



MEETING MINUTES

Vision

To prepare students for success as lifelong learners and responsible global citizens

Mission

To promote the academic, social and emotional growth of each student by fostering a safe, supportive and engaging learning environment



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REVISED 12.8.2025

Attendance

Mrs. Deirdre P. Pierce, Board Chair
Ms. Allyson Gevertz, Vice Chair
Mr. Andrew B. Ziffer
Ms. Whitney McGinniss
Tiffany Hogan, Ph.D.
Mr. Dijon DaCosta, Sr.
Mr. Awet Eyasu

Dr. Norman C. Sauce III, Interim Superintendent of Schools

A. CALL TO ORDER

The DeKalb County Board of Education held its Executive Session, Work Session, Community Input Session and Business Meeting on Monday, December 8, 2025, in the J. David Williamson Board Room, at the DeKalb County School District's Robert R. Freeman Administrative Instructional Complex, located at 1701 Mountain Industrial Boulevard, Stone Mountain, Georgia, 30083.

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce, Board Chair, convened the meeting at 11:34 am.

1. Roster

Mrs. Pierce, Board Chair, noted the following were in attendance: Ms. Allyson Gevertz, Mr. Andrew B. Ziffer, Tiffany Hogan, Ph.D., Mr. Dijon DaCosta, Sr., Mr. Awet Eyasu and Interim Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Norman C. Sauce III.

Board Member, Ms. Whitney McGinniss attended the meeting virtually.

Also in attendance were General Counsel Attorney, Ms. Melanie Slaton and Executive Director of Board Operations, Ms. Carolyn Lloyd.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Mrs. Pierce led the pledge of allegiance.

B. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Mrs. Pierce requested to adopt the December 8, 2025, agenda with the following items moved to the consent agenda.

F.2.a. Approval of Minutes

F.3.a.ii. Contract ~ Cooperative Agreement ~ The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS) RFP#240501 ~ General Contractor Services ~ DH Pace Company, Inc ~ Maintenance, Repair and Operations of Facilities and Grounds ~ Supplies, Equipment, Tool Rental, Sales and Services (Not to Exceed \$2,000,000)

F.3.c.i. Service Agreements ~ Independent Contractor Agreements (ICAs) ~ Various Services ~ CS Truck & Trailer Repair Services, Inc., ProLogic ITS, LLC, Center for Testing and Engineering, W. W. Williams Company, LLC (Collectively Not to Exceed \$290,000)

F.3.c.ii. FY 25 Transportation Department School Bus Purchase Approval (Not to Exceed \$18,750,000)

F.6.b. Approval of Go Solutions Agreement for Medicaid Reimbursement (Base Price of \$89,375.04)

F.6.c. Renewal (4 of 4) for Temporary Staffing Services (RFQ 22-534) to 22nd Century Technologies, Inc., Abacus Corporation, COGENT Infotech Corporation, Corporate Temps, Inc., Howroyd-Wright Employment Agencies, Inc. dba AppleOne Employment Services, Robert Half, Tryfacta, Inc., US Tech Solutions, Inc. (Not to Exceed \$500,000)

F.8.a. Mental Health Services by Cartwheel (State Grant ~ Not to Exceed \$900,000)

F.11.a. Approval to Purchase Furniture, Equipment, and Supplies for 102 (Pre-Kindergarten-4) Classes through TIPS Cooperative Agreements with Becker's School Supplies, Kaplan Early Learning Company, Lakeshore Learning Materials LLC, and Really Good Stuff LLC, and OMNIA Partners Agreement with School Specialty Using Bright From The Start (BFTS) Pre-K4 Grant

Classroom Refurbishment Funds (Not to Exceed \$1,530,000) No Financial Impact to the District's General Operating Budget

Additionally, agenda item E.3.b.i. Renewal 2 of 4 RFP 24-556 District Wide Moving Services ~ Atlanta Cargo Transportation Co., Atlanta Peach Movers, Beltmann Relocation Group, ACS Lines Services Inc., The Armstrong Group, for a term through December 11, 2026 (Not to Exceed \$800,000) was removed from the agenda.

