

GULF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Tuesday, July 1, 2025

The Gulf County School Board met in regular session Tuesday, July 1, 2025, at 8:00 (Agenda-Review Workshop) and 8:15 (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. (District 1 seat TBA.)

AGENDA WORKSHOP: The board reviewed the July 1 Agenda Packet.

BOARD MEETING:

I. CALL TO ORDER: Chairman Wooten called the meeting to order at 8:15.

II. ADOPTION OF AGENDA: On motion by Mr. Terry and seconded by Mrs. Knox the board unanimously approved the amended agendas to include the addition of pages 2-2L, 2.01, 6.01A, 6.01B, 7.01, and the removal of page 6.

III. HEAR FROM THE PUBLIC: None.

IV. CONSENT MATTERS: On motion by Mrs. Gainer and seconded by Mrs. Knox the board voted unanimously to take the following action:

- Approved the June 3 Minutes, and (SM:25/26 – 001)
- (SM:25/26 –002) ↓ (SM:25/26 –003)
- Approved Budget Matters & Payment of Bills, Closeout Info for SY 2024-2025, advertisement for TAN LOAN Proposals, and
- Approved 2025-2026 Payroll Dates, and (SM:25/26 –004)

PERSONNEL: (SM:25/26 –005)

- Approved Kelly Shiver's maternity leave letter, and
- Approved Chevon Johns' transfer from WHS to Port St. Joe Gulf Academy effective SY 2025-2026, and
- Approved Susan Bellonis for a PSJE teaching position effective August 1, 2025, and
- Approved Anjanette Thomas for a PSJE teaching position effective August 1, 2025, and
- Approved Marilyn Dees for a PSJH ELA position effective August 1, 2025, and
- Approved David Mellies for the WHS Physical Education position effective August 1, 2025, and
- Approved Katee Earnest for a WES paraprofessional position effective August 1, 2025, and
- Approved Jordan Davis for a WES paraprofessional position effective August 1, 2025, and
- Approved Kristi Lynn Yakkey for a Wewahitchka area bus driver position effective August 7, 2025, and
- Approved replacing one PSJE Kindergarten teaching position with a paraprofessional for SY 2025-2026, and
- Acknowledged notification of change in supervision for Itinerant ESE Resource / MTSS site-based staff.

V. PROGRAM MATTERS: On motion by Mrs. Knox and seconded by Mr. Terry the board unanimously approved pulling items C, D, and E, and taking the following action on the remaining program matters:

- Approved the 2025-2026 Graduation Dates, and (SM:25/26 –006)
- Approved the 2025-2026 School Health Services Agreement, and (SM:25/26 –007)
- Approved the Physical Therapy Contract, and (SM:25/26 –008)
- Approved the Occupational Therapy Contract with Premier Therapy Rehab, and (SM:25/26 –009)
- Approved the Occupational Therapy Contract with Breanna Wood Therapy & Rehab, LLC, and (SM:25/26 –010)
- Approved the Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement, and (SM:25/26 –011)
- Approved the Florida State University Affiliation Agreement. (SM:25/26 –012)

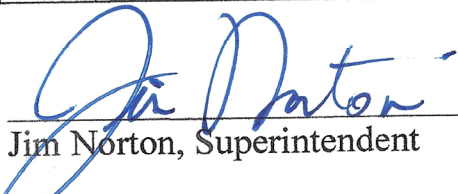
VI. BID MATTERS: On motion by Mr. Terry and seconded by Mrs. Gainer the board voted unanimously to take the following action: (SM:25/26 –013)

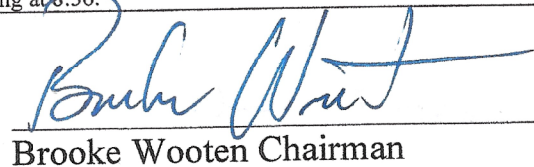
- Awarded Bid #26-001 – Extermination / Pest Control to Charlie Pettis Pest Control, and
- Awarded Bid #26-002 – Janitorial Supplies to Sanitation Products of America (SPA) and Tribe Paper, and
- Awarded Bid #26-003 – Gas/Diesel/Oil to JV Gander Distributors, Inc., and
- Awarded Bid #26-004 – Tire Bid to Southern Tire Mart and Neece Tire & Auto Service.

VII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

VIII. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS:

IX. ADJOURNMENT: Chairman Wooten adjourned the meeting at 8:36.


Jim Norton, Superintendent


Brooke Wooten Chairman