School Improvement Plan Report given by Bre Anna Heard, Blue Mountain Principal. The motion was seconded by Wayne Jumper. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to consider the need for Executive Session to discuss Agenda Item 8: Concerned Parent to Address the Board. Wayne Jumper seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to go into Executive Session to discuss Agenda Item 8: Concerned Parent to Address the Board. Wayne Jumper seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Board Chairman Moffitt immediately closed the session and cleared the room to consider an Executive Session of the September 17, 2019 Regular Meeting of the South Tippah School District Board of Trustees.

Chairman Moffitt re-convened the open session and announced in the open meeting that the board has taken no action on Agenda Item 8: Concerned Parent to Address the Board.

The August 14, 2019 Regular Meeting Minutes were approved on a motion by Wayne Jumper and seconded by Kerry Cockrell. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to approve the consent agenda as follows:

Disposal of Fixed Assets  
Disposal Amount of \$55,894.60

Summary Statement of Fixed Assets  
Additions of \$44,291.99

Donations

Ripley Elementary School  
The Peoples Bank, \$10,000 for playground reconstruction

Ripley Middle School  
Anita Hood, swing set

Tippah Career & Technology Center  
Ashley Furniture, sofa  
Bart Adams, golf cart

## Fund Raisers

### Blue Mountain School

- Cheerleaders, 5K Run, October 12, 2019
- Cheerleaders, Fundly.com fundraiser, September 2019

### Pine Grove School

- Baseball, sell bed sheets, September 2019
- High School & Junior High Basketball, Free-Throw-A-Thon, September 2019
- Beta Club, sell candy, October 2019
- Softball, sell t-shirts, September 2019
- Volleyball & Softball, Gun Give-a-way, September 2019

### Ripley Elementary School

- Sell items for Fall Festival, September 2019

### Ripley High School

- Baseball Boosters, Gun Give-a-way, October 2018
- Yearbook, sell Homecoming t-shirts, September 2019
- Volleyball, sell t-shirts, September 2019
- Basketball, sell ads for score table, October 2019
- Soccer Boosters, sell Ripley umbrellas, September 2019
- Football Boosters, sell chances on \$1,000, September 2019
- Pom Squad, sell candy, September 2019
- Basketball, sell chances on Visa Card, October 2019
- Softball, sell bed sheets, September 2019
- Softball, sell Corky's meats, October 2019
- Softball, sell ads for Media Guide, December 2019
- Choir Boosters, sell candy bars, October 2019

### Ripley Middle School

- 5<sup>th</sup> grade, sell baked goods, October 2019
- Self-Contained Class, sell t-shirts, September 2019

### Tippah Career & Technology Center

- HOSA, sell beef jerky, October 2019

## Field Trips

### Blue Mountain School

- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Tupelo/Bancorp South Center to Imagine the Possibilities, October 1, 2019
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, Union County Heritage Museum, October 4, 2019

Pine Grove School

Spanish Class, Fiesta Grill, September 12, 2019  
AG & Natural Resource Class, Twin Cedar Farms, September 19, 2019  
Beta Club, Tupelo, MS, October 11, 2019

Ripley High School

STEM Class, NEMCC/Tech Career Day, October 10, 2019  
Choir, Northeast/Choir Festival, October 24, 2019  
Girls Basketball, Biloxi, December 23, 2019

Ripley Middle School

Choir, Falkner City Hall/Performance, September 27, 2019

Request for Transfer

Haley Grace Walker                      Benton County

Additions to the Substitute List:

Megan Hargett  
Tonya Simpson  
Belinda Williams  
Rebekah Power  
Walter Hardaway  
Santana Shelton  
Olivia Bullock  
Bridget Fox

Additions to the Cafeteria Substitute List:

Teresa Reaves

Administration of Medication to Students

RHM20-3 – RHM20-5  
RMM20-12 – RMM20-16  
PGM20-1 – PGM20-29  
REM20-12 – REM20-24

Wayne Jumper seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry  
Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David  
Duncan.

Board Chairman Moffitt then turned the attention of the Board to the next order of

business on the agenda and called on Superintendent Campbell for the Superintendent's Report. Superintendent Campbell updated the board on the Blue Mountain and Pre-K building projects.

The Claims Docket, claims #85308 - #85634, was approved on a motion by Wayne Jumper and seconded by Kerry Cockrell. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

The Financial Statements were approved on a motion by Kerry Cockrell, seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Tim Clark made the motion to employ the following Licensed Personnel for SY19-20:

Blue Mountain School

Sharon Meeks, Mentor @ \$20/hour

Tippah Career & Technology Center

Maurice Graddy, Teacher

Wayne Jumper seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel for SY19-20:

Pine Grove School

Nancy Bailey, Susan Barton Tutor @ \$10/hour  
Beverly Akins, Susan Barton Tutor @ \$10/hour

Lunchroom

Cathy Franklin, 165 days @ \$13,976

Tim Clark seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Tim Clark made the motion to employ the following 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC Personnel for SY19-20:

Kim Fryar, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Elizabeth Elliott, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Riley Bennett, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Anissa Yancey, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Kimery Williams, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Beatrice Cook-Mitchell, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Brent Grisham, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Sarah Taylor, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Cheryl Heavener-Smith, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Melissa Moore, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Teresa Bullock, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Amanda Kerierleber, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Anna Smith, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Rhonda Jones, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Erin Lovett, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Mark Morton, Site Coordinator @ \$23/hour  
Randa Bennett, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Mindy Alexander, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Melinda Evans, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Paige Gray, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Nicolette Nelms, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Penny Hill, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Suzanne Wooley, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Tiffany Gates, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Nicole Decanter, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Laura Elliott, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Debbie Stephens, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Sharon Kubish, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Shalon Smith, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Abba Edgeston, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Katherine Nash-Colom, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Allie Wallis, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Kate Hathorn, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Lisa Rucker, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Katie Ellis, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Brenda Witt, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Debra Stroupe, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Rebekah Carter, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Penny Simpson, Site Coordinator @ \$23/hour  
Amanda Herman, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Karen Pannell, Tutor @ 20/hour  
Michelle Bass, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Lynda Akins, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Libby Ward, Tutor @ \$20/hour