With no objections, the December 8, 2025, agenda was approved.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

C. RECOGNITIONS

1. Introduction of Student Board Representative ~ Miss Sari Bill, Dunwoody High School, 11th Grade

Dr. Norman C. Sauce III, Interim Superintendent of Schools, introduced the Student Board Representative, Miss Sari Bill, of Dunwoody High School 11th Grade.

2. Recognitions/Proclamations

a. Proclamation: International Science and Engineering Fair

Presented by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz, Vice-Chair

b. Recognition: Early Admissions to Morehouse College ~ Added 12.5.2025

Presented by: Dr. Norman C. Sauce III, Interim Superintendent of Schools

3. Group/External Presentation(s) ~ No Group Presentation This Month

D. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE and INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS REPORT

1. Committee of the Whole Presentation ~ No Presentation This Month

2. Interim Superintendent of Schools Report

a. Student Assignment Project ~ Updated 12.8.2025

Presented by: Ms. Sarita Smith, Executive Director of Student Assignment, Division of Access & Opportunity

b. Strategic Plan Update ~ Goal Area #4: Culture & Climate ~ Updated 12.8.2025

Presented by: Mrs. Bridgette Allen, Area Superintendent of Middle Schools, Division of Schools & Leadership

c. SY25 CCRPI Results Presentation ~ Updated 12.8.2025

Presented by: Dr. Rebecca Braaten, Director of Research, Data & Evaluation, Division of Accountability & Research,
Mrs. Bridgette Allen, Area Superintendent of Middle Schools, Division of Schools & Leadership,
Dr. Penny Mosley, Interim Chief of Curriculum & Instruction, Division of Curriculum & Instruction,
Mrs. Kiana King, Interim Chief of Student Services, Division of Student Services.

d. Elementary Athletics Overview Presentation ~ Updated 12.8.2025

Presented by: Triscilla Weaver, Ph.D., Chief of Access & Opportunity, Division of Access & Opportunity

E. ADJOURN TO AN EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 2:25 pm, Mrs. Pierce called for a motion to adjourn the December 8, 2025, board meeting to an executive session for the purpose of discussing permitted matters regarding land, legal, litigation, personnel and student appeals.

Motion made by: Mr. Awet Eyasu
Motion seconded by: Tiffany Hogan Ph.D.
Voting:
Unanimously Approved

Vote: 7/0, meeting adjourned to an executive session.

1. ADJOURN THE EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 4:10 pm, Mrs. Pierce called for a motion to adjourn the December 8, 2025, executive session to convene the work session.

Motion made by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz
Motion seconded by: Mr. Awet Eyasu
Voting:
Mr. Dijon DaCosta, Sr. - Yes
Ms. Allyson Gevertz - Yes
Mr. Awet Eyasu - Yes
Tiffany Hogan Ph.D. - Yes
Ms. Whitney McGinniss - Not Present
Mrs. Deirdre Pierce - Yes
Mr. Andrew Ziffer - Yes

F. REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS FOR THE December 8, 2025 BUSINESS MEETING

1. BOARD OF EDUCATION ~ Updated 12.5.2025

06.01.

a. Establishment of Dates & Times of DeKalb Board of Education Meetings for February 2026 ~ January 2027

06.01.a.

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce requested that the DeKalb Board of Education approve the official meeting schedule for February 2026 through January 2027.

Ms. McGinniss objected to this item. It was removed from the consent agenda and was voted on separately as an Action Item.

Action Item vote results listed below:

Motion made by: Mr. Awet Eyasu

Motion seconded by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz

Voting:

Mr. Dijon DaCosta, Sr. - Yes

Ms. Allyson Gevertz - Yes

Mr. Awet Eyasu - Yes

Tiffany Hogan Ph.D. - Yes

Ms. Whitney McGinniss - No

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce - Yes

Mr. Andrew Ziffer - Yes

Action Item Vote: 6/1

Opposed by Ms. McGinniss

b. Recommendation to Name the Future Additional Seating and Press Box at Dunwoody High School as Seacrest Stadium

06.01.b.

Mr. Andrew B. Ziffer requested that the Board of Education approve the recommendation to name the future Additional Seating and Press Box at Dunwoody High School as "Seacrest Stadium" effective upon opening.

