



**Agenda**  
**BEAUFORT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
 March 21, 2017 5:00 p.m. (Executive Session)  
 Bluffton Library  
 120 Palmetto Way, Bluffton, South Carolina

<b><i>Mission:</i></b> <i>The Beaufort County School District, through a personalized learning approach, will prepare graduates who compete and succeed in an ever-changing global society and career marketplace.</i>	<b>Strategic Governance Reference</b>
<b>5:00 Executive Session:</b> Discussion of the employment, appointment, compensation, promotion, demotion or discipline of employees; receipt of legal advice relating to a pending, threatened or potential claim or other matters covered by the attorney-client privilege.	Policies 2.2, 2.4; P.E. 10.4
<b>6:00 Public Session</b>	Policy 2.4
<b>Action as Necessary or Appropriate Regarding Matters Discussed in Executive Session</b>	Policy 2.4
<b>Approval of Agenda</b>	Policy 2.4
<b>Pledge of Allegiance, Invocation, Statement of Media Notification</b>	Policy 2.4; PE 9.2
<b>Points of Celebration</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>May River Dermatology, LLC Donation in the amount of \$8,000 to River Ridge Academy for Shade Structure to playground areas.</li> <li>Parker's "Fueling the Community" Donation</li> <li>Character Education Student of the Month for Southern BCSD- Jacob Newton, Okatie Elementary 4<sup>th</sup> Grade</li> <li>WordMaster Challenge – Ashley Lambright and Anri Braun, River Ridge Academy Students</li> <li>Scholastic Art &amp; Writing Gold Key Awards – Grant Wilkins and Sarah Sugg, Hilton Head High School Students</li> <li>State Wrestling Champs – Alex Braden and Billy Christie, Hilton Head High School Students</li> <li>Sportsmanship Award – Hilton Head High School Athletic Department</li> </ul>	Policy 2.4
<b>Public Comments</b> Any person may address the Board for a maximum of <i>three minutes</i> on issues within the domain of the Board. Each speaker must fill out a Public Comment Card. The forum will be limited to 30 minutes. Those persons who were unable to address the Board during this period will be heard first during the second Public Comment period.	Policies 2.4, 4.1; PEs 9.5, 9.10
<b>Comment Corrections</b>	Policies 2.4, 3.1
<b>Chairman's Report</b>	Policy 2.4
<b>Committee Reports</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Curriculum &amp; Instruction</li> <li>Finance</li> <li>Human Resources</li> <li>Legislative</li> <li>Policy</li> <li>Student Services</li> </ul>	Policies 2.4, 3.2
<b>Superintendent's Report</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Principals Presentations – <a href="#">Hilton Head Island School for the Creative Arts</a> &amp; <a href="#">Hilton Head Island Early Childhood Center</a></li> <li>Draft Superintendent/District Goals</li> <li><a href="#">Other Matters for Board's Information</a></li> </ul>	Policies 2.4, 5.1
<b>Board Business Action</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Approval of the Donation in the amount over \$5,000 for "Fueling the Community" from Parker's</li> <li><a href="#">Approval to Fund the Design, Engineering, and all Construction for Whale Branch Early College Auditorium utilizing 8% Funding and not to exceed \$12,480,003.</a></li> <li><a href="#">2017-18 Academic Calendar</a></li> <li><a href="#">Policy 2.4 – School Board Meetings, First Read</a></li> </ul>	Policy 2.4
<b>Consent Agenda</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">March 7, 2017 Board Meeting Minutes</a></li> </ul>	Policy 2.4

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Finance &amp; Operations Committee's Recommendation to approve PE 7.5 Cleaning and Maintenance Reports; recommendation to incorporate all design aspects of the Whale Branch Early College High School Auditorium with the Gymnasium; and the donation from Bob Shields and the Big Green Booster Club in the amount of \$12,500 toward the purchase and installation of a concrete pad for the baseball batting cages at Beaufort High School</a></li> </ul>	PE 7.5
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