

**March 6, 2017
Jonesboro, Louisiana**

The Jackson Parish School Board met in regular session at 6:00 p.m. on March 6, 2017, at its regular meeting place, 315 Pershing Highway, Jonesboro, Louisiana. The following were present for roll call: Dennis Clary, Gerry Mims, Calvin Waggoner, Gloria Davis, Melissa Perry, Wade McBride and Mary Saulters.

The meeting was called to order by President Calvin Waggoner.

Mary Saulters gave the Invocation.

Gloria Davis led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion was made by Melissa Perry, seconded by Wade McBride and carried to approve the minutes as presented from the meeting held on February 6, 2017.

Motion was made by Mary Saulters, seconded by Melissa Perry and carried to approve the Jackson Parish School Calendar for 2017-2018.

**Jackson Parish Schools
2017-2018**

New Teacher Orientation	August	15, 2017
Professional Development	August	16, 17, 2017
First Day for Students	August	18, 2017
Parent Teacher Conference	October	26, 2017 3:00-8:00 p.m.
Professional Development	January	3, 2018
Seniors Last Day	May	8, 2018
Students Last Day	May	22, 2018
Teachers Workday	May	23, 2018
Holidays:		
Labor Day	September	4, 2017
Fall Break	Dismiss:	Thursday, October 26, 2017 (Students) Friday, October 27, 2017 (Teachers)
	Return:	Wednesday, November 1, 2017
Veteran's Day Observed	November	10, 2017
Thanksgiving	Dismiss:	Friday, November 17, 2017
	Return:	Monday, November 27, 2017
Christmas	Dismiss:	Tuesday, December 19, 2017
	Return:	Wednesday, January 3, 2018(Teachers) Thursday, January 4, 2018 (Students)
Dr. Martin Luther King		January 15, 2018
Winter Break	Dismiss:	Thursday, February 15, 2018
	Return:	Wednesday, February 21, 2018
Spring Break	Dismiss:	Friday, March 9, 2018
	Return:	Monday, March 19, 2018

Easter Break

Dismiss: Thursday, March 29, 2018
Return: Tuesday, April 3, 2018

Information Only:

End of Grading Periods: October 20, 2017
January 19, 2018
March 23, 2018
May 23, 2018

*Note: 392 Instructional minutes per day
Mandatory in-services for non-certified employees will include three (3) days as assigned by respective Supervisors for the 2017-2018 school year.*

Mary Saulters reported to the board on a meeting of the Executive Finance meeting held prior to the board meeting.

Motion was made by Gerry Mims, seconded by Gloria Davis and carried to approve for payment the following bills: General Fund, Federal Program, Food Service, Sales Tax and Special Education.

Motion was made by Wade McBride, seconded by Melissa Perry and carried to approve accepting low bid of \$8,250.00 from Dodson Enterprises, Inc. for the Quitman High School Basketball Court on playground, to be paid from Quitman Bond fund.

Motion was made by Dennis Clary, seconded by Melissa Perry and carried to approve accepting low bid of 272,000.00 from AXI Education Solutions for 68 Panel Boards to be installed in remaining classrooms in the parish, to be paid from the following funds, \$184,000.00 from Title One Fund and \$88,000.00 from General Fund.

Motion was made by Gloria Davis, seconded by Melissa Perry and carried to approve transferring Chatham-Jasper Henderson High School Sales Tax District Funds of \$24,032.10 to Weston Sales Tax District funds and Quitman Sales Tax District Funds. (Weston High School Sales Tax District Funds will receive \$12,016.05 and Quitman High School Sales Tax District Funds will receive \$12,016.05)

Motion was made by Dennis Clary, seconded by Gloria Davis and carried to approve accepting low bid of \$15,663.54 from Newegg Business for 15 Desktop Computers and 15 Widescreen monitors and 8 Laptop Computers for Quitman High School, to be paid from Title One Fund.

Motion was made by Gloria Davis, seconded by Melissa Perry and carried to approve accepting low bid of \$15,663.54 from Newegg Business for 15 Desktop Computers and 15 Widescreen monitors and 8 Laptop Computers for Weston High School, to be paid from Title One Fund.

Motion was made by Melissa Perry, seconded by Dennis Clary and carried to approve payment of Employer's share of Office of Group Benefits insurance premiums from General Fund for the April 2017 Sales Tax Distribution

Motion was made by Gloria Davis, seconded by Melissa Perry and carried to approve the minutes from the Executive Finance Committee meeting held on March 1, 2017.

March 1, 2017
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The Jackson Parish School Board Executive Finance Committee met at 10:00 a.m. on March 1, 2017, at 315 Pershing Highway, Jonesboro, Louisiana, in Superintendent Claxton's office.

David Claxton presented information on the cost of 68 Panel Boards to be installed in the remaining classrooms in the parish.

Ted Reeves presented information on projects at Quitman High School.

Committee members were given updates on Technology for all parish schools.

The February Financial Statement was presented by James Odom, Business Manager.

Motion was made by Melissa Perry, seconded by Gloria Davis and carried to declare as surplus at Quitman High School Ag Department the items listed as per the Fixed Asset Disposal Form.

Motion was made by Gerry Mims, seconded by Gloria Davis and carried to approve out of state travel for Jonesboro Hodge Middle School, 2016-2017 seventh grade class to participate in a school field trip to Washington, D.C. The date for the field trip is May 17-22, 2017. Expenses will be paid by fundraising, scholarships from WorldStrides and parents.

Motion was made by Melissa Perry, seconded by Gloria Davis and carried to adjourn at 6:15 p.m.

President

Secretary