Tiffany Hogan, Ph.D., and Mr. DaCosta, both objected to this item. It was removed from the consent agenda and was voted on separately as an Action Item.

Action Item vote results listed below:

Motion made by: Mr. Andrew Ziffer

Motion seconded by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz

Voting:

Mr. Dijon DaCosta, Sr. - No

Ms. Allyson Gevertz - Yes

Mr. Awet Eyasu - Yes

Tiffany Hogan Ph.D. - No

Ms. Whitney McGinniss - Yes

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce - Yes

Mr. Andrew Ziffer - Yes

c. Creation of an Ad Hoc Review Committee to Review Candidates for RFP 26-718 ~ Board Attorney Legal Services ~ Added 12.4.2025

06.01.c.

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce requested that the Board of Education create an Ad Hoc Review Committee to review the candidates for RFP 26-718 ~ Board Attorney Legal Services.

Mrs. Pierce selected Mr. Eyasu, Hogan Ph.D., and Ms. McGinniss to serve on the Ad Hoc Review Committee. Mr. Eyasu will serve as the Committee Chair.

With no objections, this item moved to the consent agenda.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

2. INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

06.02.

a. Approval of Minutes

06.02.a.

Mrs. Pierce requested that the Board of Education approve the minutes of the following meetings: November 10, 2025, board meeting, which includes the executive session, work session, community input session and business meeting, and the November 13–November 14, 2025 2-day board retreat & executive session.

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

3. OPERATIONS

06.03.

a. Facilities Management

06.03.a.

i. Contract ~ Cooperative Agreement ~ OMNIA Partners #R2416 ~ Job Order Contracting Services (JOC) ~ ABM Industries, Inc., Brown & Root Industrial Services, LLC, F.H. Paschen, S.N. Nielsen & Assoc., LLC (Not to Exceed \$8,000,000)

06.03.a.i.

Mr. Erick Hofstetter, Chief Operating Officer, Division of Operations, requested that the DeKalb County Board of Education (the Board) approve DeKalb County School District (“DCSD”) use of the OMNIA Partners Cooperative Agreement – Contract #R24-16 – Job Order Contracting (JOC) Services to provide services for repairs, alterations, and minor construction projects on an as-needed basis for an amount not to exceed \$8,000,000 to the following vendors:

- ABM Industries Inc.,
- Brown & Root Industrial Services LLC
- F.H. Paschen, S.N. Nielsen & Associates LLC

Mr. DaCosta, Sr. objected to this item. It was removed from the consent agenda and was voted on separately as an Action Item.

Action Item vote results listed below:

Motion made by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz

Motion seconded by: Mr. Andrew Ziffer

Voting:

Mr. Dijon DaCosta, Sr. - Abstain

Ms. Allyson Gevertz - Yes

Mr. Awet Eyasu - Yes

Tiffany Hogan Ph.D. - Yes

Ms. Whitney McGinniss - Yes

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce - Yes

Mr. Andrew Ziffer - Yes

Action Item Vote: 6/0/1

Abstention by Mr. DaCosta, Sr.

ii. Contract ~ Cooperative Agreement ~ The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS) RFP#240501 ~ General Contractor Services ~ DH Pace Company, Inc ~ Maintenance, Repair and Operations of Facilities and Grounds ~ Supplies, Equipment, Tool Rental, Sales and Services (Not to Exceed \$2,000,000)

06.03.a.ii.

Mr. Erick Hofstetter, Chief Operating Officer, Division of Operations, requested that the DeKalb County Board of Education (“the Board) approve DeKalb County School District (“DCSD”) use of the Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS) RFP #240501- Cooperative Agreement (Maintenance, Repair, and Operations – “MRO”) between DeKalb County School District (“DCSD”) and DH Pace Company, Inc., as provider of General Contractor Services including installation of Locks, Keys and Garage Roll-up doors, related equipment, materials, and supplies and supplemental services districtwide for a not to exceed amount of \$2,000,000.

