

The business meeting of the Lamar County Board of Education was held at the LCBOE and was called to order by Board Chair Danny Turner on March 14, 2017. Other members present were: Sue O’Neal, Susan Byars, Ron Smith, and Horace Hightower.

The invocation and Pledge of Allegiance were led by Ron Smith.

On motion by Sue O’Neal, seconded by Ron Smith, the Board voted to approve the agenda 5-0.

The Lamar County Board of Education recognized the following:

2017 Literary Team 5AA Champions.  
Employee of the Month for February and March 2017.  
School Board Appreciation Week.

On motion by Ron Smith, seconded by Horace Hightower, the Board unanimously voted to approve the minutes for the regular scheduled Board Meeting held on February 14, 2017, 5-0.

The Directors Reports were presented by Dr. Jute Wilson, Superintendent.

**Public Comments** – BOE Policy requires advanced notice via a meeting with the Superintendent.

**Superintendent’s Reports** – AP Challenge School and AP STEAM Achievement School, recognized by the State Department of Education.  
Updates on Pre-K registration for 2017- 2018 school year.

On motion by Ron Smith, seconded by Horace Hightower, the Board unanimously vote to approve the Baseball & Softball Dugout Project 100% funded with ESPLOST with no cost to the general budget. 5-0

On motion by Horace Hightower, seconded by Ron Smith the Board unanimously voted to approve Dr. Ric Calhoun, Professor of Business at Gordon State College, to replace Dr. Richard Baskins as the Gordon representative for the LCCCA Board 5-0.

On motion by Horace Hightower, seconded by Susan Byars, the Board unanimously voted to enter Executive Session 5-0.

On motion by Sue O’Neal, seconded by Ron Smith, the Board unanimously vote to reconvene to Regular Session 5-0.

On motion by Susan Byars, seconded by Sue O’Neal, the Board unanimously voted to approve the Consent Agenda for March 14, 2017, 5-0.

The Consent agenda was approved as presented:

**1. Facilities Use:**

<b>Location</b>	<b>Person/Group Requesting Use</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Date(s) Requested</b>
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LCHS Softball Field FAC	Marti Murphy/LC softball players J. Steele	Practice 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Movie Day	3/16/17 – 5/17 5/23/17
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<b>2. Field Trips:</b>	<b>Person</b>	<b>Day Trip</b>	<b>Dates</b>
Center for Civil Rights	L. Olivier	Yes	2/21/17
Harriet Tubman Museum	L. Olivier	Yes	2/24/17
Bus Request Turner Field/Circus	Harper Day Care	Yes	2/24/17

<b>3. Overnight Field Trips:</b>	<b>Person</b>	<b>Overnight Trip</b>	<b>Dates</b>
<b>Group</b>			

<b>4. Flyer Distribution:</b>	<b>Event Dates</b>	<b>Info</b>
<b>Group/Person Making Request</b>		

<b>5. Fundraisers:</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Spending Plan</b>	<b>Date of Activity</b>
<b>Activity</b>				

<b>6. Recommendations:</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Job Site</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Name</b>			
Lyons, Crystal	Sub, SNP	SNP	Effective 3/15/17
Watkins, Claybourne	Custodian	LCHS	Effective 3/15/17; replaces Reco Cole
Certified Personnel	Listed Below	Various	Approved for 2017-18 Contract

<b>7. Resignations</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Job Site</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Name</b>			
Foster, Herman	Custodian	LCPS	Effective 3/6/17
Love, Bryan	Head Football/AD	LCHS	Effective 6/30/17

<b>8. Medical Leave</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Job Site</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Name</b>			

<b>9. Retirement</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Job Site</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Name</b>			
Dalianas, Susan	Admin. Asst.	CO	Effective 6/30/17
Greenwood, Norma	Asst. Superintendent	CO	Effective 7/31/17
Ritch, David	Teacher	LCMS	Effective 5/31/17

<b>10. Transfer</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Job Site</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Name</b>			
Smith, Pamela	Teacher	LCMS	Transfer from MG-LA to ESOL

