

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING  
OF  
VERMILION PARISH SCHOOL BOARD**

**May 18, 2011**

The School Board met this day in regular session at 1305 Wildcat Drive, Abbeville, Louisiana, at 6:00 p.m., with the following members present: Mr. Ricky Broussard, Mr. Dexter Callahan, Mr. Charles Campbell, Mr. Anthony Fontana, Mr. Stacy Landry, Mr. Carroll “Bubba” LeBlanc, Mr. Chris Gautreaux, and Mr. Bill Searle.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Leblanc and carried, the Board adopted agenda items as follows:

Adopted the minutes as transcribed for filing purposes as the official minutes of the Vermilion Parish School Board for the regular board meeting held on May 5, 2011.

Accepted the Treasurer's Report and placed in appropriate file for reference in preparation of the financial and compliance audit.

Adopted a resolution honoring the 2010-2011 retirees of the Vermilion Parish School District:

**RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, The retiring employees of the Vermilion Parish School System have served in a very honorable, capable and conscientious manner; and

WHEREAS, They have served the Vermilion Parish School System with dedication; and

WHEREAS, Their concern has always been the welfare of children of the Vermilion Parish School System.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED By the Vermilion Parish School Board convened in regular session the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2011, that the Board be recorded as publicly expressing appreciation for the excellent work and untiring efforts to the retiring principals, assistant principals, teachers, lunchroom workers, bus drivers, janitors, secretaries, aides, and central office personnel who work for the betterment of the children in this school system.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** By the Vermilion Parish School Board that this resolution be made a permanent part of the School Board records, and that a copy be sent to each retiree for the 2010-2011 fiscal year.

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**On motion of Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Landry and carried, the Board accepted the following personnel list as recommended by the Superintendent:**

**APPOINTMENTS**

**Cole, Willard - Herod Elementary – Janitor – effective May 23, 2011, pending Functional Assessment results, replaces Gary Brasseaux, who was granted a transfer**

**Dronet, Dean - Abbeville High - Secondary Physical Education Teacher/Coach – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Ashley Broussard, who resigned**

**Farnsworth, Tim - Abbeville High - Band Director – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Wayne Winner, who resigned**

**LeBlanc, Jack - North Vermilion High - GED Teacher/Boys Basketball Coach – effective August 11, 2011 - new position**

**Pennington, Laurie - North Vermilion High - Middle Science Teacher – effective August 11, 2011, through May 27, 2011, only – replaces Jill Roy, who was granted a sabbatical**

**Touchet, Blake - North Vermilion High - Secondary Biology Teacher/Coach – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Clay Noegel, who resigned**

**RETIREMENTS**

**Gary, Janice - Central Office - Child Nutrition Purchasing Clerk – effective September 2, 2011**

**Sellers, Joan - Herod Elementary – Teacher – effective October 16, 2011**

**TRANSFERS (INVOLUNTARY)**

**Lege, Shannon - Herod Elementary - from VPAP – Paraprofessional – effective May 2, 2011 - Due to reassignment of students.**

**Willis, Roxanne - LeBlanc Elementary - from VPAP – Paraprofessional – effective May 2, 2011 - Due to reassignment of students.**

## **TRANSFERS (VOLUNTARY)**

**Deroche, Leslie - North Vermilion High/Cecil Picard Elem - from Eaton Park Elementary - Itinerant Speech Pathologist – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Suzanne Vicknair, who was in a one year only position**

**Rogers, Jessie - Cecil Picard Elem - from Herod Elementary - Elementary Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Michelle Lemaire, who was granted a transfer**

## **APPOINTMENT (Rescinded)**

**Huntsberry, Claude - Herod Elementary – Janitor effective May 23, 2011, pending Functional Assessment results – replaces Gary Brasseaux, who was granted a transfer**

## **ADDENDUM**

### **APPOINTMENTS**

**Badeaux, Christina - Herod Elementary - Elementary Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Christina Russo, who was granted a transfer**

**Blanchard, Melanie - Herod Elementary - Ensuring Literacy Interventionist – effective August 11, 2011, through May 27, 2012, only (due to funding) – replaces Elaine Primeaux, who resigned**

**Harrington, Sara - Eaton Park Elem - Special Education Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Angela Harris, who resigned**

**Kurowski, Lisa - J H Williams Middle - Special Education Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 - Was in the same position last year**

**Meaux, Brooke - Herod Elementary - Kindergarten Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Tonya Lassiter, who was granted a transfer**

**Meaux, Nicole - Jesse Owens Elem - Special Education Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Mona Leleux, who was granted a transfer**

**Pacheco, Yennis - J H Williams Middle - School Secretary – effective August 1, 2011 – replaces Cynthia Ruffins, who retired**

**Scalisi, Amy - Herod Elementary - Elementary Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Tricia Suire, who was granted a transfer**

**Stutes, Alyssa - Herod Elementary - Kindergarten Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Sheri Young, who was granted a transfer**

**Theriot, Rachel - Cecil Picard Elem - Middle ELA/Social Studies Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Marlene Theriot, who retired**

**Tinney, Jordan - Herod Elementary - Elementary Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Jene't Marsh, who was granted a transfer**

#### **RETIREMENTS**

**Ortego, Laura - Meaux Elementary - Special Education Teacher – effective August 1, 2011**

**Sheffield, Lynette - Central Office - Speech Pathologist – effective July 30, 2011**

#### **SABBATICAL (PROFESSIONAL)**

**Hebert, Theresa - J H Williams Middle – Teacher - August 11, 2011, through May 28, 2012**

#### **TRANSFER (INVOLUNTARY)**

**Stoute, Wendy - Eaton Park Elem - from Cecil Picard Elementary – Principal – effective July 1, 2011 – replaces Denise Soileau, whose contract was not renewed**

#### **TRANSFER (VOLUNTARY)**

**Vincent, Bridget - Kaplan Elementary - from Eaton Park Elementary - Elementary Teacher – effective August 11, 2011 – replaces Mary Mouton, who was granted a transfer**

**The Board received copies of Information and Advisory Reports as follows:**

#### **Business Department**

**Oil & Gas Revenue Report**

**Sales Tax Report**

**1996 Ad Valorem Tax Fund (10 Mills) – Quarterly Report**

**Quarterly Financial Report – General Fund**

**Quarterly Financial Report – School Lunch/Breakfast Fund (CNP)**

**The Board recognized All State Music Awards, All State Art Competition, All State Speech Competition, Athletic All State and State Champions, Academic All State, State Rally, State Science Fair, State Social Studies Fair, State 4-H Competition, State Special Olympics, State Physical Fitness Competition, Students of the Year, Valedictorians, Teachers of the Year, Principals of the Year, Essay Winners, Students with Perfect Attendance for Twelve (12) Consecutive Years (1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade), and Vermilion Parish School Board Retirees**

**On motion of Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Campbell and carried, the Board adjourned the Regular Meeting #19 at 7:00 p.m.**

**/s/ Dexter J. Callahan  
Mr. Dexter J. Callahan  
President**

**/s/ Randy Schexnayder  
Mr. Randy Schexnayder  
Secretary-Treasurer**