Candi Raines, Site Coordinator @ \$23/hour  
Nakeita Selmon, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Yessenia Rubio, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Yussett Rubio, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Beth Kuykendall, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Mallory Hurt, Site Coordinator @ \$23/hour  
Joyce Graddy, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Joe Hunsucker, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Cindy Hunsucker, Tutor @ \$20/hour  
Teresa Elam, Site Coordinator @ \$23/hour  
Melissa Criswell, Site Coordinator Sub @ \$23/hour  
Mackenzie Lane, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Shellye Wilson, Assistant @ \$10/hour  
Judy Huddleston, Tutor @ \$20/hour

Kerry Cockrell seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to employ the following ELL Tutors for SY19-20:

Ripley Elementary School

Lynda Ormon @ \$20/hour  
Kathy Hatcher @ \$20/hour  
Pam Simelton @ \$20/hour  
Debbie Flake @ \$20/hour  
Barbara Graddy @ \$20/hour  
Pam Davis @ \$20/hour  
Ginger Simpson @ \$20/hour

Tim Clark seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to employ the following Substitute Bus Drivers for SY19-20:

Greg Dillard  
Rico McDonald  
Lonnie Neaves  
Tyler Pittman  
Hunter Brown

Jimmy Benefield  
Joel Gafford  
Maurice Graddy  
Sam Hathorn  
Mike Hudson  
Joe Hunsucker  
Adam Kirk  
Chris Moore  
Caleb Reno  
Sam Vaughn  
Nathan Wooley  
Kelvin Crum  
Megan Dillard  
Hannah Patten  
Jeff Lollar  
Cindy Elliott  
Tyler Ormon  
Kelly Gates  
Dustin McMillin  
Alecia Sanderson  
Katie Bates  
Russell Pannell  
Brad Pounders  
Matt King  
Candice Sparkman  
Jake Walker  
Bryan Davis  
Karrie Beth Stevens  
Janna LaBarreare  
Buck Buchanan  
Josh Davis  
Stacy Givens  
Jeff Medlin  
Robert Allen  
Chad Brown

Wayne Jumper seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to approve the request for a one-year emergency license for the following licensed personnel: Lynda Akins, Pine Grove School. Tim Clark seconded the



motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell & Haley Moffitt.

Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to approve the FY19-20 Budget Certification. The motion was seconded by Kerry Cockrell. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Tim Clark made the motion to approve the SY19-20 Strategic Plan/Goals. Wayne Jumper seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to award the bids for surplus property to the highest and best bid. The bids are as follows:

Trailer

Stephen Sides \$103.00

Robert Burns \$100.00

Lynn's Enterprise – Susan Rogers \$277.00

2008 Kubota RTV900

Edward Gray \$701.00

Bryan Shoup \$1,055.00

Lynn's Enterprise – Susan Rogers \$1,577.00

2007 White GMC Yukon

Joe Childs \$551.50

Lynn's Enterprise – Susan Rogers \$277.00

Kerry Cockrell seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to approve the Memorandum/Agreement of

Understanding Between South Tippah School District and Blue Mountain College for SY19-20.

The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to approve the Northeast Mississippi Educators and Consultants, LLC Contract Agreement for Services with South Tippah School District for SY19-20. Kerry Cockrell seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to approve the Beyond Therapy Contract for Occupational and Physical Therapy with South Tippah School District for SY19-20. The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to approve the Level Up Consulting Contract for Services with South Tippah School District for SY19-20. The motion was seconded by Wayne Jumper. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between Health Connect America, Inc. and South Tippah School District for SY19-20. The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to approve the South Tippah School District Agreement with King Therapies, LLC for SY19-20. Kerry Cockrell seconded the motion. Voting for the

motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Tim Clark made the motion to approve the Collaborative Agreement Between South Tippah School District and Millcreek of Pontotoc for SY19-20. Kerry Cockrell seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Wayne Jumper made the motion to approve the MSBA 2020 School Board Legislative Survey. The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to approve the revisions to board policies: IDDHE, IHE, & IJ. Wayne Jumper seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Tim Clark made the motion to approve the final adoption of Board Policy IJ-R: Internet/Technology Acceptable Use Policy. The motion was seconded by Wayne Jumper. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

Kerry Cockrell made the motion to approve the Board Policy Review of Section I: Curriculum & Instruction. The motion was seconded by Wayne Jumper. Voting for the motion: Wayne Jumper, Tim Clark, Kerry Cockrell, & Haley Moffitt. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: David Duncan.

There was no action taken on Agenda Item 27: Deletions or Additions to Annual Agenda

Calendar.

There being no further action to come before the Board, Chairman Moffitt entertained a motion to adjourn. On a motion made by Kerry Cockrell, seconded by Tim Clark, and unanimously approved by the affirmative vote of all Board Members present: Tim Clark, Haley Moffitt, Wayne Jumper, and Kerry Cockrell, the Board adjourned until the next regular meeting of the South Tippah School District Board to be held at 5:15 o'clock p.m., on the 15th day of October, 2019, at the Oscar Shannon Building, at 410 Greenlee Street, Ripley, Mississippi.

ORDERED, ADOPTED, and RESOLVED, this the 17th day of September 2019.

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Chairman, South Tippah School Board

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Secretary, South Tippah School Board