

**HORRY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**MINUTES**

**SPECIAL CALLED MEETING**

**November 21, 2024  
St. James High School  
10800 Highway 707  
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576**

**Board of Education**

David Cox, Chair  
Neil James  
David Koch  
Debbie Edmonds  
Tracy Winters  
Janet Graham

Pam Dawson  
Melanie Wellons  
Wendy Hodges  
James Edwards\*  
Shanda Allen

*\*Mr. Edwards arrived at 1:35 PM.*

**As required by SC Law 30-4-80, local news media were informed of the date, time, place, and agenda of this meeting. Copies of the agenda were posted at the District Office and distributed to schools for posting.**

**1. OPENING - NOVEMBER 21, 2024 - 01:00 PM - CALL TO ORDER - AUDITORIUM**

Chairman Cox called the meeting to order at 1:02 PM.

**a. Invocation, Pledge of Allegiance - Ms. Dawson**

Ms. Dawson offered the invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**b. Approval of Agenda - Mr. Cox**

A motion was made to approve the November 21, 2024, agenda as presented.

**Moved By:** Ms. Allen

**Seconded By:** Mr. Koch

**Board Action: Carried Unanimously**

2. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

A motion was made to move into Executive Session at 1:05 PM.

- a. **Board Protocol for Candidate Interviews by BWP & Associates**
- b. **Presentation of Superintendent Candidates to the Board by BWP & Associates**

**Moved By:** Ms. Edmonds

**Seconded By:** Ms. Hodges

**Board Action: Carried Unanimously**

3. **RECONVENE OPEN SESSION**

A motion was made to reconvene the meeting at 4:13 PM. It should be noted that no votes were taken, and no decisions were made during the Executive Session.

**Moved By:** Mr. Edwards

**Seconded By:** Ms. Allen

**Board Action: Carried Unanimously**

4. **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 4:14 PM.

**Moved By:** Ms. Allen

**Seconded By:** Ms. Graham

**Board Action: Carried Unanimously**

Respectfully submitted,



Amanda Plyler

Executive Assistant to the Superintendent and Horry County Board of Education