# MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE

# SOUTH TIPPAH SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Oscar Shannon Building April 11, 2023 5:15 P.M.

Members Present:

Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole

Bullock

Members Absent:

None

Others Present:

Tony Elliott, Superintendent; Price Elliott, Board Attorney; Ruby Bennett,

Assistant Superintendent; Tonya Kuhl, Business Manager; Kelly Gates,

Federal Programs/Curriculum Director; & Guests

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Cockrell and commenced as an open meeting. The Invocation was led by Kerry Cockrell. Tony Elliott led those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. Kevin Barefield read the South Tippah School District Vision Statement and Mission Statement.

The April 11, 2023 South Tippah School District Meeting Agenda was approved on a motion by Arnold Witt, seconded by Nicole Bullock. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Rosemary Reed addressed the Board with concerns. There was no action taken.

The March 22, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes, March 22, 2023 Executive Session of the Regular Meeting Minutes, March 27, 2023 Special Meeting Minutes, & April 6, 2023 Work Session Minutes were approved on a motion by Nicole Bullock and seconded by Arnold Witt. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Kevin Barefield made the motion to approve the consent agenda as follows:

Disposal of Fixed Assets

Disposal Amount of \$2755.00

#### Summary Statement of Fixed Assets

Additions of \$114,087.77

#### **Donations**

## Pine Grove School

Glen Michael, \$200 for softball team meal

## Tippah Career & Technology Center

Kim Miller, Crepe Myrtle trees

## **Fund Raisers**

# Ripley High School

FCCLA, sell candy bars, April 2023

# Field Trips

## Pine Grove School

Kindergarten, Blue Mountain Christian University/Literacy on the Lawn, April 11, 2023 Kindergarten, Blue Springs Safari Park, April 28, 2023 Seniors, Toyota Plant/Blue Springs, May 4, 2023

# Ripley Elementary School

Kindergarten, Blue Mountain Christian University/Literacy on the Lawn, April 11, 2023 1st Grade, Chuck E Cheese, April 28, 2023

#### Ripley High School

Choir, Booneville First Baptist Church/Concert Performance, April 4, 2023

### Ripley Middle School

Jr. Beta Club, University of MS/Campus Tour, May 8, 2023

#### Pre-Kindergarten

Blue Mountain High School Gym/Easter Egg Hunt, April 6, 2023

#### Administration of Medication to Students:

BMM23-19 – BMM23-21 RMM23-20 Request for Transfer

Averie Bullock Benjamin Bullock Josiah Bullock Union County Union County Union County

Additions to the Substitute List:

Walter Hardaway Chris Robbins

Tim Clark seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to approve the Ripley Middle School Improvement Plan Report. Kevin Barefield seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to approve the Superintendent's Report as presented by Superintendent Tony Elliott. The motion was seconded by Kevin Barefield. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

The Claims Docket, claims #97156 - #97411, was approved on a motion by Arnold Witt and seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

The Financial Statements were approved on a motion by Kevin Barefield and seconded by Nicole Bullock. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to accept the following resignations from licensed personnel: Kim Fryar, Blue Mountain School (effective March 28, 2023) & Donnita Ginn, Pine Grove School. The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell,

Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel for SY22-23:

# Ripley Elementary School

Jimmy Walker, Substitute Janitor @ \$13.22/hr.

#### Ripley Middle School

Yusset Ruedas, Part-time gym assistant @ \$10.00/hr.

Kevin Barefield seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark,

Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to employ the following licensed personnel at Blue Mountain School for SY23-24:

Lee Holt, Assistant Principal Regina Chills, Teacher/Coach Kara Green, Teacher Brent Grisham, Teacher Emily West, Teacher Catriece Braddock, Teacher Holley Nance, Teacher Melissa Moore, Teacher Mark Morton, Teacher/Coach Mallory Hurt, Teacher Joe Dan Roberts, Teacher/Coach Sarah Taylor, Teacher Anissa Yancey, Teacher Kimery Williams, Teacher Roxanne Ward, Teacher Laura Elliott, Teacher Anna Luster, Teacher Heather Ewing, Teacher Audri Russell, Teacher Donna Knight, Teacher/Coach Elizabeth Elliott, Teacher Rainer Jumper, Teacher Carlyn Bain, Teacher

Beatrice Cook-Mitchell, Teacher Chad Cook, Teacher Jessica Paseur-Drewery, Teacher Erin Kuykendall, Teacher Shane Hayles, Teacher/Coach

The motion was seconded by Kevin Barefield. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim

Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None.

