

JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA TO BE HELD AT ELTON HIGH SCHOOL 903 2ND STREET ELTON, LA 70532 (337) 824-1834 (SCHOOL BOARD OFFICE) AGENDA MEETING THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

FILE: BCB - SCHOOL BOARD MEETING RULES OF PROCEDURE An individual speaker who appears at a School Board meeting to speak on an agenda item must register prior to the meeting, and will be allotted three (3) minutes to speak on the

agenda item prior to School Board discussion on the agenda item.

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INVOCATION and PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

III. ROLL CALL FOR DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM.

ARC	BORD	BRUC	DOB	DOISE	FREY	JONES	P. LEJEUNE	S. LEJEUNE	PATT	PETRY	TRAH	WALK

IV. APPROVAL OF THE SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING ON NOVEMBER 16, 2023.

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V. VOTE TO CHANGE THE ORDER OF TOPICS TO BE ADDRESSED AND TO ADD NEW ITEMS NOT ON THE ORIGINAL AGENDA.

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VI. RECOGNITION/ PRESENTATIONS:

- 1. Welcome by Elton High School Principal, Mrs. Amy Gobert.
- 2. Students and faculty presentation.

VII. ELECTION OF 2024 SCHOOL BOARD PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT.

- A. Superintendent Hall, School Board Secretary, calls for nominations for office of School Board President.
- B. School Board President, calls for nominations for office of School Board Vice-President.

VIII. BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- A. Finance Committee Phillip Arceneaux, Chairman
- B. Insurance Charles Bruchhaus, Chairman
- C. Building & Grounds Committee David Doise, Chairman
- D. Policy- Russell Walker, Chairman

- E. Transportation Committee Greg Bordelon, Chairman
- F. 16th Section-Charles Bruchhaus, Chairman
- G. Ward II Phillip Arceneaux, Chairman
- H. Legislative Liaison Greg Bordelon, Chairman
- I. Long Range Planning Malon Dobson, Chairman
- J. Food Service Committee Greg Patterson, Chairman

IX. SALES TAX REPORT - by Amber Hymel, Tax Collector.

X. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Approve the following resolution for Superintendent Hall to sign a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for funds allocated from the State to Elton High School.

Resolution

RESOLUTION OF JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD AND ELTON HIGH SCHOOL

RESOLVED that the Jefferson Davis Parish School Board hereby authorizes John Hall, Superintendent of Jefferson Davis Schools, to execute the State of Louisiana Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for Act 397 for and on behalf of Elton High School and also be authorized to sign, initial, accept or execute all documents in connection with the transaction.

CERTIFICATE

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, President of the Jefferson Davis Parish School Board, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a correct copy of the of the Resolution of the Jefferson Davis Parish School Board and Elton High School, on the 14th day of December, 2023.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, this 14th day of December, 2023.

Paul Trahan, PRESIDENT							
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2. Approve the following resolution for Superintendent Hall to sign a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for funds allocated from the State to Lacassine High School.

Resolution

RESOLUTION OF JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD AND LACASSINE HIGH SCHOOL

RESOLVED that the Jefferson Davis Parish School Board hereby authorizes John Hall, Superintendent of Jefferson Davis Schools, to execute the State of Louisiana Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for Act 397 for and on behalf of Lacassine High School and also be authorized to sign, initial, accept or execute all documents in connection with the transaction.

CERTIFICATE

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, President of the Jefferson Davis Parish School Board, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a correct copy of the of the Resolution of the Jefferson Davis Parish School Board and Lacassine High School, on the 14th day of December, 2023. WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, this 14th day of December, 2023.

Paul Trahan, PRESIDENT							
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 Grant permission to Superintendent Hall and Engineer Byron Racca, with Meyer & Associates, to seek bids for the Lacassine High School Softball and Baseball field complex.

