PROCEEDINGS OF THE TERREBONNE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD

November 1, 2016

The Terrebonne Parish School Board met today at 6:00 P.M. in regular session at its regular meeting place, the Terrebonne Parish School Board Office, 201 Stadium Drive, Houma, Louisiana, with Mr. Roger Dale DeHart, president, presiding, and the following members present: Mr. L. P. Bordelon, III, vice president, Mr. Richard Jackson, Dr. Brenda Leroux Babin, and Mr. Donald Duplantis.

ABSENT: Mr. Roosevelt Thomas, Mr. Gregory Harding, Mrs. Debi Benoit, and Ms. Vicki Bonvillain

Mr. Jackson led the Board and audience in the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

A moment of silence was observed in memory of Julia Moore Gasery (Mr. Roosevelt Thomas' sister); David Trahan, Jr., student at H. L. Bourgeois High School, and Karen Dupre, teacher at Houma Junior High School, who recently passed away.

Motion of Mr. Duplantis, seconded by Mr. Jackson, unanimously carried, the Board approved the minutes of School Board Meeting of October 18, 2016, as recorded.

Several announcements were made by President DeHart relative to upcoming meetings.

The following report of the Finance, Insurance, and Section 16 Lands Committee meeting was presented to the Board with Mr. Duplantis, chairman, presiding:

Dear Members of the Board:

The FINANCE, INSURANCE, and SECTION 16 LANDS COMMITTEE met at 5:00 P.M. on Monday, October 17, 2016, in the Board Room of the School Board Office, with the following members present: Mr. Donald Duplantis, chairman, and Mr. Roosevelt Thomas, vice chairman. Dr. Brenda Leroux Babin was absent. Also in attendance were Mr. L. P. Bordelon, III, Board vice president, Superintendent Philip Martin, and members of the staff.

Chairman Duplantis called the meeting to order. The meeting began with the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Mrs. Rebecca Breaux, Chief Financial Officer, presented the 2016-2017 revised budget for the General Operating Fund (attached).

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 1

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 revised budget for the General Operating Fund:

General Operating Fund Revised Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year October 2016 2

REVEITOES	
Local Revenues	\$ 17,520,327
State Revenues	90,021,579
Total Revenues	\$107,541,906
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Expenditures	
Instructional	\$ 76,248,548
Instructional Support Services	48,285,776
Operation of Non-Instructional Services	1,034,394
Debt Service	0
Total Expenditures	\$125,568,718
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Other Financing Sources (Uses)	
Other Sources of Funds	\$ 17,405,557
Other Uses of Funds	(2,131,814)
Total Other Sources (Uses)	\$ 15,273,743
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Net Change in Fund Balance	(2,753,069)
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Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 11,521,351
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Ending Fund Balance	
Committed - Artificial Turf	\$ 200,000
Unassigned	<u>8,568,282</u>
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Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 revised budget for the Child Nutrition Program Fund (attached).

\$ 8,768,282

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 2

Total Ending Fund Balance

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 revised budget for the Child Nutrition Program Fund:

Child Nutrition Program Fund Revised Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year October 2016

Revenues

Local Sources State Sources Federal Sources Total Revenues	\$ 687,255 145,314 <u>8,821,567</u> \$ 9,654,136
Expenditures	
Salaries	\$ 2,711,867
Employee Benefits	2,003,318
Purchased Services	700,652
Supplies	4,551,625
Property	298,938

Total Expenditures	\$10,266,400
Other Financing Sources Other Sources of Funds Total Other Sources (Uses)	\$ 377,552 \$ 377,552
Net Change in Fund Balance	(234,712)
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 1,012,616
Ending Fund Balance Non-spendable Assigned Total Ending Fund Balance	\$ 631,021 146,883 \$ 777,904

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 revised budget for the One Cent Sales Tax Fund (attached).