Absent and not voting: None.

Kevin Barefield made the motion to employ the following licensed personnel at Pine

#### Grove School for SY23-24:

Alecia Sanderson, Teacher Allison Harrison, Teacher Erica Gates, Teacher Taylor Ellzey, Teacher Brittany Fryar, Teacher Christy Hurt, Teacher Karrie Beth Kent, Teacher Melissa Salinas, Teacher Matt King, Teacher/Coach Roman Doty, Teacher/Coach Jake Walker, Teacher/Coach Haley Wallace, Teacher Leandra Hubbard, Teacher Jennifer Grisham, Teacher Karen Pannell, Teacher Justin Jordan, Teacher/Coach Millie Chism, Teacher Kate Killough, Teacher Paris Moreland, Teacher Bailey Kennedy, Teacher Abby Bryan, Teacher Rondy Rogers, Teacher Cindy Ralph, Teacher Caitlyn Raines, Teacher Kacey Rowland, Teacher Amy Cissom, Teacher Santana Nance, Teacher Heather Christian, Teacher Andrew Mauney, Teacher Fancy Fowler, Teacher Janet Vuncannon, Teacher Georgiana Brady, Teacher

Brittany Holmes, Teacher
Randa Bennett, Teacher
Brandie Spencer, Teacher
Lynda Akins, Teacher
Chris Shinall, Assistant Principal
Kevin Wells, Guidance Counselor
Grace Anne Brown, Speech Therapist
Shaundra Spires, Teacher
Allison Ralph, Teacher
Liza Pannell, Teacher
Adam Mauney, Teacher/Coach
Skyler Benson, Teacher/Coach (pending licensure)

The motion was seconded by Nicole Bullock. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None. Arnold Witt recused himself from the vote.

Tim Clark made the motion to employ the following licensed personnel at Ripley

## Elementary School for SY23-24:

Penny Hill, Teacher Carla Liles, Teacher Kylie Henry, Teacher Ashleigh Nabors, Teacher Carol Cooper, Teacher Savannah Graves, Teacher Katie Hodges, Teacher Samantha Walton, Teacher Suzanne Wooley, Teacher Mandy Caviness, Teacher Madison Pannell, Teacher Alison Ralph, Teacher Teena Simpson, Teacher Shea Scott, Teacher Leslie Gay, Teacher Amy Johnson, Teacher Carla Roberts, Teacher Tiffany Gates, Teacher Sara Cartwright, Teacher Ann Holmes, Teacher Dena Nance, Teacher Kristy McBryde, Teacher Shelby Swinford, Teacher Brittany Strong, Teacher Mindy Alexander, Teacher

Erin Pritchett, Teacher Paige Gray, Teacher Hailey Gann, Teacher Genia Thomas, Teacher Janna LaBarreare, Teacher Andrea Jones, Teacher Nickolette Nelms, Teacher Lisa Graves, Teacher/Coach Kellie Kimery, Teacher Katie Graves, Speech Therapist Sara Roberts, Speech Therapist Angela Mauney, Teacher Jenny Thompson, Speech Therapist Megan Dillard, Teacher Evangelina Stanford, Guidance Counselor Chris Moore, Assistant Principal Sheila Bryan, Nurse Tammy Miller, Part-time Teacher Rhonda Bailey, ELL Tutor Pam Simelton, ELL Tutor Debbie Flake, ELL Tutor Jo Beth Akins, ELL Tutor Kathy Hatcher, ELL Tutor Lynda Orman, ELL Tutor Barbara Graddy, ELL Tutor

Arnold Witt seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to employ the following licensed personnel at Ripley

# High School for SY23-24:

Shanna Vaughan, Teacher Kendra Ralph, Teacher Laura Booth, Teacher/Coach Nikolas Wilcher, Teacher/Coach Earon Reed, Teacher Jennifer Huddleston, Teacher Brady Dancer, Teacher/Coach Katie Bates, Teacher/Coach Robert Allen, Teacher/Coach Sherie Mauney, Teacher Don Wilson, Teacher Marie Hamilton, Teacher