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

b. Business Services ~ Updated 12.8.2025

06.03.b.

i. Renewal 2 of 4 RFP 24-556 District Wide Moving Services ~ Atlanta Cargo

Transportation Co., Atlanta Peach Movers, Beltmann Relocation Group, AVS Lines Services Inc., The Armstrong Group, for a term through December 11, 2026 (Not to Exceed \$800,000) ~ REMOVED FROM AGENDA 12.8.2025

This item was removed from the December 8, 2025, board meeting agenda at the top of the meeting.

c. Fleet and Transportation Services

06.03.c.

i. Service Agreements ~ Independent Contractor Agreements (ICAs) ~ Various Services ~ CS Truck & Trailer Repair Services, Inc., ProLogic ITS, LLC, Center for Testing and Engineering, W. W. Williams Company, LLC (Collectively Not to Exceed \$290,000) ~ Updated 12.1.2025

06.03.c.i.

Mr. Erick Hofstetter, Chief Operating Officer, Division of Operations, requested that the DeKalb County Board of Education (“the Board”) approve the following Independent Contractor Agreements (ICAs) with a total contract value amount not-to-exceed \$290,000.

- CS Truck & Trailer Repair Services, Inc (\$60,000)
- ProLogic ITS, LLC (\$70,000)
- Center for Testing and Engineering (\$80,000)
- W. W. Williams Company, LLC (\$80,000)

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

ii. FY 25 Transportation Department School Bus Purchase Approval (Not to Exceed \$18,750,000) ~ Updated 12.3.2025

06.03.c.ii.

Mr. Erick Hofstetter, Chief Operating Officer, Division of Operations, requested that the Board of Education approve the purchase of (50) 2026 Blue Bird/Vision 72 Passenger Electric School Buses from **Yancey Bus Sales and Service** through the Georgia Statewide Contract SWC number: 99999-SPD-SWL20200630-0001 for \$18,750,000.

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

d. E-SPLOST Projects / Capital Improvement Projects

06.03.d.

i. Modernization of Druid Hills High School (Not to Exceed \$185,000,000) ~ Updated 12.5.2025

06.03.d.i.

Mr. Erick Hofstetter, Chief Operating Officer, Division of Operations, requested that the DeKalb County Board of Education reaffirm its commitment to modernizing Druid Hills High School on its current Haygood Drive Campus, preserving the historic core building while undertaking complete modernization of other structures and authorizing the Interim Superintendent to proceed with final planning, design development, procurement, and construction activities necessary for the modernization project – up to 1,600 total seats for the modernized school – at a cost of Construction Estimated at Completion at \$185,000,000.

Mr. DaCosta, Sr. objected to this item. It was removed from the consent agenda and was voted on separately as an Action Item.

Action Item vote listed below:

Motion made by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz

Motion seconded by: Mr. Awet Eyasu

Voting:

Mr. Dijon DaCosta, Sr. - No

Ms. Allyson Gevertz - Yes

Mr. Awet Eyasu - Yes

Tiffany Hogan Ph.D. - No

Ms. Whitney McGinniss - Yes

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce - Yes

Mr. Andrew Ziffer - Yes

Action Item Vote: 5/2

Opposed by Hogan, Ph.D., and Mr. DaCosta, Sr.

4. INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY ~ No Agenda Items This Month

06.04.

No Agenda Item This Month

5. CHIEF OF STAFF ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.05.

No Agenda Item This Month

6. FINANCE

06.06.

a. School Nutrition Services ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.06.a.

No Agenda Item This Month

b. Approval of Go Solutions Agreement for Medicaid Reimbursement (Base Price of \$89,375.04)

06.06.b.

Mr. Byron Schueneman, Chief Financial Officer, Division of Finance requested that the Board of Education approve the agreement with **Assetworks Risk Management Inc. dba Go Solutions** for a base amount of **\$89,375.04**.

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

c. Renewal (4 of 4) for Temporary Staffing Services (RFQ 22-534) to 22nd Century Technologies, Inc., Abacus Corporation, COGENT Infotech Corporation, Corporate Temps, Inc., Howroyd-Wright Employment Agencies, Inc. dba AppleOne Employment Services, Robert Half, Tryfacta, Inc., US Tech Solutions, Inc. (Not to Exceed \$500,000)

06.06.c.

