The Parish School Board of the Parish of West Carroll, State of Louisiana, met in a public meeting at its regular meeting place, the West Carroll Parish Media Auditorium, in Oak Grove, Louisiana, Monday, March 14, 2022 at 6:30 P.M.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** James C. Burrell, Marilyn Haley, Tracey Rios, Julie Linson, Cullen Kovac, and Todd Smith

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Shane Ray

The regular meeting of the West Carroll Parish School Board was called to order by President Marilyn Haley at 6:30 p.m.

Julie Linson gave the Invocation

**Agenda Item #1** To approve the minutes of the February 7, 2022, Regular Board Meeting.

On the motion of Todd Smith, seconded by James C. Burrell, the Board approved agenda item #1. The motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #2** To approve the minutes of the February 7, 2022, Finance Committee Meeting.

On the motion of Tracey Rios, seconded by Julie Linson, the Board approved agenda item #2. The motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #3** To recognize David Carr as the West Carroll Parish School Board's 2021-2022 Bus Driver of the Year (presented by Property Casualty Alliance of Louisiana).

Mr. David Carr was presented with certificate and various gifts.

Agenda Item #4 To observe a moment of silence in honor of Mr. John Mercer, WCPSB superintendent from 1989-1994, and Mrs. Kathy McAllister, WCPSB member from 1995-2014.

**Agenda Item #5** To receive and approve January 2022 financial report. On the motion of Cullen Kovac, seconded by James C. Burrell, **the Board approved agenda item #5. The motion passed unanimously.** 

**Agenda Item #6** To receive the 2020-2021 audit report from Amy Tynes of Allen, Green, and Williamson, LLP.

On the motion of Cullen Kovac, seconded by Julie Linson, the Board approved agenda item #6. The motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #7** To take from the table the option to consider increasing the compensation for school board members elected in December of 2022

On the motion of Cullen Kovac, seconded by Tracey Rios, the board approved agenda item #7. The motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #7a** To approve an increase in compensation for school board members elected in December of 2022.

On the motion of Todd Smith, seconded by Cullen Kovac, the board declined the motion to increase board compensation. The motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #8** To approve revised job descriptions for 1)Grants Manager and Sales Tax Supervisor, and 2)Cafeteria Technician.

On the motion of Tracey Rios, seconded by Todd Smith, the board approved agenda item #8. The motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #9** To approve extension of the WCPSB SRO agreement to the Oak Grove Police Department.

On the motion of Cullen Kovac, seconded by Todd Smith, the Board approved agenda item #9. The motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #10** To receive information about West Carroll Parish School Board's proposed 3-year old program.

Item discussed. No action taken.

**Agenda Item #11** To receive information about the Request for Proposals for the independent audit services which will be performed at the end of the 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 fiscal years.

Item discussed. No action taken.

**Agenda Item #12** To receive information concerning contracts and leaves.

- a. Contracts—Trey Allen, Corey Boyte, Sharon Ward;
- b. Retirements—Theresa Brantley, Gracie Byrden, Mary Carroll, Debbie Cox, and Susan Sims.

On the motion of Cullen Kovac, seconded by Tracey Rios, the meeting adjourned at 8:15 P.M.

Marilyn Haley, President
West Carroll Parish School Board

Christy Boyte, Secretary
West Carroll Parish School Board