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 3

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 revised budget for the One Cent Sales Tax Fund:

One Cent Sales Tax Fund (1996) Revised Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year October 2016

Revenues	
Local - Sales Tax	\$20,223,573
- Interest	45,000
Total Revenues	\$20,268,573
Expenditures	
Compensation & Benefits	\$15,793,198
Technology	1,196,046
Capital & Building Improvements	416,060
Debt Service	<u>687,276</u>
Total Expenditures	\$18,092,580
Other Financing Sources (Uses)	
Other Sources of Funds	\$ 0
Other Uses of Funds	(3,545,467)
Total Other Sources (Uses)	(3,545,467)
Net Change in Fund Balance	(1,369,474)
Fund Balance	
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 6,683,414

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Ending Fund Balance

Restricted

Salaries & Benefits\$ 4,021,841Technology/Construction\$ 1,292,099Total Ending Fund Balance\$ 5,313,940

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 revised budget for the $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent Sales Tax Fund (attached).

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 4

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 revised budget for the ½ Cent Sales Tax Fund:

1/2 Cent Sales Tax Fund (2014) Revised Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year October 2016

Rev	enu	es
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Local - Sales Tax	\$ 9,932,207
- Interest	18,000
Total Revenues	\$ 9,950,207
Expenditures	
Salaries	\$ 7,371,221
Employee Benefits	2,074,312
Purchased Services	105,700
Total Expenditures	\$ 9,551,233
Other Financing Sources (Uses)	
Other Sources of Funds	\$ 0
Other Uses of Funds	(2,000,000)
Total Other Sources (Uses)	(2,000,000)
Net Change in Fund Balance	(1,601,026)
Fund Balance	
Beginning Fund Balance	\$ 4,180,287
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Ending Fund Balance	
Restricted	
Salaries & Benefits	<u>\$ 2,579,261</u>

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 revised budget for the $^{3}\!\!/_{2}$ Cent Sales Tax Fund (attached).

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 5

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 revised budget for the ³/₄ Cent Sales Tax Fund:

3/4 Cent Sales Tax Fund (1976) Revised Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year October 2016

Revenues	
Local - Sales Tax	\$ 15,167,681
- Interest	<u>48,000</u>
Total Revenues	\$ 15,215,681
Expenditures	
Purchased Services	\$ 1,421,251
Materials & Supplies	2,677,307
Debt Service & Miscellaneous	<u> 18,475</u>
Total Expenditures	\$ 4,117,033
Other Sources (Uses) of Funds	
Other Financing Uses	(13,650,661)
Total Other Sources (Uses) of Funds	(13,650,661)
Net Change in Fund Balance	(2,552,013)
Fund Balance	
Beginning	\$ 3,574,295
Ending Fund Balance	
Restricted	
Instructional Programs	\$ 824,593
Committed	
Band Uniforms	197,689

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 revised budgets for the Special Revenue Funds (attached).

\$ 1,022,282

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 6

Total Ending Fund Balance

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 revised budgets for the Special Revenue Funds:

