

Talbot County Board of Education
Budget Hearing Minutes
August 25, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.
Central Elementary/ Middle/ High School
Gymnasium

The Talbot County Board of Education met in a Budget Hearing on August 25, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. with the following members present: Mrs. Julia Leonard, (D1), Mr. James Steverson, Vice Chair (D2), Mrs. Sharleta Hall, Chair (D3), and Mrs. Mildred Biggs (D5). Mr. Carlton Mahone, (D-4) was absent.

- The meeting was called to order by Chair Sharleta Hall at 10:00 a.m.
- Chair Sharleta Hall led the Moment of Silence.
- Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chair Sharleta Hall.
- A motion was made by Mrs. Mildred Biggs to approve the August 25, 2022 agenda seconded by Mr. James Steverson. 4-0-0
- Action Items from Superintendent
Dr. James Catrett, Superintendent
- Dr. James Catrett, stated a legislative obligation for a budget hearing. All of the appropriate and deemed necessary notifications for this meeting has been posted and have duly been verified. This budget meeting is within accordance with Georgia Law.
- Dr. Catrett reviewed the rules allowing the public to comment and for the Board to hear comments from the public. The Board shall not respond, but take the comments under advisement. The Board was then polled to make sure the format was clear.
- Mr. Torrence Freeman, Finance Director presented the proposed budget by function code to the Board.
- Any public comment was solicited. The executive secretary was instructed to take and transcribe any comments made. There was no comment from the public. Dr. Catrett stated it was prudent to wait 10 – 15 minutes since the meeting started on time to make sure the public had the opportunity to comment.
- The meeting was adjourned at 10:28a.m.



Dr. James Catrett, Superintendent

Mrs. Sharleta Hall, Chairperson

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- I. **Call to order** by – Mrs. Sharleta Hall, Chairperson
- II. **Moment of Silence**----- Mrs. Sharleta Hall, Chairperson
- III. **Pledge of Allegiance**--- Mrs. Sharleta Hall, Chairperson
- IV. **Approval of the Agenda**----for August 25, 2022 Budget Hearing
- V. **Superintendent Items**
 1. Presentation of the Fiscal Year 2023 budget
 2. Comments from Talbot County Citizens
- VI. **Adjournment**

The next regular meeting of the Board will be held on September 20, 2022 at 6:00p.m. in the Cafeteria of the Central Elementary/Middle/High School, 945 North Washington Avenue in Talbotton, Georgia. The Public is invited.

AGENDA: Any citizen who wishes to appear before the Board must make the request in writing at least five days prior to the regular work session meeting of the Board. The request must state clearly the topic or issues to be addressed. Each citizen whose name is placed on the agenda will be given three (3) minutes to make their comments. The Board will not respond to comments or questions posed by citizens in their presentation, but will take those comments and questions under advisement.