

GULF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Tuesday, March 4, 2025

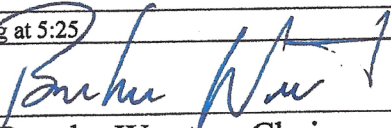
The Gulf County School Board met in regular session Tuesday, March 4, 2025, at 4:30 (Agenda-Review Workshop) and 5:00 (School Board Meeting) at their Administrative Office in Port St. Joe. Superintendent Norton, Attorney Costin, and the following School Board Members were present: Chairman Brooke Wooten, Vice Chairman Ruby Knox, Equillar Gainer, and Matt Terry. (Governor DeSantis has not yet appointed someone to fill the District 1 seat vacated by Mr. McGlon.)

AGENDA WORKSHOP: The board reviewed the March 4 Agenda Packet.

BOARD MEETING:

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| I. | CALL TO ORDER: Chairman Wooten called the meeting to order at 5:00. |
| II. | ADOPTION OF AGENDA: On motion by Mrs. Knox and seconded by Mr. Terry the board unanimously approved the amended agenda to include the addition of pages 2, 3.04, 3.05, 5.01-5.04, 10-10.02, and 13-13.09. |
| III. | SPECIAL RECOGNITION: The board recognized the Wewahitchka Lady Gators Weightlifting Team for winning state, along with Head Coach Bobby Johns and Assistant Coach Gene Rollins. Coach Johns also noted that several of the girls had individual wins as well. |
| IV. | HEAR FROM THE PUBLIC: None |
| V. | <p>CONSENT MATTERS: On motion by Mr. Terry and seconded by Mrs. Gainer the board unanimously approved taking the following action:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Approved the February 4 Minutes, and (SM: 24/25 – 083) -Approved Budget Matters & Payment of Bills, including an LCI Amendment, and (SM: 24/25 –084) <p>PERSONNEL (SM: 24/25 –085)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Approved Michelle Baker's resignation effective the end of the current school year, and -Approved Sara Walker's resignation effective the end of the current school year, and -Approved Lisa Stripling's retirement letter effective February 28, 2025, and -Approved Yulander McNealy's letter of intent to enter DROP March 1, 2026, with an anticipated retirement date of February 28, 2034, and selection of Option 2 for terminal pay for all accrued leave, and -Approved Ray Glisson's resignation letter effective March 7, 2025, and -Approved Brenda Wood's request to extend her DROP termination date from August 31, 2025, to August 31, 2026, and -Approved adding Jarrett Browning's name to the list of 2nd Semester Out-of-Field Teachers, and -Approved Jamie Leeann Splain for a bus driver position in the Wewahitchka area effective March 6, 2025, and -Approved the following PSJHS Athletic Supplement Positions: Coach Tanner Jones – Girls' Assistant Weightlifting, and Justice Peacock – Floating Athletic Supplement, and -Approved paid lunchtime for WHS teachers Anne Derry and Gabe McClellan, and -Approved Coach Bobby John's to receive the coaching stipend for taking the WHS Girls' Weightlifting team to state, and -Approved the following WHS cheerleading supplements: Mariah Lister – Varsity, and Sydnee Fleischman – JV, and -Approved the following substitute teacher applicants: Cameron Butts, Reginna Capps, and Melissa Shellnut, and -Approved Cathy P. Adams as a School Food Service substitute, and <p>JOB DESCRIPTIONS: (Both of these positions will be funded through an 8-year TRIUMPH grant.) (SM: 24/25 –086)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Approved the Career and Technical Education (CTE) Director Job Description, and -Approved the Career and Technical Education (CTE) Assistant Job Description. |
| VI. | <p>PROGRAM MATTERS: On motion by Mrs. Knox and seconded by Mr. Terry the board unanimously approved taking the following action: (SM: 24/25 –087) ↓</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Approved the 2025-2026 School Calendar, School Food Service Calendar, and 12-Month Employee Holidays, and -Approved the updated District Organizational Chart, and (SM: 24/25 –088) -Approved the PAEC – GASB Contract Agreement for Actuarial Services. (SM: 24/25 –089) |
| VII. | SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: |
| VIII. | BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS: |
| IX. | ADJOURNMENT: Chairman Wooten adjourned the meeting at 5:25 |


Jim Norton, Superintendent


Brooke Wooten, Chairman