Special Revenue Funds Revised Budgets 2016-2017 Fiscal Year

FUND	FEDERAL	CURRENT	INCREASE	REVISED
<u>NUMBER</u>	FUNDS	<u>BUDGET</u>	(DECREASE)	BUDGET

210 NCLB TITLE I

	Striving Readers Compreher Literacy Program Prior Year		\$102,205	\$ 284,459
220	NCLB TITLE I	\$5,365,868	\$526,135	\$5,892,003
230	Migrant	\$ 211,026	\$ 41,171	\$ 252,197
240	U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALT AND HUMAN SERVICES TANF BLOCK GRANT -Early Childhood Program TANF -Federal Jobs for America's Graduates TANF TOTAL	\$3,532,357 <u>89,866</u> \$3,622,223	(1,337,473) 10,134 (1,327,339)	\$2,194,884 100,000 \$2,294,884
280	U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALT HUMAN SERVICES -Early Childhood Communit Network Lead Agencies		\$ 2,397	\$ 31,725
310	NCLB TITLE III -Current Year -Immigrant Set Aside -Immigrant Youth TOTAL	\$ 69,575 16,457 0 \$ 86,032	\$ 16,780 (13,196) 5,335 \$ 8,919	\$ 86,355 3,261 5,335 \$ 94,951
370	NCLB TITLE II PART A -EISENHOWER ACT -MSP TOTAL	\$1,228,555 <u>28,500</u> \$1,257,055	\$ 219,875 0 \$ 219,875	\$1,448,430 <u>28,500</u> \$1,476,930
410	NCLB TITLE VII INDIAN EDUCA -Current Year	ATION \$ 403,108	\$ 1,370	\$ 404,478
490	LCTCS FEDERAL ADULT EDUCATOR -Basic Current Year -Prior Year -Carry-Over -English Language/Civics -Current Year -Prior Year -Carry-Over -Family Literacy -Current Year	\$ 271,523 0 0 0 36,703 0 0	\$ 63,549 45,989 11,011 9,653 9,510 4,087	\$ 335,072 45,989 11,011 46,356 9,510 4,087
	-Federal Leadership Award -Current Year -Carry-Over FY16 -Carry-Over FY15 TOTAL	7,125 0 0 \$ 355,207	0 6,051 7,943 \$ 132,829	7,125 6,051 7,943 \$ 488,036
560	NCLB TITLE X HOMELESS	\$ 69,406	\$ 72,325	\$ 141,731
590	FEDERAL VOCATIONAL EDUCA -Current Year	TION \$ 232,058	(28,807)	\$ 203,251
750	NCLB IDEA Special Education -IDEA Part B -St. James PBIS	\$4,255,691 0	\$ 279,073 500	\$4,534,764 500

	-High Cost Services Prior Year -Believe and Prepare Cohort 3 Prior Year TOTAL	- 34	0 -,255,691	\$	3,767 <u>58,874</u> 342,214	\$ 4,	3,767 <u>58,874</u> 597,905
760	NCLB IDEA Special Education -Pre-School	\$	122,669	\$	45,069	\$	167,738
FUN NUM			URRENT <u>UDGET</u>		ICREASE ECREASE)		EVISED <u>UDGET</u>
142	MFP LEVEL 4 FUNDING REVENUE -Supplemental Course Allocation -MFP -Career Development Funds Prior Year	\$	0	\$	189,202 0	\$	189,202
	EXPENDITURES -Supplemental Course Allocation -MFP -Career Development Funds Prior Year) \$	18,817 121,431	\$	257,961 28,282	\$	276,778 149,713
	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE		(140,248)		(97,041)		(237,239)
	BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$	140,248	\$	97,041	\$	237,289
	ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
510	EDUCATION EXCELLENCE REVENUE	\$	300,000	\$	14,000	\$	314,000
	EXPENDITURES		328,043		13,424		341,467
	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE		(28,043)		576		(27,467)
	BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$	37,201	\$	471	\$	37,672
	ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	9,158	\$	1,047	\$	10,205
520	EARLY CHILDHOOD COMMUNITY NETWORK LEAD AGENCIES STATE FUNDS -Lead Agencies	\$	27,072	\$	3,948	\$	31,020
550	THE CECIL J. PICARD LA 4 EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM -State	\$	383,678	\$1	,497,638	\$1	,881,316
630	LQEA 8(g) PRE-SCHOOL EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM -8(g) Student Enhancement Block Grant	\$	219,319		(14,389)	\$	204,930

