

Board Briefings

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Administrative Appointments

The board made the following appointments:

- Donna Hammett as interim executive director of curriculum and instruction
- Jim Hockman as interim coordinator of gifted and advanced academic programs
- Kendrick Cleckley as assistant principal at Hopkins Middle School

Recognitions

- Principals from the district's 2005 Red Carpet Schools (Alcorn, Heyward, Dreher, Meadowfield and Webber) received carpets for display
- Memorial resolutions were read and presented to families of the late Jeanna Hoffman (Satchel Ford teacher) and Don Bell (A.C. Flora teacher and coach).

Consent Agenda

The board approved the following items by consent:

- Minutes of meetings on 8/23/05 and 8/24/05
- Hiring of personnel
- Leave-of-absence requests
- A memorandum of agreement with Columbia Area Mental Health
- A contract extension for printing of construction plans and specifications

Oral Reports

The board heard the following oral reports:

- Fatiha Bencheikh and board member Jeanette McBride reported on the Richland One Student Experience To Africa Program.
- Dr. Allen Coles and Dr. Min Ching reviewed the district's 2005 SAT, ACT and PACT results.

Information Items

The board received as information proposed changes to the Richland Middle College charter.

Action Items

The board approved the following items:

- An agreement for A.C. Flora student parking at Forest Drive Church
- Sale of property adjacent to Crayton Middle School
- Bids for construction at Hand Middle School
- Bids for psychological evaluation services
- A bond resolution for computer replacement and other capital improvements
- Change orders related to the 2002 bond construction program

The board's next regularly scheduled meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, September 27 at Hyatt Park Elementary School.