Mr. Byron Schueneman, Chief Financial Officer, Division of Finance requested that the Board of Education approve the renewal of **RFQ 22-534 to 22nd Century Technologies, Inc., Abacus Corporation, COGENT Infotech Corporation, Corporate Temps, Inc., Howroyd-Wright Employment Agencies, Inc. dba AppleOne Employment Services, Robert Half, Tryfacta, Inc., US Tech Solutions, Inc.** to provide temporary staffing services on an as-needed basis for the DCSD Finance Department for a period of one year effective from **December 17, 2025** through **December 16, 2026** for an amount not to exceed **\$500,000**.

This is the fourth renewal option of four.

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

d. Acceptance of the October 2025 Monthly Financial Report ~ Updated 12.4.2025

06.06.d.

Mr. Byron Schueneman, Chief Financial Officer, Division of Finance requested that the Board of Education accept the October 2025 Monthly Financial Report.

This item will be moved to the consent agenda.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

7. HUMAN RESOURCES ~ Updated 12.1.2025

06.07.

a. Approval of the Human Resources Monthly Report for December 2025 ~ Updated 12.2.2025

06.07.a.

Mrs. Tasha Davis Mills, Chief Human Resources Officer, Division of Human Resources requested that the Board of Education approve the December Human Resources Report.

This item will be moved to the consent agenda.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

8. SCHOOLS & LEADERSHIP

06.08.

a. Mental Health Services by Cartwheel (State Grant ~ Not to Exceed \$900,000) ~ Updated. 12.2.2025

06.08.a.

Mrs. Bridgette Allen, Area Superintendent of Middle Schools, Division of Schools & Leadership requested that the Board of Education approve the use of Cartwheel as an approved vendor to provide Mental Health Services for staff and students in DCSD.

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

9. CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.09.

No Agenda Item This Month

10. WRAP AROUND SERVICES ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.10.

No Agenda Item This Month

11. STUDENT SERVICES

06.11.

a. Approval to Purchase Furniture, Equipment, and Supplies for 102 (Pre-Kindergarten-4) Classes through TIPS Cooperative Agreements with Becker's School Supplies, Kaplan Early

Learning Company, Lakeshore Learning Materials LLC, and Really Good Stuff LLC, and OMNIA Partners Agreement with School Specialty Using Bright From The Start (BFTS) Pre-K4 Grant Classroom Refurbishment Funds (Not to Exceed \$1,530,000) No Financial Impact to the District's General Operating Budget

06.11.a.

Mrs. Kiana King, Interim Chief of Student Services, Division of Student Services requested that the Board of Education authorize the District to purchase furniture, equipment, and supplies for (102) Pre-Kindergarten (Pre-K-4) classrooms that existed prior to 2010 from the following vendors in accordance with The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS) and OMNIA Partners in an amount not to exceed **\$1,530,000**.

- **Becker's School Supplies** (TIPS Contract Number 250802 through October 31, 2030)
- **Kaplan Early Learning Company** (TIPS Contract Number 230301 through May 31, 2028 and Contract Number 250802 through October 31, 2030)
- **Lakeshore Learning Materials LLC** (TIPS Contract Number 230301 through May 31, 2028 and Contract Number 240804 through October 31, 2029)
- **Really Good Stuff LLC** (TIPS Contract Number 240804 through October 31, 2029 and Contract Number 220303 through May 31, 2027)
- **School Specialty** (OMNIA Partners Contract Number R230305)

This item was unanimously approved to go on the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

12. ACCESS & OPPORTUNITY ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.12.

No Agenda Item This Month

a. Athletics ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.12.a.

No Agenda Item This Month

13. ACCOUNTABILITY & RESEARCH ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.13.

No Agenda Item This Month

14. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & INNOVATIVE PARTNERSHIPS ~ No Agenda Items This Month

06.14.

No Agenda Item This Month

a. DONATIONS / GRANTS ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.14.a.

No Agenda Item This Month

15. LEGAL SERVICES ~ No Agenda Items This Month

06.15.

No Agenda Item This Month

a. RISK MANAGEMENT ~ No Agenda Item This Month

06.15.a.

