



**CITY OF BAKER SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
May 7, 2013**

MINUTES

The City of Baker School Board met in the Board Room of the School Board Office beginning at 6:00 p.m. on May 7, 2013, Mrs. Shona Boxie, Board President, called the meeting to order.

A roll call was taken by Mrs. Boxie:

WATSON:	Present
ALEXANDER:	Present
BOXIE:	Present
CARPENTER:	Present
DAVIS:	Present

A moment of silent meditation was led by Dr. Carpenter, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by Mrs. Alexander. Mrs. Boxie welcomed all visitors to the meeting.

On motion of Dr. Carpenter seconded by Mrs. Davis, the Board voted to approve the agenda. Voting yes: Boxie, Carpenter, Alexander, Davis and Watson. Voting no: None.

On motion of Mrs. Davis seconded by Dr. Carpenter, the Board voted to approve the minutes from the meeting of April 23, 2013. Voting yes: Boxie, Carpenter, Alexander, Davis and Watson. Voting no: None.

The Board recognized the following City of Baker School System employees and presented them with plaques:

2012-2013 Support Employees of the Year

Elementary School Support Employee -- Jacqueline Beshears-Boyd
Park Ridge Academic Magnet School

Middle School Support Employee -- Willie Williams
Baker Middle School

Bus Driver -- Latasha Jarvis

2012-2013 Teachers of the Year

Elementary School Teacher of the Year -- Marcus Bennett
Park Ridge Academic Magnet School

Middle School Teacher of the Year -- Brittany Hinyard
Baker Middle School

2012-2013 Principal of the Year

Tammy Armand-Golden
Park Ridge Academic Magnet School

On motion of Mrs. Davis seconded by Dr. Carpenter, the Board voted to approve the Superintendent's Personnel Actions. Voting yes: Boxie, Carpenter, Alexander, Davis and Watson. Voting no: None.

On motion of Dr. Carpenter seconded by Mrs. Davis, the Board voted to approve a Memorandum of Understanding with Baton Rouge Community College for dual enrollment. Voting yes: Boxie, Carpenter, Alexander, Davis and Watson. Voting no: None.

On motion of Dr. Carpenter seconded by Mrs. Davis, the Board voted to defer action on the request for approval of a Memorandum of Understanding with Baton Rouge Community College for training for individuals interested in pursuing a career in construction with emphasis on welding, pipefitting and any other construction training, until more information on safety issues could be obtained. Voting yes: Boxie, Carpenter, Alexander, Davis and Watson. Voting no: None.

On motion of Mrs. Davis seconded by Dr. Carpenter, the Board voted to approve the summer work schedule for 12-month employees (four-day/ten-hour work week):

- Beginning -- Monday, May 27, 2013
- Ending -- Friday, August 2, 2013

Voting yes: Boxie, Carpenter, Alexander, Davis and Watson. Voting no: None.

Mrs. Boxie thanked those in attendance for coming and announced the next meeting of the City of Baker School Board would be held on Tuesday, June 18, 2013, beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the School Board Office.

There being no further business, on motion of Mrs. Davis seconded by Dr. Carpenter, the Board voted to adjourn at 6:20 p.m.

Submitted by Ulysses Joseph, Secretary.