

# ASHE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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TO: Ashe County Board of Education

FROM: Dr. Travis Reeves

DATE: September 29, 2009

## Regular Meeting October 2009

The regular meeting of the Ashe County Board of Education for October will be held at the Board of Education Annex on Monday, October 5, beginning at 7:00 pm. The following items make up the agenda for this meeting.

1. Welcome and Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approval of the agenda
4. Approval of the minutes for the regular meeting of the Board on September 14, 2009 (Attachment 1)
5. Open Comments
6. Recognition of *ACS Employee of the Month*
7. Nomination of Ashe Board of County Commissioners for *NCSBA County Commissioners Award* (Attachment 2)
8. Consideration of a request from Brandy B. for early graduation for school year 2009/10 (Attachment 3)
9. Consideration of a request from Ashe High FFA for an overnight trip to attend the National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana on October 20-24, 2009 (Attachment 4)
10. Consideration of new proposed *Employee Conflict of Interest Policy* (Attachment 5)
11. Consideration of the revised *Ashe County Schools Beginning Teacher Support Program Plan* (Attachment 6)
12. Discussion of adoption of the following policies
  - *Code of Ethics for School Board Members* (Attachment 7)
  - *Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying, and Discrimination* (Attachment 8)

- *Registered Sex Offenders* (Attachment 9)
- *Student Sex Offenders* (Attachment 10)

13. Personnel recommendations (Attachment 11)

**CERTIFIED**

**Administrator**

- Resignation of Rena Powers, Executive Director for Human Resources effective November 1, 2009

**Instructional Support Personnel**

- Request from Jenna Cash for an extension of approved parental leave of absence through October 23, 2009
- Resignation of Kelly Vannoy, registrar at Ashe High effective October 6, 2009

**Substitute Teacher**

- Addition of Larry Dix to the list of approved substitute teachers

**Prior approval to employ to fill the following vacant positions**

- Substitute teachers as necessary

**CLASSIFIED**

**4-H Afterschool Staff**

- Employment of Emily Frezza Poe as 4-H afterschool on-Site coordinator (full time, 30 hrs per week) at Blue Ridge effective September 24, 2009

**Custodian**

- Employment of Robert Dean Rupard as full-time custodian at Blue Ridge effective October 1, 2009

**Substitute Bus Drivers**

- Addition of Dwayne Farmer and Rick Sturgill to the list of approved substitute bus drivers

**Prior approval to employ the following vacant positions**

- Part-time ESL tutor at Blue Ridge
- Bus driver substitutes
- Cafeteria substitutes

14. Information Items

- Fall Board Retreat Wednesday, November 4, 2009, beginning at 12:00 pm in the Board of Education Annex
- Upcoming events (Attachment 12)
- Third issue of *ACS Net News* (Attachment 13)
- Presentation of *21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning Team* by Ashe Middle – regular November Board meeting

15. Closed session to consider a personnel action that involves an officer or employee of this Board [N.C. General Statute §143.318.11(a)(6)]