A special meeting of the Washington School Board was held on Thursday, September 25, 2025 via Zoom video conference.

The meeting was called to order at 12:03 pm by President Sparks-Gatling.

## **Roll Call:**

Members Present: Mrs. Rhonda Barnes Mrs. Pamela Kilgore

Mr. Eric Bird Mrs. Amy Roberts

Mrs. Jennifer Ewing Mrs. Tara Sparks-Gatling

Mr. Rodney Jones

Absent: Mr. John Campbell, Sr. and Mrs. Kimberly Kelley

Non-Voting Member Present: Mrs. Alisa King, Superintendent

Present: Mr. Robert Mihelcic, Assistant to the Superintendent

Mrs. Emily DiNardo, Business Manager

Mr. Ira Weiss, Solicitor

Lisa Coffield, Board Secretary

President Welcomes Visitors: Mrs. Sparks-Gatling extended a welcome to the public and stated the following, "In accordance with Washington School District Policy No. 005 entitled "Public Participation at Meetings", this public participation session shall not exceed 20 minutes. Any individual resident may make comments not to exceed three minutes. Any resident who wishes to address the Board should have submitted to the President of the Board or to the Board's Secretary a written statement including their name and address, the name of the group the speaker is representing, if any, and the general nature of the topic and comments to be made. Any resident who has not submitted a written request shall have the right to speak, time permitting by raising his or her hand so that they may be recognized. No one having any desire to speak, the meeting continued.

Questions on the Agenda: The Board reviewed the agenda.

**Agenda:** Mrs. Ewing moved and Mr. Jones seconded that the agenda be approved.

Motion carried unanimously.

**Personnel:** Mrs. Barnes moved and Mr. Bird seconded that the Board approve the following:

- -Retirement of **Sandra Crumrine** as a full-time paraprofessional, after 4 years of service in the district. Mrs. Crumrine's last day of work will be October 17, 2025.
- -Discharge **Employee #2128**, full-time paraprofessional. Employee's last day of work was September 22, 2025. (Employee was in their 45-day probationary period.)
- -Recommend **Angelina King** as an elementary special education teacher, bachelor's degree, step 1, \$48,885, effective upon release from her previous employer, in accordance with the collective bargaining agreement and receipt of required employment documents. (*This is an added special ed position.*)

Motion carried unanimously.

<u>Contracts, Agreements and Grants</u>: Mrs. Roberts moved and Mrs. Ewing seconded that the Board approve the following:

Agreement with ProCare Therapy to provide SLP services to the District, for a period of one year. Motion carried unanimously.

**Adjournment:** Mrs. Ewing moved and Mr. Jones seconded that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried unanimously. 12:07 pm.

/s/ Lisa Coffield
Lisa Coffield, Board Secretary