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- 4. Approve the following non-faculty coaches for 2023-2024 upon completion of LHSAA coaching course certification and Board policy requirements.
 - 1. Collin Vanicor, WHS basketball
 - 2. Kobi Turner, LAHS Jr. High Football and Track

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5. Approve the following Early Childhood Community Network funding requests for publicly-funded seats for the 2024–25 School year:

The Jefferson Davis Parish Early Childhood Community Network will submit the following coordinated Funding Request for publicly-funded seats for the 2024-25 School Year:

250 Jefferson Davis Parish School Board LA4 Cecil Picard Early at-risk Pre-K Seats

85 Birth through three year old seats for Type III Licensed Child Care Centers in Jefferson Davis Parish

0 NSECD Seats

0 Pre-K Expansion Grant Seats

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6. The Child Nutrition Program would like permission to surplus a warmer from Lake Arthur High School (Metro, Model number C599-SDC-U).

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7. A resolution ordering and calling special elections to be held in (i) School District No. 1 of the Parish of Jefferson Davis, State of Louisiana, and (ii) Welsh-Roanoke Consolidated School District No. One (1) of the Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana, to authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds; making application to the State Bond Commission and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

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XI. INFORMATION

1. Congratulations to the following 2024 Parish Support Employees of the Year:

Elementary - Mr. Corey Jolie - Welsh Elementary School Middle - Mrs. Theresa Landry - Fenton Elementary School High - Mrs. Deidre Reed- Jennings High School

- Congratulations to the following 2024 Parish Teachers of the Year: Elementary - Ms. Devin May - Elton Elementary Middle - Ms. Maria Miller - Jennings Highs School High - Ms. Macy Istre - Lake Arthur High School
- Congratulations to the following 2024 Students of the Year: 3. Elementary School Winners- Grade 5: Cecilia Hollier- Lacassine High - Parish level winner Gaige Robinson- Elton Elem Kobe Martin- Fenton Elem Clare Guinn- Hathaway High Henry Purcell- Jennings Elem Deacon Hanks- Lake Arthur Elem Wyatt McCown- Welsh Elem Middle School Winners- Grade 8: Hyacinth Williamson- Welsh-Roanoke Jr. High - parish level winner Anna-Leigh Hebert- Elton High Natalie Rhorer- Fenton Elem Isabella Marguart- Hathaway High Lillian Hebert- Jennings High Madalynn Fruge- Lacassine High Aubree Guin- Lake Arthur High **High School Winners- Grade 12:** Dane Sonnier- Jennings High School - parish level winner Ashley Shallow - Elton High Ellie LeBlanc - Hathaway High Lainee Landry - Lacassine High Vivian Sketoe - Lake Arthur High Allyson Treme - Welsh High School The Department of Special Services will be hosting the 2nd Annual 2023 4.
- 4. The Department of Special Services will be hosting the 2nd Annual 2023 Special Olympics ~ Young Athletes on January 26, 2024 from 8:30am -11:30am at Jennings High School - Gymnasium for SWDs grades Prek-2nd grade. We will be funding the event from funds that The Department of Special Services received as a donation from donated funds from the Ivy Woods Golf Tournament. Approximately: \$2,507.33.
- JDP Students with Disabilities will be attending the 2023 Special Olympics
 ~ Bowling Event at Petro Bowl in Lake Charles, LA. We will be using funds
 that The Department of Special Services received as a donation from the
 2022 Ivy Woods Golf Tournament. Approximately: \$1,315.00

XII. PERSONNEL CHANGES

XIII. SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS NOT REQUIRING BOARD ACTION

XIV. EXECUTIVE SESSION

A. Motion to enter into Executive session.

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B. Motion to resume in regular session.							
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XV. ADJOURN

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IN COMPLIANCE WITH STATE LAW, A COPY OF THIS AGENDA WAS POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE AT THE MEETING PLACE OF SAID BOARD ON MONDAY DECEMBER 11, 2023 BY 4:00 P.M.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT, IF YOU NEED SPECIAL ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT DEBBIE AT 337-824-1834 DESCRIBING THE ASSISTANCE THAT IS NECESSARY.