## LATTA SCHOOL BOARD Minutes May 10, 2022

(Minutes submitted are unofficial until approved at the next month's regular monthly meeting.)

The Latta School Board of Trustees met for the regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 10, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the District Administrative Conference Room. In accordance with S.C. Code of Laws of 1976, as amended, Section 30-4-80(E). *The Dillon Herald* was notified of the time, date, place and agenda of this meeting. The agenda is also posted in the District Office and on the district website.

Trustees present were Kyle Berry, Ray George, Vanessa Harrison, Kwame Hennagan and Eleanor Powers. Stuart Poston and JoAnn Williamson were absent.

George Liebenrood welcomed all present and opened with prayer.

Chair Kyle Berry recognized the 2021-2022 teacher cadets.

There being no corrections or additions to the March 8, 2022 and April 5, 2022 minutes and the current agenda, Kyle Berry ruled that they stand approved.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

A construction update on Latta Elementary School and Latta High School was given by George Liebenrood.

## **DEPARTMENTAL BUSINESS**

Donna Taylor presented the status report for March 2022 on the General Fund budget. (Report attached becoming part of the minutes.)

Donna Taylor presented the 2022-2023 general fund budget. A motion was made by Eleanor Powers and seconded by Vanessa Harrison to approve first reading of the budget. Vote was unanimous. (Budget attached becoming part of the minutes.)

George Liebenrood gave an update on federal programs.

As part of an update of Latta High School, Susan Bryson introduced the 2021-2022 teacher cadets and updated Board Members on the teacher cadet program.

Nan Carmichael gave Board members a handout listing the 2021-2022 highlights for Latta High School. (Handout attached becoming part of the minutes.)

Larry Legette updated the Board on disinfecting for Covid-19. The classrooms, hallways and buses are still being disinfected daily.

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Eleanor Powers shared the upcoming Ellis Performing Arts Center schedule.
NEW BUSINESS
The Board agreed that the Gideons would be allowed to return to the Latta School District.
Ray George made a motion that there will not be a virtual option for students for the 2022-2023 school except for as necessary deemed by the administration. Eleanor Powers seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous.
CITIZEN INPUT ON ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST TO SCHOOLS
None
EXECUTIVE SESSION
None
FORMAL ACTION ON EXECUTIVE SESSION
None
There being no further business, Ray George made a motion to adjourn at 7:02 p.m. Eleanor Powers seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous.

Vanessa Harrison, Secretary

Kyle Berry, Chair

GHL:sr