

The mission of the Alachua County school district, the vital force in the heart of northern Florida, is to guarantee each student will excel in every chosen arena through an education system characterized by compassion and integrity, an engaging curriculum tailored to meet individual needs and aspirations, application of innovative approaches, and the courage to continuously form and reform to meet every new challenge.

AGENDA

- A. CALL TO ORDER--PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING OF OCTOBER 4, 2005**
- C. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**
- D. BOARD MEMBER/SUPERINTENDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- E. RECOGNITION--RETIREEES Boyd**
- F. CITIZEN INPUT** *(Fifteen (15) minutes will be provided for citizens to address the Board prior to the regular business meeting. It is requested that citizens keep their comments to approximately three (3) minutes.)*

The Regular Board Meeting will be recessed

PUBLIC HEARING—*(This is the opportunity for the public to present testimony on this issue. It is requested that speakers keep their comments to approximately three (3) minutes.)* A public hearing has been scheduled for 6:30 p.m. to consider amendments to the Special Programs and Procedures for Exceptional Students Document for 2004-2005 through 2006-2007.

The Public Hearing will be adjourned and the Regular Board Meeting reconvened

G. ACTION ITEMS

- 1. Proclamation—Red Ribbon Week October 24-28, 2005 Pinkoson
RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board approve the Proclamation proclaiming the week of October 24-28, 2005, as Red Ribbon Week.
- 2. District Facilities Five-Year Work Program Gable
RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board approve the program for submission to the Department of Education.
- 3. Memorandum of Agreement with the Alachua County Public Schools Foundation Birkett
RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board approve the Memorandum of Agreement with the Alachua County Public Schools Foundation as presented.
- 4. Budget Amendments for the period September 6, 2005, through September 30, 2005 ... Birkett
Budget Amendment No. 1 – General Fund, and Budget Amendment No. 2 – Capital Projects Funds, include amendments for the period September 6, 2005, through September 30, 2005.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board approve Budget Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 as presented.

- 5. Amendment to Expressions Charter School Contract--Request to Increase Student Enrollment Lagotic

Expressions Charter School is requesting an amendment to their contract to increase the school's maximum student number (75 to 85 students) in order to allow for the school to include siblings of current students. The agreement with Expressions is that the request will be submitted to the School Board under the new charter school contract. Included with the request is a copy of the old and new charter contracts.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board approve the amendment to the Expressions Charter School Contract as presented.

- 6. Amendments to the 2005-06 Salary Schedule for Professional/Technical Personnel... Birkett

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board approve the amendments to the 2005-2006 Salary Schedule for Professional Technical Personnel as presented.

- 7. Revisions to the Pupil Progression Plan, 2005-2006—First Reading..... Anusavice

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board schedule a public hearing November 1, 2005, regarding the proposed revisions to the 2005-2006 Pupil Progression Plan.

H. CONSENT AGENDA

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Superintendent recommends that the School Board approve the Consent Agenda as described in items 1-12.

- 1. Employment of Personnel—Attachments A & B..... Longstreth
- 2. Bid(s) and Requisition(s)—Attachment C Hackett
- 3. District Consultant Services—Attachment D Hackett
- 4. Purchased Products/Services between \$12,500 and \$24,999—Attachment E..... Hackett
- 5. Student Cases Black

Board approval is requested on the student case(s) as recommended.

- 6. State Farm Service-Learning and Home Safety Initiative..... Omer

A proposal has been prepared for submission to the Florida Department of Education for a service-learning project for Horizon Center students to assist senior residents of the Duval Heights neighborhood to address home safety issues.

- 7. State Farm Service-Learning and Home Safety Initiative Omer

A proposal has been prepared for submission to the Florida Department of Education for the Expressions Learning Arts Academy to use artistic media to assist children affected by the recent hurricanes.

- 8. Enhancing Education Through Technology Omer

A proposal has been prepared for submission to the Florida Department of Education for an Enhancing Education Through Technology formula grant. The program will develop technology standards for staff and students, and train teachers in technology. It is anticipated that a total of \$156,575.21 will be spent on this project.

- 9. Adults with Disabilities Grant Omer

A proposal has been prepared for submission to the Florida Department of Vocational Rehabilitation for continuation of funding of the district’s Adults with Disabilities grant. A total of \$49,151 is requested to provide educational services for adults who have a medical verification of disability.

