

Requested Agenda Item for BOE Meeting

Item for Discussion: Consideration of Carolina Forest Area Advisory Board Reduction

Background legislation and policy:

Act 754, Acts and Joint Resolutions of the General Assembly of S.C., 1952, p. 1905 et seq., states, "The Horry County Board of Education may appoint advisory boards of trustees." The Horry County Board of Education shall determine the size of advisory boards. Each advisory board shall consist of a minimum of five members.

With the attendance line changes that will be implemented for the 2014-2015 school year, the Carolina Forest Attendance Area will be reduced to eight schools. This reduction is due to the loss of South Conway Elementary from the Carolina Forest Attendance Area. These eight schools are:

- 1 - Black Water Middle
- 2 - Carolina Forest High
- 3 - Carolina Forest Elementary
- 4- Ocean Bay Elementary
- 5- Ocean Bay Middle
- 6- Palmetto Bays Elementary
- 7- River Oaks Elementary
- 8 - Waccamaw Elementary

To keep the Advisory Board Membership equal to the number of schools in the attendance area, it is recommended that the Board decrease the size of the Carolina Forest Advisory Board from nine (9) members to eight (8) members.

Note* Advisory Board Member Appointments for 2014-2015 will be handled as a separate item of business.