

**SPARTANBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT THREE  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES SPECIAL CALLED MEETING  
District Three Administration Building  
September 20, 2022**

**MINUTES**

The Spartanburg District Three Board of Trustees met on Tuesday, September 20, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the District Three Administration Building.

The following Trustees were present:

Mr. Chris Jolley, Chair  
Mr. Billy Gossett, Secretary  
Mr. Eddie Dearybury, Trustee  
Mrs. Sarah Dunn, Trustee

Mrs. Jodi Gilmer, Trustee  
Mrs. Holly Jolley, Trustee  
Mr. Deion Logan, Trustee  
Mrs. Cathy Voelker, Trustee

District personnel present included Superintendent Blackwood.

At 6:07 p.m., Chairman Jolley asked for a motion to go into executive session to discuss legal, Superintendent contract, and search. Mrs. Gilmer made a motion and was seconded by Mr. Dearybury. The vote was unanimous in favor.

Chairman Jolley asked for a motion to return to open session and stated that no action was taken while in executive session. Mrs. Voelker made the motion and was seconded by Mr. Logan. The vote was unanimous in favor.

Chairman Jolley called the meeting to order and announced that there was a quorum present, and all media outlets were properly notified.

Chairman Jolley asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Dearybury made the motion to approve and was seconded by Mrs. Jolley. The vote was unanimous in favor.

Chairman Jolley asked if there was any business to carry over from executive session. Mr. Gossett made a motion to select White & Story, LLC as the firm to handle the superintendent search. Mrs. Gilmer seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous in favor.

Mrs. Jolley then made a motion to allow the board chair to negotiate the superintendent's separation agreement. Mr. Logan seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous in favor.

There being no further business, Mr. Dearybury made a motion to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. and was seconded by Mrs. Dunn. The vote was unanimous in favor.

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Secretary, Board of Trustees

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