- 10. No Child Left Behind Technical Assistance Center Omer

A proposal has been prepared for submission to the Florida Department of Education for the No Child Left Behind Regional Assistance Center. This grant will provide support to Title I district and school personnel in 21 school districts.

- 11. Title I Supplemental Educational Services District/Provider Contracts..... Hall

Supplemental Educational Service (SES) Agreements have been prepared with various providers for the purpose of providing supplemental educational services to eligible students as agreed upon in the Title I NCLB-Supplemental Educational Services Parent/District/Provider Agreement. The Board authorizes the Superintendent to approve any additional providers during the 2005-2006 school year without Board submission.

- 12. Memorandum of Understanding between Northeast Florida Educational Consortium (NEFEC) and the School Board of Alachua County Wise

This Memorandum of Understanding provides for NEFEC reimbursement to the School Board of \$21,500, the cost of providing Novel™ online curriculum (CROP) and textbooks to students assigned to the Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) program.

I. CITIZEN INPUT *(This provides citizens the opportunity to address the Board following the regular business meeting. It is requested that citizens keep their comments to approximately three (3) minutes.)*

- J. DISCUSSION ITEM**—Schedule a Policy Review Workshop Boyd

K. BOARD MEMBER/SUPERINTENDENT REQUESTS

L. ADJOURNMENT

Persons with disabilities who require assistance to participate in the meeting are requested to notify the Office of the Superintendent at (352) 955-7527 (Voice) or (800) 955-8771 (TDD) at least 48 hours in advance, so their needs can be accommodated.

**ALACHUA COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES
EMPLOYMENT OF INSTRUCTIONAL PERSONNEL**

October 18, 2005

Appointments

Appointee	Location	Assignment	Effective Date	Explanation
Eldred, Sherryl J.	Buchholz High	Social Studies	09/22/05	Appointment
Jung, Jessie M.	Chiles Elementary	Third Grade	09/26/05	Appointment

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Other Personnel Changes

Appointee	From	To	Effective Date	Explanation
Catalanotto, Sean F.	Teacher on Leave	Santa Fe High English	09/12/05	Return to Active Duty

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Resignations, Terminations, and Leaves

Appointee	Location	Assignment	Effective Date	Explanation
Dindial, Myrna R.	Rawlings Elementary	Fifth Grade	08/01/05	DROP
Feely, Myra M.	Buchholz High	Spanish	09/01/05	DROP
Holland, Regina T.	Mebane Middle	Math	07/01/05	DROP
Lavery, Linda P.	A. Quinn Jones	SED	10/01/05	DROP
Reynolds, Karla M.	Metcalf Elementary	Fourth Grade	11/01/05	DROP
Zucali, Jacqueline	Gainesville High	Science	08/01/05	DROP
Green, Billie R.	Buchholz High	BRT/Dean	08/26/05	Extension of DROP (08/31/06)
Nutt, Barbara G.	High Springs Community	PE	09/08/05	Extension of DROP (11/30/05)
Galyen, Kelley H.	Buchholz High	Science	09/15/05	Leave Maternity 09/15/05 – 12/30/05
Glover, Leslie A.	Waldo Community	Second Grade	10/14/05	Resignation
Liverman, Katherine M.	Williams Elementary	First Grade	10/06/05	Resignation
MacWilliams, Marcia L.	Howard Bishop Middle	Math	06/03/05	Resignation
Lindsley, Gwendolyn G.	Newberry Elementary	First Grade	10/31/05	Termination of DROP

**ALACHUA COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
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**October 18, 2005
Appointments**

Appointee	Location	Position	Effective Date	Explanation
Kirkland, Latoya	Kanapaha Middle	ESE Paraprofessional	8/30/05	Additional Unit
McClellan, Andrea	Gainesville High	ESE Paraprofessional	9/19/05	Additional Unit
Tait, Alicia	Norton Elementary	CRT Aide/Aide I	9/12/05	Additional Unit
Adkins, Catherine	Food Service	Food Service Manager Intern I	9/12/05	Appointment
Mader, Kristen	Idylwild Elementary	EDEP Aide	9/5/05	Appointment
Ransom, Misty	Bishop Middle	ESE Aide	9/13/05	Appointment
Williams, Carla	Family Progress Center	Head Start Assistant	9/19/05	Appointment
Valenzuela, Nilka	Foster Elementary	Paraprofessional I K-3	9/12/05	Reappointment
Bender, Laura	Buchholz High	Media Aide	9/12/05	Replacement
Blackmon, Tameka	Personnel	Clerical Assistant	9/6/05	Replacement
Bruckner, Misty	Newberry Elementary	Paraprofessional I K4-5	9/6/05	Replacement
Miller, Kim	Prairie View Academy	Guidance/Clerical Aide	9/19/05	Replacement
Starling, Ingrid	Lincoln Middle	Food Service Assistant I	9/2/05	Replacement

