

Edenton-Chowan Schools
Board of Education Special Meeting
Tuesday, February 15, 2022
6:15 p.m.

Edenton-Chowan Schools
Technology Center
800 N. Oakum St.
Edenton, NC 27932

MINUTES

The Edenton-Chowan Schools Board of Education met for a special meeting on Tuesday, February 15, 2022 at 6:15 p.m at the Edenton-Chowan Schools Technology Center. The following Board Members were present: Chairman Gene Jordan, Vice-Chair Jean Bunch, Ricky Browder, Gil Burroughs, Paul Clifton, Joan White and Superintendent Dr. Michael Sasscer. Maxine Mason was absent.

Others attending were: Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources and Auxiliary Services Dr. Jana Rawls; and Deputy Alan Stulick.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Jordan.

Chairman Jordan asked the Board to observe a moment of silence in remembrance of the four students from Carteret County who were recently killed in a plane crash.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairman Jordan.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: A motion was made by Mr. Burroughs to approve the agenda as presented. A second to the motion was made by Ms. White. The motion carried unanimously.

CONSIDER:

1 - Masking - Dr. Sasscer shared with the Board updates to the StrongSchools Toolkit that will go into effect on February 21, 2022. After some discussion, a motion was made by Mr. Browder to change the district's current required masking policy to optional masking. A second to the motion was made by Mr. Clifton. The motion carried 4-2. Those opposed were Ms. Bunch and Ms. White.

With there being no further discussion, a motion was made by Ms. Bunch to adjourn the meeting. A second to the motion was made by Mr. Clifton. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting concluded at 6:56 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gene Jordan, Chairman

Michael Sasscer, Ed.D., Secretary