

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF THE COUNTY OF ROANE**

**JANUARY 9, 2025
6:00 PM**

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[PLEASE NOTE: This meeting of the Roane County Board of Education will be held at 6:00 pm at Spencer Middle School, Spencer.]

Present: _____

Absent: _____

Meeting called to order by: _____ (_____ PM)

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Presentations

1. Positively Charged
2. Public Participation
3. Student Achievement: Attendance Matters

New Business for Consideration and Potential Action

1. 2025-26 School Calendar
2. Approval of bid from City Construction for security film portion of Safety and Security Improvements at Roane County High School and Spencer Middle School for \$385,700 and Alternative #1 for \$11,616 (SBA funded; total contract price \$397,316)
3. Updates on Continuing Business
 - a. FY24 Financials
 - b. Community Committee
 - c. Network and Communications Updates
 - d. Closeout Process for the new Spencer Middle School

Consent Agenda - (Action)

Motion by _____ and seconded by _____ to approve the following consent agenda, as recommended by Richard Duncan, Superintendent.

1. Approval of minutes of the regular board meeting on December 12, 2024
2. Finance
 - a. Transfers/supplements to the budget
 - b. Payments of bills as submitted; pre-approval to release checks not to exceed \$20,000 prior to the next board meeting
 - c. Financial Reports
3. Policies
 - a. Second Reading
 - i. Policy 524 - Transfers and Reductions-in-Force (revised)
4. Contract(s) / Bid(s) / Agreement(s)
5. Field Trips
6. Volunteers
7. Student Transfers

Personnel Consent Agenda - (Action)

Motion by _____ and seconded by _____ to approve the following personnel items as recommended by Richard Duncan, Superintendent.

1. Resignation(s)
2. New Employment(s)
 - a. Ward, Tye - Substitute bus operator (RCS - Substitutes), effective January 13, 2025
 - b. _____ - Elementary Alternative Education Teacher (RCS - Student Support (75%), Spencer Elementary (25%)), effective January 13, 2025

3. Transfer(s)

Withdrawn a.-----Parkins, Melinda - Therapist (RCS - Student Support Services) to Elementary Alternative Education Counselor (RCS - Student Support (75%), Spencer Elementary (25%)), effective January 13, 2025

Motion by _____ and seconded by _____ to approve the following personnel items as recommended by Michelle Stellato, Superintendent's designee.

1. Resignation(s)
 - a. Duncan, Sarah - Teacher / Art (Roane County High School), effective January 20, 2025

Reports of Committees

1. Roane Jackson Technical Center Administrative Council (12/17/2024)

Superintendent's Remarks

Adjournment

1. Adjourn until the next regular meeting, Thursday, January 23, 2025, at 6:00 pm at Spencer Middle School