No Agenda Item This Month

G. AMENDMENT TO THE BYLAWS & POLICIES ~ No Agenda Items This Month

No Agenda Item This Month

H. INFORMATION ITEMS

1. Capital Improvement & Facilities Update ~ Updated 12.8.2025

Mr. Erick Hofstetter, Chief Operating Officer, Division of Operations

I. CONVENE THE BUSINESS MEETING

Mrs. Deirdre Pierce called for a motion to convene the December 8, 2025 business meeting.

Motion made by: Mr. Andrew Ziffer

Motion seconded by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

Vote: 7/0, motion passed.

J. CONVENE THE COMMUNITY INPUT SESSION ~ 5:45pm ~ Updated 12.8.2025

The Community Input Session began at 5:45 pm.

***Speakers**

1. Alan Squatrito
2. Daniel Sobczak
3. Kimberly Purefoy
4. Adam Francois Watkins
5. Monique Woodson
6. Sundra Burdette
7. Roger Gay
8. Bryan Jordin
9. Steve Fortenberry
10. Montez Swinney
11. Seema Blosfeld

12. Sonya Allicock
13. Deborah Jones
14. Jarezy Moctezuma
15. Paul McLennan
16. Sumter Alton ~ Mr. Alton was unable to attend the meeting and appointed Jonathan Perez Campos to speak on his behalf
17. Maryam Ahmad
18. Camila Chiquiza
19. Miguel Cano
20. Nadia Behizadeh

K. CONSENT AGENDA

Items listed here as 1-8 were added to the consent agenda at the top of the meeting.

Additional items listed as 9-11 were added to the consent agenda after they were presented.

Motion made by: Mr. Andrew Ziffer

Motion seconded by: Ms. Allyson Gevertz

Voting:

Unanimously Approved

1. Approval of Minutes

E.2.a.

This item was unanimously moved to the consent agenda at the top of the December 8, 2025, board meeting.

2. Contract ~ Cooperative Agreement ~ The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS) RFP#240501 ~ General Contractor Services ~ DH Pace Company, Inc ~ Maintenance, Repair and Operations of Facilities and Grounds ~ Supplies, Equipment, Tool Rental, Sales and Services (Not to Exceed \$2,000,000)

E.3.a.ii.

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3. Service Agreements ~ Independent Contractor Agreements (ICAs) ~ Various Services ~ CS Truck & Trailer Repair Services, Inc., ProLogic ITS, LLC, Center for Testing and Engineering, W. Williams Company, LLC (Collectively Not to Exceed \$290,000) ~ Updated 12.1.2025

E.3.c.i.

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4. FY 25 Transportation Department School Bus Purchase Approval (Not to Exceed \$18,750,000) ~ Updated 12.3.2025

E.3.c.ii.

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E.6.b.

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E.6.c.

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E.8.a.

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E.11.a.

This item was unanimously moved to the consent agenda at the top of the December 8, 2025, board meeting.

9. Creation of an Ad Hoc Review Committee to Review Candidates for RFP 26-718 ~ Board Attorney Legal Services ~ Added 12.4.2025

10. Acceptance of the October 2025 Monthly Financial Report ~ Updated 12.4.2025

11. Approval of the Human Resources Monthly Report for December 2025 ~ Updated 12.2.2025

L. ACTION ITEM(S)

1. APPROVAL OF AN ITEM(S) FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

No Agenda Item This Month

2. APPROVAL OF AN AGENDA ITEM(S) PULLED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA

Mrs. Pierce called for individual motions to approve the Action Items which were NOT placed on the consent agenda.

Refer to the following agenda items for the Action Item vote results:

F.1.a. Establishment of Dates & Times of DeKalb Board of Education Meetings for February 2026–January 2027

F.1.b. Recommendation to Name the Future Additional Seating and Press Box at Dunwoody HS as Seacrest Stadium

F.3.a.i. Contract ~ Cooperative Agreement ~ OMNIA Partners #R2416 ~ Job Order Contracting Services (JOC) ~ ABM Industries, Inc., Brown & Root Industrial Services, LLC, F.H. Paschen, S.N. Nielsen & Assoc.,

F.3.d.i. Modernization of Druid Hills HS

M. ADJOURN

With no objections, Mrs. Pierce adjourned the December 8, 2025 work session and business meeting at 6:55 pm.

APPROVED January 12, 2026