## BRISTOL VIRGINIA SCHOOL BOARD SPECICAL MEETING November 18, 2017

The Bristol Virginia School Board conducted a Special Meeting on Saturday, November 18, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in the Board Room, Bristol Virginia Public Schools Administration Building, 220 Lee Street, Bristol, Virginia. A quorum was present with the following Board members in attendance:

Ms. Randy Alvis, Chair Mr. R. Tyrone Foster, Vice Chair

Mr. Steve Fletcher Mr. Ronald Cameron

Mr. Randall White

## Also present were:

Dr. Keith Perrigan, Superintendent Mr. Gary Ritchie, Assistant Superintendent

Mrs. Tammy Jones Clerk
Mr. Bill Buckles
Mr. Bill Hartley
Mrs. Virginia Goodson
Ms. Pam. Davis
Dr. Linda Brittle
Mrs. Steve Bonney
Mr. Bill Hartley
Ms. Pam. Davis
Ms. Faith Mabe

Mr. Keith Williams Mr. and Mrs. Jason Fleenor

Mr. Randy Alvis, Chair called the Special Meeting to order and opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. Alvis asked for a motion to approve the Agenda. Mr. Ronald Cameron so moved. Mr. Randy White seconded the motion, and the motion carried unanimously.

All in attendance boarded a bus, which was provided for the tour of potential sites for new construction. Dr. Keith Perrigan, Superintendent explained the process of the site selection and highlighted the tour would begin with the Exit 1 site. The tour consisted of visiting 13 different locations throughout the City. Dr. Perrigan gave details of each site and referenced to the packet provided to each participant. A question was presented as to the final decision of the site. Dr. Perrigan noted a call out went to all elementary parents as we wanted to be as open as possible and get feedback from parents, community members, City Council, School Board Members, etc. He noted in leadership role the final decision would be his, but stressed the importance of having feedback to assist in making the decision. A question was presented as to the process of the selection of site. Dr. Perrigan noted his hope was all the rubric would be turned in by the December board meeting. At this time, the board would narrow the selection. A Public Hearing would be held at each elementary school to receive feedback, questions/concerns. He also noted, he expected to receive an unsolicited bid in January. He noted that once we accepted the bid other companies would be able to bid within a 45-day window. He noted with that being done, we could have dirt being moved by late summer. Since 2011, the School Board Goals have reflected the direction they want to move in and have a two school elementary module.

The tour ended at 220 Lee Street and Mr. Alvis adjourned the meeting at 10:42 a.m.

Stephanie Austin, Deputy Clerk

Randy Alvis, Chair