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Other Personnel Changes

Appointee	From	To	Effective Date	Explanation
Adams, Arkeisha	EDEP Center Aide/Littlewood Elementary	ESE Paraprofessional/Gainesville High	9/6/05	Promotion
Akridge, Mary	Administrative Secretary/Risk Management	Executive Assistant/Risk Management	9/12/05	Promotion
Asbell, Lamar	Equipment Operator/ Maintenance-Operations	Project Coordinator-Custodial/ Maintenance-Operations	9/16/05	Promotion
Ebbeling, James	HARV Technician/Maintenance-Operations	Project Coordinator/Planning & Construction	9/16/05	Promotion
Gardner, Judy	Food Service Manager Intern I/Food Service	Food Service Manager I/Food Service	9/8/05	Promotion
Hanson, Lorraine	Clerical Assistant/Personnel	System Support Specialist/Personnel	9/6/05	Promotion
Jean-Philippe, Boneur	Aide I/Norton Elementary	EDEP Activity Leader/Norton Elementary	8/15/05	Promotion
Kennedy, Sean	EDEP Center Aide/Irby Elementary	EDEP Activity Leader/Irby Elementary	9/16/05	Promotion
Reedy, Tamera	Senior Clerical Assistant/Eastside High	Executive Assistant/Eastside High	9/6/05	Promotion
Sheffield, Kevin	Electronics Technician/Planning & Construction	Maintenance Foreman/Maintenance-Operations	9/16/05	Promotion
Thomas, James	Clerical Assistant/Eastside High/Clerical Assistant	Records Specialist/Eastside High	8/3/05	Promotion
Villacorta-Saens, Irma	ESE Bus Attendant/Transportation	Bus Driver/Transportation	9/19/05	Promotion

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Other Personnel Changes (Continued)

Appointee	From	To	Effective Date	Explanation
Griffin, Felicia	Bus Driver/Transportation	Auto Service Worker/Transportation	9/15/05	Reclassification
Jacobi, Michael	Personnel Specialist/Personnel	Certification Analyst/Personnel	9/26/05	Reclassification
Norris, Karol	Graphic Production Specialist/Learning Resources	Data Base Clerk-Specialist/Planning & Construction	9/12/05	Reclassification
Robinson, Dexter	Unassigned Bus Driver/Transportation	Auto Service Worker/Transportation	9/15/05	Reclassification
Roebuck, Amy	ESE Paraprofessional/Lake Forest Elementary	Guidance-Clerical Aide/Lake Forest Elementary	9/6/05	Reclassification
Snyder, Susan	Food Service Manager I/Sidney Lanier Center	Food Service Assistant Manager/Food Service	8/12/05	Reclassification
Lee, Jejetta	Administrative Secretary/Personnel	Administrative Secretary/Curriculum	9/26/05	Relocation
Harding, Brenda	System Support Specialist/Personnel	System Support Specialist/Personnel	9/12/05	Return to Active Duty

