

THE CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF AIKEN COUNTY  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
AIKEN, SOUTH CAROLINA

OFFICIAL AGENDA      REGULAR SESSION 6:00 P.M.      FEBRUARY 11, 2025  
Location:                      1000 Brookhaven Drive                      Aiken, SC

*Tuesday's meeting will be live streamed on our website, [acpsd.net](http://acpsd.net).*

REGULAR SESSION: 6:00 P.M.

MOMENT OF SILENCE & PLEDGE: **Mr. Cameron Nuessle**

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

**Board Retreat – January 24-25, 2025**

**Regular Meeting – January 28, 2025**

SPECIAL ORDERS OF BUSINESS:

- **Public Participation**

**No Requests for This Meeting**

- **Special Recognitions**

**No Recognitions for This Meeting**

- **Office of Board Chairman**

A. INDIVIDUAL ITEMS

1. Personnel Appointments (Mrs. Hart)

The certified and classified personnel presented have been screened by the Human Resources Department and interviewed, and/or approved by the Principal or Supervisor for each location.

2. Annual Review of the Five-year Facility Improvement Plan (Dr. Yarborough)

In accordance with Policy FB, Facilities Planning, each year the Board of Education will review the Five-Year Facility Improvement Plan.

3. Aiken County Public School District (ACPSD) Underperforming Schools' Turnaround Plans Approval and Submission – 2024-2025 School Year (Dr. Edwards)

In accordance with S.C. Code Ann. 59-18-1624 (B)(1). For all underperforming schools, the district is required to consult with school and community stakeholders to review and revise the schools' and district's strategic plans with the assistance of their School Improvement Council, to include a turnaround plan component (Continuous Improvement Plan). The turnaround plan must include input from the community and must be approved by the local school board and then submitted to the SCDE Office of School Transformation for approval.

B. CONSENT ITEMS: The following items will be voted on as a group, individual items may be discussed prior to a vote being taken.

1. Ratification of Expulsions (Dr. Murphy)

The School Board, according to the Code of Laws for South Carolina Section 59-63-240, is authorized to expel students from school. Although the Board may receive recommendations for expulsion from others, it is solely empowered to take the final expulsion action.

2. Out-of-District Transfer Requests – Transfers Out 2024-2025 (Dr. Minolfo)

Board Policy JFABC allows the Aiken County Board of Education to arrange with other school districts for the interchange of students. The policy stipulates that when students transfer out of the District, "the School District of Aiken County shall assume no responsibility for tuition to the receiving district."

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4. Peter R. Marsh Foundation Music Grant Award to Leavelle McCampbell Middle School – FY25 (Dr. Edwards)

Leavelle McCampbell Middle School's Music Program has been awarded a \$1,550.00 Music Grant award from the Peter R. March Foundation. These funds will be used for instrument repair, new music, and transportation to senior facilities for student performances.

5. Construction bids for Oakwood-Windsor Elementary Secure Vestibule (Dr. Yarborough)

Bids were received for the Oakwood-Windsor Elementary Secure Vestibule on January 16, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. and publicly opened.

- C. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS: The following items are for information only and do not require Board Action.

1. Human Resources Overview (Mrs. Hart)
2. Interim Formative Assessments (Dr. Edwards & Ms. Olin)
3. Construction Status Report for the North Augusta High Athletic Fields Phase 4 Project (Dr. Yarborough)

In an effort to keep the Board current on the status and budget of this school construction project, the Architects for this project, McMillan Pazdan Smith Architecture and the Administration prepare a monthly status report for the Board's review.

- D. INDIVIDUAL BOARD MEMBERS

1. AGENDA ITEMS SUBMITTED BY INDIVIDUAL BOARD MEMBERS
2. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESSED TO BOARD MEMBERS

- E. OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT

- Superintendent's Update

F. EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. STUDENT MATTERS

- Student Appeal – Area Two

2. EMPLOYMENT MATTERS

No Items This Meeting

3. CONTRACTUAL MATTERS

No Items This Meeting

4. LEGAL MATTERS

No Items This Meeting

RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

ACTION ON ITEMS DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION

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