# 2017-18 Certified Recommendations

<u>Primary</u>	<u>Elementary</u>	<u>Middle</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>System/Building Admins</u>
Aiken, Elizabeth	Adams, Paige	Branan, Elizabeth	Banks, Princess	Battle, Kiana
Andrews, Donna	Andrews, Kimberly	Brannock, Brian	Boynton, Amy	Traylor, Jessica
Ard, Vicky	Atwater, Henrietta	Brown, Stacey	Brooks, LeQuesha	Hawkins, Jeremy
Bankston, Hope	Blevins, Patricia	Burke, Robin	Calvert, Timothy	Scandrett, Andrea
Basso, Kimberly	Bryan, Claudia	Chambers, Justen	Chafin, Kristin	Steele, Julia
Baucom, Rebecca	Byous, Amber	Chanthalangsy, Mae	Compton, Tangi	Boland, David
Beach, Meagan	Cameron, William	Coffey, Don	Davis, An'Cheyl	Nash, Stephanie
Bunn, Elizabeth	Cannon, Ginger	Davis, An'Cheyl	Dorris, Randall	Knight, Waylon
Burnette, Patricia	Castellanos, Jennifer	Davis, Jay	Evans, Jessica	Scandrett, Calvin
Cameron, Dorothy	Collins, Arika	Davis, Pippa Lee	Ferguson, Owen	Owens, Jameda
Christopher, Amy	Cyphers, Anne-Marie	Davis, Tisha	Filipovich, Jewel	Shipp, Todd
Claybaugh, Torie	Dunn, Jessica	Davison, Heather	Fletcher, NaToya	Walker, Treesomia
Clements, Kayla	Easterling, Holly	Donaldson, Jennifer	Grant, Jami	Hendrix, Cleve (49%)
Clements, Theodore	Eleby, Princess	Fambro, Frerra	Gubbels, Anthony	Roberts, Crystal
Daniel, Shawn	Garrison, Mary	Finley, Denise	Guiton, Emily	Bass, Susan (49%)
Davis, Tyrena	Grubbs, Amber	Fletcher, NaToya	Hammock, Scott	Hitson, Patti (49%)
Duecker, Carlee	Haddock, Christina	Gotell, Sharon	Hampton, Brian	
Dyal, Linda	Hammock, Britney	Gunnels, Justin	Harris, Graquetta	
Ferrier, Tanya	Gunnels, Amanda	Harris, Amber	Horne, James	
Fletcher, Rondrikus	James, Frankie	Harris, Kelsey	Kidd, Jodi	
<u>Primary</u>	<u>Elementary</u>	<u>Middle</u>	<u>High</u>	
Foster, Michael	Kendall, Teresa	Holiday, Pedro	Murrah, Brandee	
Goddard, Courtney	Marchman, Elizabeth	Holloway, Venita	Nicholson, Kelsey	
Hickman, D. Renee	Moore, Wendy	Jones, O. Ann	Norwood, William	
Hoodenpyle, Kimberly	Niblett, Amanda	Kilby, Julie	Oberg, Michael	
Hutto, Dana	O'Neal, Christie	Little, Julie	Osborne, Darin	
Kellam, Karyn	Price, Penelope	Miller, Jasmine	Owens, Terrone	
Knox, Laura	Raines, Francesca	Morgan, Amy	Parrish, Carol	

Mallory, Kenyetta	Ralston, Gina	Nicholas, Brian	Pennyman, Precious	
Molina, Cheryl	Robinson, Cory	Raynie, Joanne	Pryor, Katherine	
Murphy, Jennifer	Robinson, Wendy	Riggins, Michelle	Raybould, Vanna	
Newman, Jeri	Speelman, Beth	Roberts, Eddie	Reese, Katherine	
O'Mary, Anna	Steege, Ann	Scott, Marianna	Robinson, Indie	
Ritch, Rebecca	Strobel, David	Smith, Pam (ESOL)	Sellers, Robert	
Searcy, Ashley	Stroup, Kristin	Tenney, Stacey	Sessions, Tracy	
Sergent, Daniel	Sullivan, Whitney	Todd, Bethany	Sheriff, Katherine	
Shirley, Theresa	Thompson, Crystal	Tyler, Erica	Stephens, Regina	
Sloan, Sarah	Vining, Marci	Walker, Tonya	Stinson, Paul	
Strickland, Hugh	Watson, Leslie	Watson, Michael	Thaxton, Michelle	
Sullivan, Nancy	Wilson, Kimberly	White, Deborah	Traylor, Dontauneia	
Tea, Angela	Witte, Richard	Whitley, Melissa	Turner, Jonathan	
Tinker, Tammy			Williams, LeslieAnne	
Todd, Brittany			Wilson, Sara	
Turner, Sonya				
Wall, Cammeron				
Washington, Hester				
Wilson, Linda				
Woodson, Lee Ann				
Wright, Bridgette				
Wrye, Sarahlynn				
Yates, Leah				

On motion by Horace Hightower, seconded by Ron Smith, the Board unanimously voted to adjourn the March 14, 2017 regular meeting of the Lamar County Board of Education 5-0.

**Discussion & Action Items – Approved**

- (5-0) to complete a Baseball & Softball Dugout Project – 100% Funded With ESPLOST with no cost to the general budget.
- (5-0) to approve Dr. Ric Calhoun, Professor of Business at Gordon State College, to replace Dr. Richard Baskins as the Gordon representative for the LCCCA board.

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Chair, Danny Turner

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Superintendent, Dr. Jute Wilson