

Board Briefings

September 12, 2006 - Stevenson Administration Building

An abbreviated board action report prepared by the Office of Communications

School Board Spotlight

The Board recognized the following individuals and schools for their achievements:

- Phillip Price, a 2006 graduate of A.C. Flora High School, who graduated with 12 years of perfect attendance. Price received the Thelma Hallman Award and a \$300 scholarship from the S.C. Association of School Attendance Supervisors for his essay on “Perfect Attendance: What it Means to Me.” Phillip currently attends Midlands Tech.
- Gwendolyn Clarke, a 2006 graduate of Dreher High, who won a silver medal in a national culinary arts competition in Nashville this summer. Clarke was a culinary arts student at Heyward Career and Technology Center. She is attending Midlands Tech and plans to transfer to Johnson and Wales next year.
- Richland One’s Palmetto Gold and Silver Award Showcase Schools – Brockman Elementary, Brennen Elementary, Hopkins Elementary and A.C. Flora High

Consent Agenda

The Board approved the following items:

- Minutes from the 8/22/06 meeting
- Hiring of Personnel
- Contract Extensions for Online Professional Development Management Systems and Printing of Construction Plans and Specifications

Assessment Appeals Appointment

The Board voted to appoint F.A. Johnson to the Richland County Board of Assessment Appeals.

Administrative Appointments

Dr. Aaron B. Hayes was named the district’s executive director of Student Intervention Services. Hayes is currently commandant at the Army Management Staff College in Ft. Belvoir, Va. Former Interim Area 3 Superintendent Gerald Witt was named to a one-year assignment as a principal leader. He will serve as a mentor for Priority Schools, new principals and principals new to the district.

IT Technicians Contract

The Board voted to award contracts to AlphaNumeric Systems Inc. and Telecom Design Management Inc. to provide Information Technology technicians for the district.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of School Commissioners will be held September 26 at C.A. Johnson Preparatory Academy. Open session begins at 7 p.m. Board meeting minutes and agendas are posted online at www.richlandone.org; click on the School Board link.