The Toombs County Board of Education met for a called workshop on Thursday, August 6, 2015, at 12:00 p.m. with the following members present: Mr. Clint Williams, Chairman, Mr. Mitch Bellflower, Mrs. Toni Wilkes, Mr. Trent Akins, Mr. Michael Grimes, and Superintendent Richard Smith. Mr. Russ Benton and Mr. Jonathan Holland were absent.

The Invocation was given by Mr. Akins, followed by the Pledge to the Flag.

On motion by Mr. Grimes, seconded by Mr. Akins, the board approved the agenda for the meeting.

Unanimously Approved

Mr. Smith presented the board with information on the annual GSBA Conference in December. He asked them to complete an information sheet concerning the annual training sessions they would attend and what nights they needed hotel reservations made. This will all be done through the central office. Information packets for next week’s regular board meeting was also given to each member.

On a motion by Mrs. Wilkes, seconded by Mr. Bellflower the board voted to go into executive session to discuss or deliberate upon the appointment, employment, compensation, hiring, disciplinary action or dismissal, or periodic evaluation or rating of a public officer or employee; (OCGA 50-14-3(6)).

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On motion by Mr. Grimes, seconded by Mr. Bellflower, the board voted to come out of executive session.

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On a motion by Mrs. Wilkes, seconded by Mr. Grimes, the board approved the following personnel recommendations: **Resignation Notice**: Shorn Furse, Teacher, TCHS; Kathy O’Neal, Teacher, TCHS; Greg Partin, Full-time Bus Driver. **Employment Recommendation**: Brent Coleman, Assistant Principal, LPS; Otis Walker, Gerald Rushing, John McKenna, Russell Howard, Greg Partin, Substitute Bus Drivers; Jonathan Salter, Community Coach, TCMS; Kim Hamilton added duty of School Test Coordinator, LUES; Randy Thompson, Long-term Substitute for Business Teacher Position, TCHS. **Transfers**: Cindy Wells, Media Paraprofessional at LPS from LUES.

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Mr. Smith discussed with the Board requests from out of county students to attend our school system, especially given the new high school; the new facility will certainly attract out of county students desiring to attend our school system. Discussion on whether any changes to the out of county student attendance policy needed to be made. The Board will consider any changes at future meetings.

The Board discussed the new Toombs County High School facility and its exceptional quality. The auditorium turned out exceptionally well. All agreed that the new Toombs County High School is a beautiful facility, like no other in our area, and is certainly a facility of which Toombs County residents can be proud.

On a motion by Mr. Akins, seconded by Mr. Grimes, the board voted to adjourn the meeting.

Unanimously Approved