HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

(414 Fourth Avenue West, Hendersonville, NC - Boardroom)

AGENDA

March 11, 2024

- I. Closed Session & Work Session Board Updates from the Superintendent(as necessary) 3:00 pm. [Motion: I move that the Board of Education go into closed session pursuant to General Statute (G.S.) §143.318.11 for the following purposes: under subsection (a) (1) to prevent the disclosure of privileged or confidential student information pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232g Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and G.S. §115C-402(e); under subsection (a)(1) to prevent the disclosure of privileged or confidential personnel information pursuant to G.S. §115C-319-321; and under subsection (a) (3) to discuss matters protected by the attorney- client privilege.]
- **II.** Call-to-Order 4:00 pm. (Mr. Jay Egolf, Chairperson)
- **III. Presentation of Colors** West Henderson High School Army JROTC (*Under the Leadership of Major Stephen Hill and CW2 Mike Bailey*)
- **IV.** Pledge of Allegiance (Mr. Jay Egolf)
- V. Moment of Silent Reflection
- VI. Agenda Approval (Mr. Jay Egolf)
- VII. Recognitions DECA Competition; DAR Essay Winners
- VIII. Program Highlight Kindergarten Registration & Readiness (Dr. Marsha Justice, Director of Elementary Education and Title I)
 - IX. Board Members' Observations
 - **X. Public Comments** (*Reference Agenda and Possible Agenda Items*)
 - XI. Consent Agenda The Superintendent recommends approval of the following:
 - A. Meeting Schedule
 - 1. HCBPE Regular Business Meeting [Monday, April 8, 2024, 4:00 p.m., (Closed Session at 3:00 pm) (Boardroom)]
 - 2. HCBPE Budget Workshop [Monday, April 15, 2024, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. (Boardroom)]
 - 3. HCBPE Budget Workshop [Monday, April 22, 2024, 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. (Boardroom)] (if needed)
 - B. Minutes February 12, 2024 (Regular Business Meeting)
 - C. Personnel (as presented in closed session)
 - D. Student Acceptances/Releases (as presented in closed session)
 - E. Budget Amendment
 - F. Technical correction for Sole Source exemption

XII. Old Business

None

XIII. New Business

- A. Approval North Carolina Lottery Application (Mr. Bernie Sochia, Chief Finance Officer)
- B. Approval Contracts/purchases in excess of \$90,000 (*Mr. Bernie Sochia, Chief Finance Officer*)
- C. Approval Teaching Fellows MOU (Mr. Scott Rhodes, Assistant Superintendent)

- D. 2022-2023 Audit Report (Gould Killian CPA Group, P.A.) (Mr. Bernie Sochia, Chief Finance Officer)
- E. Approval Policy Updates (Mr. Carl Taylor, Chief Administrative Officer)
 - 1. Policy 101 Gender-Neutral Language
 - 2. Policy 301 School Advisory Councils
 - 3. Policy 411 Pupil Assignment from Non-Public Schools or Charter Schools
 - 4. Policy 525 Control of Data Processing Materials
 - 5. Policy 620 Special Programs
 - 6. Policy 700 Disclaimer
 - 7. Policy 727 Injury and Loss Prevention
 - 8. Policy 825 Volunteer Capital Projects
 - 9. Policy 912 School Bus Safety Belts
 - 10. Policy 950 Child Nutrition Program
- F. 2024 NCSBA Legislative Committee Service (*Board Members*)

XIV. Board / Superintendent's Reports

- A. Capital Update (Mr. Carl Taylor, Chief Administrative Officer)
- B. Financial Statements (Mr. Bernie Sochia, Chief Finance Officer)
 - 1. Local Current Expense/Other Restricted Funds (as of February 29, 2024)
- C. General Operations (Mr. Mark Garrett, Superintendent)
- **XV. Adjournment** (Mr. Jay Egolf, Chairperson)