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Keith Raulston, Vice Chairperson  
James Carmichael  
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Andrea Walker

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# MINUTES

## THOMASVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, January 9, 2018 Huneycutt Administration Building

<b>Board Members Present:</b>	Kevan Callicutt Keith Raulston	James Carmichael Cheryl Jefferies Andrea Walker
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<b>Board Attorney:</b>	Bradley Hunt was in attendance
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<b>City Council Members Present:</b>	Neal Grimes
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<b>Media/Press in Attendance:</b>	Debbie Hightower
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<b>Superintendent &amp; Staff Members Present:</b>	Dr. Patrice Faison Ashton Clemmons Dr. Cate Gentry Scott Powell Johnnie Musgrave	Jennifer Buck Greg Miller Brenda Watford Dr. Jessica Dreher Lorrie Johnson Diane Roberts Brenda Watford Tyler Tobin	Dr. Angela Moore Kevin Leake Leslie Kinard Jennifer Tallant Michelle Posley Aaron Kline
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<b>Welcome &amp; Call to Order:</b>	The Thomasville High School JROTC presented the Colors and led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance. Welcome to everyone and Board meeting was brought to order by Chairman Kevan Callicutt.
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<b>*Adoption of Agenda:</b>	Motion was made by Keith Raulston and a second by Andrea Walker to adopt the meeting agenda. The motion was approved.
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<b>Superintendent's Report</b>	Dr. Faison presented her report to the Board. Dr. Faison briefly discussed the possibility of CTE course offerings to include advanced manufacturing and coding. This work is in the infancy stage but is exciting.
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<b>*Approval of Consent Agenda Items</b>	Items listed on the consent agenda for approval including budget amendments and meeting minutes were approved on a motion made by James Carmichael and seconded by Cheryl Jefferies. The consent items unanimously were approved.
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<b>*Appointment of Business Advisory Council:</b>	Diane Robert, CTE Director, requested approval of the Business Advisory Council and their respective terms of service as presented to the Board of Education. A motion to approve this group as presented was made by Andrea Walker and second was offered by Keith Raulston. The motion passed.
<b>*Board Policy to table for next meeting</b>	Dr. Cate Gentry presented a list of policies for the public and Board to review until the next regular Board meeting. A motion to table was offered by James Carmichael and second was made by Andrea Walker. Approval to table was approved by the Board.
<b>*CIS Field Trip Request Approval</b>	<p>Mary Jane Akerman asked the Board to approve a CIS overnight trip for Teen PEP participants.</p> <p>A motion to approve was made by Keith Raulston and seconded by Cheryl Jefferies. The motion was approved by the Board.</p>
<b>*TMS Field Trip Request Approval</b>	<p>Mr. Kevin Leake, TMS Principal, asked the Board to approve an overnight trip for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Students attending Washington, D.C.</p> <p>A motion to approve was made by Cheryl Jefferies and seconded by Keith Raulston. The motion was approved by the Board.</p>
<b>Classified Staff members serving as Bus Drivers</b>	Dr. Faison informed the Board that she would ask them to revisit this issue in July if the need arises.
<b>*Closed Session:</b>	A motion was made by Andrea Walker and seconded James Carmichael that the Board move into closed session pursuant to NCGS 143-318.11(a) (6) so that personnel matters may be considered by the Board. The motion carried and the Board went into closed session.

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**Return to Open  
Session:**

The school board returned to open session to approve the personnel recommendations.

The meeting was then unanimously adjourned.

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Cate Gentry, Ed.D.  
Interim Superintendent