Amber Cross, Teacher

Brooke Lindsey, Teacher

Richie Hatcher, Teacher

Joey Bullock, Teacher

Juliane Briscoe, Teacher

Mary Kansas Sullivan, Teacher/Coach

Casey Cappleman, Teacher

Tyler Pittman, Teacher/Coach

Martha Brannan, Teacher

Julie Eaton, Teacher

Kayla Herron, Teacher/Assistant Band Director

Perry Liles, Teacher/Coach

Courtney Rutherford, Teacher

Chris Byrd, Teacher/Coach

Jason Scott, Teacher

Neelie Owen, Teacher

Josh Davis, Teacher/Coach

Bernard Hatch, Teacher/Band Director

Joel Gafford, Teacher/Coach

Jamal Braddock, Teacher/Coach

Kristan Fortenberry, Teacher

Larry Gann, Teacher/Coach

Lessie Stroupe, Guidance Counselor

Anita Hood, Assistant Principal

The motion was seconded by Kevin Barefield. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim

Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None.

Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to employ the following licensed personnel at Ripley

#### Middle School for SY23-24:

Joe Hunsucker, Assistant Principal

Karly Spires, Guidance Counselor

Shelley Akins, Teacher

Rosemary Reed, Nurse

Olivia Chapman, Teacher

Keena Duncan, Teacher

Rachel Girley, Teacher

Tiffany Rinehart, Teacher

Lanedra Brooks, Teacher

Connie Baker, Teacher

Melissa Criswell, Teacher

Laura Green, Teacher Nathan Wooley, Teacher Rita Smith, Teacher Kakie Jeter, Teacher Jessica Williams, Teacher Jessica Prather, Teacher Sarah Byrd, Teacher Maria Lauderdale, Teacher/Coach Candice Ward, Teacher Emily Raines, Teacher Jennifer Shockley, Teacher Johnnie Smith, Teacher Kelly Ward, Teacher Heather Ashmore, Teacher Courtney Cappleman, Teacher Joshua Hopkins, Teacher Lisa Wilkerson, Teacher Sherry Akins, Teacher Laura Roberts, Teacher Donna Schmitz, Teacher Jase Stroupe, Teacher/Coach Dallas Hill, Teacher/Coach Rhonda Horton, Teacher Jose Moreno, Teacher/Coach Suzanne Rolison, Teacher Megan McKnight, Teacher Suzette Haynes, Speech Therapist Barbara Baylis, Part-time Teacher Charlie Meeks, Teacher

Tim Clark seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Kevin Barefield made the motion to employ the following licensed personnel at the

Tippah Career & Technology Center for SY23-24:

Amy Adams, Guidance Counselor
Dana Chapman, Health Science Instructor
Chris Colucci, Automotive Instructor
Matt Graves, Construction/Carpentry Instructor
Pam Moore, Student Services Coordinator/Assistant Director
Linda Stubbs, Information Technology Instructor
Libby Ward, Work-Based Learning

David Wooley, Welding Instructor Bill McCain, Law and Public Safety Instructor

Nicole Bullock seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Tim Clark made the motion to employ the following licensed personnel at the South

Tippah Pre-Kindergarten for SY23-24:

Paige Cook, Teacher Julie Hatcher, Teacher Melissa Willingham, Teacher

The motion was seconded by Arnold Witt. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel at Blue

Mountain School for SY23-24:

Maxine Stark, Secretary
Joanna Fowler, Secretary/Coach
Teresa Bullock, Teacher Assistant
Shellye Wilson, Teacher Assistant
Janice Graham, Teacher Assistant
Shakeva Johnson, Teacher Assistant
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Jamie Bryant, Teacher Assistant
Rhonda Jones, Teacher Assistant
Melanie Kincaid, Nurse
Jackie McKenzie, Custodian
Harvey Rutherford, Custodian

Kevin Barefield seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel at Pine Grove School for SY23-24:

