

KANNAPOLIS CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

Date: July 29, 2021	Present:	Mr. Todd Adams, Chair
		Mr. Kevin Clark
Time: 5:00 PM		Mrs. Brenda McCombs
		Mrs. Anita Parker
Place: Kannapolis City Schools		Mrs. Kristina Cook
Administrative Offices		Mr. Kevin Garay
		Dr. Jessica Grant
		Mr. Will Crabtree
		Mrs. Ashley Forrest, Recorder

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Todd Adams called the meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chair Adams led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Mrs. McCombs made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Mr. Clark gave the second and the motion carried.

BACK TO SCHOOL PROPOSAL

Mr. Garay shared updated COVID-19 information as it related to our counties and school district. He recommended that masks be strongly recommended for students and staff, especially those unvaccinated and requested the Board approve Kannapolis City Schools following the guidance for social distancing, health and safety protocols, and masking as presented in the presentation, and grant the superintendent authority to determine how and when changes may be made in the district for the 2021-2022 school year.

Board members had an opportunity to ask questions and share thoughts and concerns. They also discussed the type of authority they would consider granting the superintendent, requesting to be consulted before new measures were put in place. Mr. Clark made a motion to approve the recommendation as presented. Mrs. Parker gave the second and the motion carried unanimously.

CLOSED SESSION

At 5:40 p.m., a motion was made by Mrs. Parker that the Board convene in Closed Session, pursuant to G.S. 143-318.11(a)(1) to prevent the disclosure of student information that is confidential under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, and pursuant to Gen. Stat 143-

318.11(a)(6) to prevent the disclosure of personnel information that is confidential under N. C. Gen. Stat. 115C-319 through -321. Mrs. McCombs gave the second and the motion carried.

Closed Session was adjourned and the Board returned to Open Session at 6:04 p.m.

ACTION ITEMS FROM CLOSED SESSION

Dr. Grant requested approval of the student assignment list as amended with one student denied and ten students granted release from Kannapolis City Schools and one student denied and twenty-one students granted acceptance to Kannapolis City Schools. Mrs. Parker made a motion to approve the student assignment list as amended. Mrs. McCombs gave the second and the motion carried.

Ms. Nicole Keaton requested approval of the personnel list as amended with one person requesting a leave of absence (for action), thirteen persons leaving employment (for information), ten persons recommended for employment (for action), and eight persons recommended for employment changes (for information). Mrs. Cook made a motion to approve the personnel list as amended. Mrs. McCombs gave the second and the motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Several announcements and upcoming events were discussed.

ADJOURN

Chair Adams adjourned the meeting at 6:05 p.m.

Kevin Garay, Superintendent

Todd Adams, Chair