Talbot County Board of Education **Board Meeting** Voting Work Session March 5, 2024 - 6:00 p.m. Central Elementary/Middle/High School Cafeteria

The Talbot County Board of Education met in a voting work session on March 5, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. with the following members present: Mrs. Mildred Biggs, Chair (D5); Mrs. Sharleta Hall, Vice Chair (D3); Mrs. Julia Leonard (D1); Mr. James Steverson (D2); and Ms. Nikki Waller (D4).

- The meeting was called to order by Chair Mildred Biggs at 6:13 p.m.
- Chair Mildred Biggs led the Moment of Silence.
- Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chair Mildred Biggs.
- A motion was made by Ms. Nikki Waller to approve the agenda for March 5, 2024, seconded by Mrs. Sharleta Hall. 5-0-0
- Public Agenda Ms. Kinievel Johnson spoke with the School Board concerning an update of the prom.
- **Curriculum Undate** Mrs. Cynthia Epps, Assistant Superintendent
- Collaborative planning and Vertical alignment is continuing at the school. Mr. Taylor is enforcing this to improve the academic quota of all students. These meetings go across grade levels and content area.
- Cross Function Monitoring convened today. We finished. There five additional days to turn in additional documents that are needed. In thirty days we should receive our report back from the state.
- Georgia Milestone Teacher Assessment Training will take place on March 11, 2024. Testing Schedule – The testing schedule has been submitted to the state. End of Grade will begin on Tuesday, April 23, 2024 through April 30, 2024.
- Central Elementary/Middle High School Mr. Jonathan Taylor
- Read Across America is March 4 8, 2024
- Athletic Schedules JV Baseball and Track
- **Upcoming Events:** March 7th MS Baseball

March 11th MS Baseball

March 12th Track Meet March 12th MS Baseball

March 14th MS Baseball

March 15th MS Baseball

March 25th – Curriculum Night 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

- **Action Items from Superintendent** Dr. James Catrett, Superintendent
- School Board Training Whole Board Training March 27, 2024.
- Child Safe Kit Liberty National free to Talbot County Students
- Mrs. Sharleta Hall made a motion to approve the Request to provide students with No-Cost Child Safe Kits from Liberty National, seconded by Mrs. Julia Leonard. 5-0-0
- Dr. Catrett asked for a five minute break at 6:44 p.m.
- Mrs. Sharleta Hall made a motion to go into Executive Session at 6:56 p.m., seconded by Ms. Nikki Waller. 5-0-0
- Mr. James Steverson made a motion to come out of Executive Session at 7:47 p.m. seconded by Mrs. Julia Leonard. 5-0-0
- Ms. Nikki Waller made a motion to hire the teacher candidates as presented, seconded by Mrs. Sharleta Hall. 5-0-0
- Mrs. Biggs, Chairperson recused herself from the following action, turning the meeting over to Vice Chair Mrs. Sharleta Hall.
- Mrs. Sharleta Hall made a motion to terminate Chemia Henderson immediately, seconded by Mr. James Steverson. 3-1-1. (Ms. Nikki Waller voted no; Mrs. Mildred Biggs recused herself.)
- Vice Chair Mrs. Sharleta Hall turned the meeting back over to Chair Mrs. Mildred Biggs.
- Chair Mildred Biggs moved to adjourn at 7:54 p.m.

James Catrett, Superintendent

Mrs. Mildred Biggs, Chairperson