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Appointee	Location	Position	Effective Date	Explanation
Jenkins, Rosemary	Transportation	Bus Driver	8/15/05	Leave: 8/15/05-1/6/06
Stidham, Etoile	Transportation	Bus Driver	8/15/05	Leave: 8/15/05-10/31/05
Stevic, Mary	Transportation	Unassigned Driver	9/1/05	Leave: 9/1/05-12/16/05
Davis, Eula	Ft. Clarke Middle	Food Service Assistant I	9/1/05	Leave: 9/1/05-2/1/06
Williams, Nakia	Metcalfe Elementary	ESE Paraprofessional	9/7/05	Leave: 9/7/05-9/13/05
Bilal, Hanan	Fearnside Center	Family Liaison Specialist	9/2/05	Resignation
Dicks, Carla	Irby Elementary	EDEP Coordinator	6/1/05	Resignation
Harrell, Joan	Terwilliger Elementary	ESE Aide	9/9/05	Resignation
Howland-Cook, Edan	Glen Springs Elementary	EDEP Activity Leader	9/30/05	Resignation
Johnson, Betsey	Duval Elementary	License Practical School Nurse Specialist II	6/1/05	Resignation
Lewis, Morgan	Westwood Middle	Food Service Assistant I	8/30/05	Resignation
Miles, Raymond	Transportation	Bus Driver	8/1/05	Resignation
Sams, Serbrina	Foster Elementary	Food Service Assistant I	9/30/05	Resignation
Walker, Carliss	Lake Forest Elementary	ESE Aide	9/16/05	Resignation
Flowers, Chalanda	Gainesville High	Food Service Assistant I	9/9/05	Termination
Hunt, Janet	Transportation	Bus Driver	8/12/05	Termination
Journey, Christina	Metcalfe Elementary	EDEP Activity Leader	6/1/05	Termination
Santos, Antonio	Idylwild Elementary	EDEP Center Aide	6/1/05	Termination
Seals, Dylan	Transportation	Bus Driver	6/1/05	Termination
Sledge, April	Williams Elementary	EDEP Activity Leader	6/1/05	Termination

BID OPENED 3:00 PM SEPTEMBER 16, 2005

**A. HAWTHORNE JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL
MARCHING BAND UNIFORMS**

**(BID #06-03)
Hawthorne High School**

(BAN Fund)

Bid establishes fixed unit prices for marching band uniforms and accessories (shakos, plumes, coats, trousers, capes, gloves, garment bags, and drum major uniforms) to be worn by members of the Hawthorne Jr./Sr. High School Marching Band.

4 Bids Solicited

3 Bids Received

Recommend award to Stanbury Uniform Company, the low responsive and responsible bidder meeting the requirements of the bid, for the firm fixed price of \$27,243.00.

- 1. TO: SOLARCOM**
FOR: ASA 520 Firewall and Catalyst 4500 Network Switch for school connectivity wide area network.
AMOUNT: \$25,241.35 (6A-1.012(5); State of Florida Contract #250-000-03-1)
FUNDS: 0100-9016; General Fund
REQUESTED BY: Information Resources
- 2. TO: DYNIX**
FOR: Annual software maintenance agreement for the District's automated central library software system
AMOUNT: \$39,764.56 (6A-1.012(7); Educational Software)
FUNDS: 0100-9075; General Fund
REQUESTED BY: Media Services
- 3. TO: INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE**
FOR: 1000 IB exams at \$95.00 each for District students, plus shipping and handling
AMOUNT: \$95,200.00 (6A-1.012(7); Tests)
FUNDS: 0100-9018; General Fund
REQUESTED BY: Testing Department

DISTRICT CONSULTANT SERVICES [School Board of Alachua County Policies, Ch. 7, Section 7.31(3)(d)]

CONSULTANT	DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES	TERM	DEPARTMENT	PURCHASE ORDER AMOUNT
John Salisbury	Chess Club Consultant - instruction for Talbot and J.J. Finley Elementary School gifted Students.	09/02/05-05/20/06	Curriculum	\$2,500.00
M. Diane Heaney	Reading Endorsement Component 5 Consultant – will meet with school participants four times at each site to observe, model, and coach.	09/27/05-11/23/05	Staff Development	\$4,000.00
Nancy Galloway	Reading Endorsement Component 5 Consultant – will meet with school participants four times at each site to observe, model, and coach.	09/27/05-11/23/05	Staff Development	\$4,000.00

PURCHASED PRODUCTS/SERVICES; \$12,500 TO \$24,999

<u>PO#</u>	<u>FUND</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>VENDOR NAME</u>	<u>PRODUCTS/SERVICES PURCHASED</u>	<u>DEPARTMENT</u>	<u>STATUS</u>
P101232	037K/037H ('04-05/'01-02 2 Mill)	\$21,130	Par Kut International	Modular security buildings for BHS	Facilities	Bid #06-17
P101245	0100 (General)	16,950	Cogent Systems, Inc.	Cogent CLS1 Lite-X Live Scan finger printing system	Personnel	Information Technology
P101337	0100 (General)	18,370	Thomson Petersons	Classroom textbooks for Eastside High School	Textbook Services	Educational Materials
P101994	0100 (General)	22,017.43	Almond Oil Company	Emergency purchase of diesel fuel for the Transportation Department fuel yard after being advised by FDOT of possible fuel shortages because of Hurricane Rita	Transportation	Emergency