

Towns County Board of Education
Pre-Board Work Session
October 4, 2010

The Towns County Board of Education met in a pre-board work session meeting on Monday, October 4, 2010 at the Towns County Board of Education office. Members present were Michael Anderson, Donna Hedden, Larry Kimsey, Emily Phillips and Bob Gibby. Michael Anderson called the meeting to order, gave the invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Donna Hedden made a motion, seconded by Emily Phillips, to **approve the agenda**. The motion carried.

The Board approved by acclamation the following consent agenda:

- Field Trips:
 - MS Student Council / Washington DC / April 3—8, 2011
 - HS Math II & Physical Science / Science Day, Dollywood, TN / April 11, 2011
- Fund Raisers:
 - ES / ES Night at Papa's Pizza / Third Thursday of each Month thru EOY
 - MS & HS Band / Cookie Dough & Tote Bags / Oct. 28 – Nov. 11, 2010
 - MS Student Council / Halloween Dance / Oct. 29, 2010

High School Principal, Mr. Roy Perren reported to the board on the following:

- Benchmark Testing

The Board discussed federal funds.

The Board discussed school inventory procedures.

The annual Sick Leave Bank report was given to the board by Beth Wood.

Superintendent Dr. Richard Behrens recommended the board **approve additional 4-H program service for the remainder of the school year from Donna Young for the 7th grade**. Emily Phillips made a motion, seconded by Bob Gibby, to **approve the Superintendents recommendation**. The motion carried.

Superintendent Dr. Richard Behrens recommended the board **approve the following for substitute nutrition assistants for the cafeteria, subject to fingerprints and criminal background check:**

- **Jennifer Cook**
- **Danielle Hunt-Parker**
- **Juanima Patrick**

Donna Hedden made a motion, seconded by Bob Gibby, to **approve the Superintendents recommendation**. The motion carried.

Myra Underwood presented the financial report to the board.

Superintendent, Dr. Richard Behrens reported to the board on the following:

- FFA Congratulations
- Inspirational Speaker – Mark Richt
- Update on Gym Renovations
- Peer Administrative Reviews
- GSBA Amicus Brief

- Miscellaneous

Bob Gibby made a motion, seconded by Emily Phillips **to adjourn the meeting**. The motion carried.

Michael Anderson, Chairman

Dr. Richard Behrens, Superintendent