Chelsea Alsup, Teacher Assistant

Kristian Mullins, Teacher Assistant Pam Bullock, Teacher Assistant Stacy Pannell, Teacher Assistant Amanda Herman, Teacher Assistant Emily Morrison, Teacher Assistant Cindi Mauney, Teacher Assistant Chasity Street, Teacher Assistant Steavan Ball, Teacher Assistant Laura Harris, Teacher Assistant Lori Mims, Teacher Assistant Courtney Akins, Full-time Substitute Wendy Lopez, Custodian Johnny Parks, Custodian Amanda Wright, Custodian (10 months) Joni Bullock, Book Keeper Linsey Cissom, Receptionist Molly Moore, Nurse

The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Kevin Barefield made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel at

Ripley Elementary School for SY23-24:

Shalon Smith, Teacher Assistant Skyla Johnston, Teacher Assistant Nakeita Selmon, Teacher Assistant Melissa Robertson, Teacher Assistant Shanequil Jeanes, Teacher Assistant Lou Price, Teacher Assistant Lauren Boyd, Teacher Assistant Karla Mazareigo, Teacher Assistant Vanessa Williams, Teacher Assistant Teigh Benson, Teacher Assistant Shannon Salinas, Teacher Assistant Caitlin Bascomb, Teacher Assistant Johna Hopper, Teacher Assistant Madyson Little, Teacher Assistant Savannah Smith, Teacher Assistant Billie Jade Chapman, Full-time Substitute Abba Edgeston, Secretary (10 months) Carlee Harrell, Secretary Clinton Pannell, Custodian

Steven Barkley, Custodian Robert Jones, Custodian

The motion was seconded by Nicole Bullock. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Tim Clark made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel at Ripley

High School for SY23-24:

Barbara Bullock, Secretary
Osheana Prather, Full-time Substitute
Molly Palmer, Teacher Assistant
Johnny Montgomery, Custodian
Brande Shackelford, ELL Tutor
Elizabeth Castro, Teacher Assistant
Justin Moffitt, Custodian
Larry Vernor, Part-time Custodian
Thomas Smith, Teacher Assistant
Gary Bruce, Field Maintenance

Arnold Witt seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel at Ripley Middle School for SY23-24:

Kim Benson, Secretary
Mac Terry, Custodian
Ronnie Decanter, Custodian
Cheryl Johnson, Custodian
Amber Graves, Teacher Assistant
Kenya Wilson, Teacher Assistant
Ann Carmack, Teacher Assistant
Vivian Hill, Teacher Assistant
Taylor Bain, ELL Tutor
Sandra Cole, ELL Tutor
Beverly Moffitt, ELL Tutor
Beverly Stubbs, ELL Tutor

The motion was seconded by Kevin Barefield. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None.

Absent and not voting: None.

Tim Clark made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel at the Tippah Career & Technology Center for SY23-24:

Ken Cooper, Custodian Savannah Cummings, Secretary (10 months)

Arnold Witt seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Kevin Barefield made the motion to employ the following non-licensed personnel at the South Tippah Pre-Kindergarten for SY 23-24:

Debbie Stephens, Pre-K Teacher Myra Simmons, Pre-K Teacher Becki Alsup, Teacher Assistant Emily Whitten, Teacher Assistant Taylor Garner, Teacher Assistant Amber Austin, Teacher Assistant Janie Campbell, Secretary Richard Kent, Custodian

The motion was seconded by Nicole Bullock. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to employ the following District Office Personnel for

#### SY23-24:

Amanda Childs, Payroll/Accounts Payable Clerk
Regina Coats, Part-time SPED Dyslexia Therapist
Kelly Gates, Federal Programs/Curriculum Coordinator
Melissa Hood, Assistant Food Service Director
Tonya Kuhl, Business Manager
Pat Long, Administrative Assistant/Capital Assets Coord./Federal Programs Purch.
Jayna McBride, Professional Development Coord./SPED Case Manager/504 Coordinator
Kody Moore, Computer Technician (Level 1)
Martina Morfin, EL Coordinator @ \$24,000
Karen Shelby, Special Education Secretary

Stacey Street, Director of Transportation
Clint Stroupe, Technology Director
Colby Stroupe, Computer Technician (Level 2)
Susan Smith, Part-time Remediation Assistant
Nancy McGee, Business Consultant @ \$50/hr.
Beverly Baylis, Part-time Accounts Payable Clerk @ \$25/hr.
Sondra Graves, Payroll/Accounts Payable Consultant @ \$50/hr.
Melinda Marsalis, Federal Programs Consultant @ \$75/hr.

