

Board Briefings

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School Board Spotlight

The Board recognized A.C. Moore and Mill Creek elementary schools for their participation in the South Carolina Department of Education's 2007 Palmetto Gold and Silver Awards Showcase. (For additional information, see the story on page one.)

Partners In Education Grants

The Board recognized recipients of Fall 2008 teacher grants from Partners In Education. Twice each year, the foundation awards \$500 grants to fund innovative classroom projects.

Consent Agenda

The Board approved the following items:

- Minutes from the 8/12/08 meeting
- July financials
- Hiring of personnel

The Board also approved contract extensions for the following:

- Long-range technology plan
- Renewal of licenses and technology support for Successmaker
- Professional development and instructional support of Successmaker
- Procurement audit

Office of Human Resources

The Board approved the appointment of Myra Combs to the position of assistant principal at Brennen Elementary School. Combs was most recently employed as a teacher at Arden Elementary School.

Office of Academics

The Board approved a request for home schooling.

Office of Operations

The Board approved the following contracts/requests:

- Reallocation of previously approved items and annual recurring items
- Apple laptop computers for C.A. Johnson Preparatory Academy

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of School Commissioners will be held Tuesday, September 9 at the Stevenson Administration Building. Open session begins at 7 p.m.