

SOUTHSIDE SCHOOL BOARD
Regular Meeting
August 10, 2015
Minutes
Southside High School Media Center
6:30 p.m.

1. Board President, Brad Cummings called the meeting to order. All board members were present.
2. The following reports were made by each building principal.

Mrs. Harris reported that first grade has been expanded to seven classrooms, with Ms. Julie Ballard as the teacher of that classroom. Ms. Ballard is new to the district this year. Elementary is working to make the playground a safer place to play for the students.

Mr. Stevens reported for the MS he is projecting that the MS enrollment could be up as many as 25 students at this point. Teachers are excited and preparing for the open house on Thursday night.

Mr. Sitkowski reported that JH is registering new students about every day. JH enrollment is approximately 381 students.

Mr. Ried reported for HS that enrollment numbers are up and appears that there is around 380 currently enrolled in grades 10-12. He also reported that they are looking at some changes in policies and practices with semester test exemptions/changes.

3. Motion made by Janice Fuller seconded by Fred Denison to approve minutes of previous meeting. Carried 5-0
4. Motion made by Vonda Crawl seconded by Tony May to approve transfers to Batesville for seven students from the Southside School District. Carried 5-0
5. Motion made by Tony May seconded by Fred Denison to approve transfers from Batesville for four students to the Southside School District. Carried 5-0
6. Motion made Vonda Crawl seconded by Janice Fuller to accept letters of resignation from custodian/bus driver Steve Clark, PS para pro Isis Tate, Food Service employee Angie Allen, and HIPPY para pro, Jeannie Kelso. Carried 5-0
7. Motion made by Fred Denison seconded by Tony May to offer elementary teaching contract to Melinda Shuffield for the 2015-2016 school year. Carried 5-0
8. Motion made Vonda Crawl seconded by Janice Fuller to offer PS para pro contract to Lucinda Shields for the 2015-2016 school year. Carried 5-0

9. Motion made by Fred Denison seconded by Tony May to appoint Claudia Reese as 504 Coordinator; Novella Humphrey as Equity Coordinator; Brian McCord as Asbestos Coordinator; and Rick Keller as Homeless Coordinator. Carried 5-0

10. Motion made by Fred Denison seconded by Tony May to adopt a Resolution Authorizing the Issuance and Delivery of Bonds for the auditorium/fine arts construction project. Carried 5-0

11. Motion made by Tony May seconded by Fred Denison to approve district bills as presented and heard financial report. Carried 5-0

12. Motion made by Vonda Crowl seconded by Janice Fuller to adjourn meeting. Carried 5-0

President

Secretary