The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to employee the following lunchroom personnel for

#### SY23-24:

Lisa Barnes, Cashier Rebecca Bellew, Manager Geraldine Carruth, Worker Lora Cox, Cashier Betty Crook, Worker LaQuinda Pace, Worker Victoria Edgeston, Worker Patsy Glisson, Manager Shelia Mullikin, Worker Brandi Hill, Worker Pamela Jobe, Worker Helen Johnson, Worker Christine Lindsey, Worker Sherry McDonald, Worker Angelia McKenzie, Worker Brenda Miller, Worker Cindy Moffitt, Cashier Sandra Pannell, Cashier Sharon Pounds, Worker Carolyn Robbins, Worker Nettie Rutherford, Worker Ethel Simmons, Worker Linda Smith, Manager Paula Studdard, Manager Ruby Tate, Worker Loutherain Vance, Manager Teresa Waldon, Worker Kristen Willis, Cashier

The motion was seconded by Kevin Barefield. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Tim Clark made the motion to employ the following Bus Drivers for SY23-24:

Raiford Bullock, Driver Carla Roberts, Driver Nathan Wooley, Driver Greg Yates, Driver Joe Dan Roberts, Driver Chad Cook, Driver Mark Morton, Driver Nancy Bailey, Driver Liza Pannell, Driver Justin Jordan, Driver Candi Sparkman, Driver Lane Finley, Driver Titus Tyer, Driver Chris Shinall, Driver Al Graves, Driver Jessica Prather, Driver Bonnie Rowland, Driver Genia Thomas, Driver Lisa Lewis, Driver Roman Doty, Driver Carol Cooper, Driver Chris Robbins, Driver Kelly Ward, Driver Carla Kuhl, Driver Scott White, Driver Penny Hill, Driver Paula Johnson, Driver Jason Scott, Driver Bruce Alt, Driver Molly Palmer, Driver Jim Miller, Driver Mike Kent, Driver Glen Michael, Driver Megan Dillard, Driver Kym Reno, Driver Keith Fox, Reg. Route Driver/Vo-tech Mike Hill, Reg. Route Driver/Vo-tech

Anita Lindsey, Reg. Route Driver/Vo-tech

David Wooley, Reg. Route Driver/Vo-tech Phyllis Russell, Bus Monitor Scott Kuhl, Bus Monitor Alma Nance, Bus Monitor Earline Benefield, Bus Monitor Judy Hopper, Bus Monitor Elizabeth Castro, Bus Monitor Ricky Dobbs, Bus Shop Foreman Eddie Sides, Mechanic Scotty Hancock, Mechanic

Arnold Witt seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Kevin Barefield made the motion to approve the FY23-24 South Tippah School District Salary Schedule. Nicole Bullock seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to approve Rayco Rental Agreement with South Tippah Pre-Kindergarten. The motion was seconded by Tim Clark. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to approve the Rayco Rental Agreement with South Tippah School District for the Oscar Shannon Building. Kevin Barefield seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Tim Clark made the motion to adopt the MSBA Professional Governance Standards. The motion was seconded by Arnold Witt. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Kevin Barefield made the motion to approve the revisions to Board Policies: JDE & DK. The motion was seconded by Nicole Bullock. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim

Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Arnold Witt made the motion to approve the 1<sup>st</sup> adoption of Board Policy JEB: Student Tracking Safety Devices. Tim Clark seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

Nicole Bullock made the motion to approve the Board Policy Review of Section J: Students (JDC-JS). Kevin Barefield seconded the motion. Voting for the motion: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock. Voting against the motion: None. Absent and not voting: None.

There was no action required on Agenda Item 39: Deletions or Additions to Annual Agenda Calendar.

There being no further action to come before the Board, Chairman Cockrell entertained a motion to adjourn. On a motion by Arnold Witt, seconded by Kevin Barefield, and unanimously approved by the affirmative vote of all Board Members present: Kerry Cockrell, Tim Clark, Arnold Witt, Kevin Barefield, & Nicole Bullock, 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 16th day of May 2023, at the Oscar Shannon Building, at 410 Greenlee Street, Ripley, Mississippi.

ORDERED, ADOPTED, and RESOLVED, this the 11th day of April 2023.

	Chairman, South Tippah School Board
Secretary, South Tippah School Board	