Edenton-Chowan Schools Board of Education Quarterly Board Meeting Monday, October 17, 2016, 6:30 p.m. D.F. Walker Elementary School

MINUTES

The Edenton-Chowan Schools Board of Education met for the Quarterly Board Meeting on Monday, October 17, 2016, 6:30 pm, at D.F. Walker Elementary School with the following Board Members present: Chairman John Guard, Vice Chairman Jean Bunch, Ricky Browder, Gil Burroughs, Glorious Elliott, Gene Jordan, Kay Wright and Superintendent Dr. Rob Jackson.

Others present were: Assistant Superintendent Tanya Turner; John A. Holmes High School Principal Steve Wood; Chowan Middle School Principal John Lassiter; D.F. Walker Elementary School Principal Michelle White; White Oak Elementary School Principal Sheila Evans; Directors representing Central Services; Deputy Heather Matthews; Board Clerk Sarah Hare and numerous staff members, teachers and parents representing John A. Holmes High School, Chowan Middle School, D.F. Walker Elementary School and White Oak Elementary School (see attached sign-in sheet).

The meeting was called to order by John Guard and the invocation was given by Kay Wright.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by students from John A. Holmes High School.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: A motion was made by Glorious Elliott to approve the agenda as presented. A second to the motion was made by Jean Bunch. The motion carried unanimously.

There were no requests to address the Board.

CONSIDER:

The 2016-2017 School Improvement Plans for each school were presented to the Board as follows:

John A. Holmes High School - Mr. Steve Wood, Principal of John A. Holmes High School, gave a presentation on John A. Holmes High School's School Improvement

Plan. Mr. Wood recognized the members of the School Improvement Team that assisted with the plan and answered questions from Board Members.

Chowan Middle School - Mr. John Lassiter, Principal of Chowan Middle School, presented a video on Chowan Middle School's School Improvement Plan. Mr. Lassiter recognized the School Improvement Team that assisted with the plan and answered questions from Board Members.

D.F. Walker Elementary School - Mrs. Michelle White, Principal of D.F. Walker Elementary School, presented a video on D.F. Walker Elementary School's School Improvement Plan. Ms. White recognized the School Improvement Team that assisted with the plan and answered questions from Board Members.

White Oak Elementary School - Mrs. Sheila Evans, Principal of White Oak Elementary School, presented a video on White Oak Elementary School's School Improvement Plan. Ms. Evans recognized the School Improvement Team that assisted with the plan and answered questions from Board Members.

A motion was made by Gil Burroughs to approve the School Improvement Plans that were presented by each school. A second to the motion was made by Kay Wright. The motion carried unanimously.

BOARD MEMBER REMARKS/COMMENTS

Mr. Burroughs commented on the following:

School Improvement Plans

A motion was made by Glorious Elliott to enter into a closed session at 8:50 pm to discuss a personnel matter as permitted by North Carolina General Statute §143-318.11 (a) (6). A second to the motion was made by Gene Jordan. The motion carried unanimously.

The Board returned to open session.

With there being no further discussion, a motion was made by Glorious Elliott to adjourn the meeting. A second to the motion was made by Jean Bunch. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting concluded at 9:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

John Guard, Chairman

Rob Jackson, Ed.D., Secretary