660	Extended School Year Prograr -Current Year	n \$	68,360	(68,360)	\$	0
680	LCTCS STATE ADULT EDUCATION -Basic Current Year -Testing & Reimbursement TOTAL	\$ 	208,355 8,639 216,994		(2,894) <u>0</u> (2,894)	\$ \$	205,461 8,639 214,100
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730	LIBRARY ALLOTMENT REVENUE -3/4 CENT LIBRARY	\$	87,040	\$	0	\$	87,040
	EXPENDITURES	\$	87,040	\$	89,803	\$	176,843
	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$ \$	0 56,467	\$	(89,803) 33,336	\$	(89,803) 89,803
	ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	56,467		(56,467)	\$	0
740	STATE TEXTBOOKS REVENUE -% Cent Textbooks -General Fund Textbooks -Non-Public Textbooks -Lost/Damaged Books TOTAL	_	1,500,000 0 99,426 1,000 1,600,426	\$	0 0 1,229 0 1,229		1,500,000 0 100,655 1,000 1,601,655
	EXPENDITURES -Textbooks -Non-Public Textbooks TOTAL	·	2,501,000 <u>99,426</u> 2,600,426	\$	0 1,229 1,229	_	2,501,000 100,655 2,601,655
	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE	(1,000,000)		0	(1,000,000)
	BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$	1,000,000	\$	676,121	\$	1,676,121
	ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	0	\$	676,121	\$	676,121

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 original budget for the Building Fund (attached).

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 7

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 original budget for the Building Fund:

Building Fund Original Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year

REVENUES

Interest and Investment Income

\$ 100,000.00

Sale of Property (Terrebonne Construction Co.)		200,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	300,000.00
APPROPRIATIONS		
Cash Management Fees on Investments	\$	10,000.00
Stage Floor - H. L. Bourgeois High School		5,000.00
Stage Floor - Ellender Memorial High School		10,000.00
Electrical Panel - Oaklawn Jr. High School		8,960.89
Auditorium Seats - South Terrebonne High School		40,000.00
Boiler (Old Gym) - South Terrebonne High School		85,000.00
Stage Floor - South Terrebonne High School		5,000.00
Stage Floor - Terrebonne High School		5,000.00
Drainage - Acadian Elementary School		60,000.00
PA System - All Schools (ALLOTMENT)		4,871.00
Exterior Door Replacement (ALLOTMENT)		155,645.98
School Security (ALLOTMENT)		198,839.40
total appropriations	\$	588,317.27
Net Change in Fund Balance Fund Balance		(288,317.27)
Beginning	\$1	4,743,151.63
Ending Assigned for Future Projects		4,454,834.36

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 original budget for the Loss Fund (attached).

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 8

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 original budget for the Loss Fund:

Loss Fund Original Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year

Revenues		
Interest Income	\$	12,000
Third Party Recovery		10,000
Claims Recovery		10,000
Rebate		49,000
Total Revenues	\$	81,000
Expenditures		
Financial Audit Fees	\$	50
Insurance Premiums	-	342,704
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Casualty Claims		52,500
Casualty Claims - Auto Liability		282,500
Casualty Claims - E & O		15,000
Property Claims		25,000
Claims Administration		24,000
Total Expenditures	\$1,	741,754
Other Financing Sources (Uses)		
Transfer from General Fund	\$1,	342,704

Net Change in Fund Balance (318,050)

Fund Balance

Beginning Fund Balance \$3,185,757 Ending Fund Balance \$2,867,707

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 original budget for the Workers' Compensation Fund (attached).

Mr. Jack Moore, Risk Manager, addressed the Committee concerning the Workers' Compensation Fund.

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 9

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 original budget for the Workers' Compensation Fund:

Workers' Compensation Fund Original Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year

Revenues

Interest	\$ 9,000
Claims Recovery	50,000
Rate Charges to Other Funds	 786,811
Total Revenues	\$ 845,811
Expenditures	

Workers' Compensation Claims	\$	500,000
Excess Loss Policies		77,625
Claims Administration and Loss Control		20,000
Second Injury Fund		35,000
Annual Assessment Fees		15,000
Administrative Fees		100
Financial Audit Fees	_	200
Total Expenditures	\$	647,925

Net Change in Fund Balance	\$	197,886
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Fund Balance

Beginning Fund Balance \$1,889,782 Ending Fund Balance \$2,087,668

Mrs. Breaux presented the 2016-2017 original budget for the Group Insurance Claims Fund (attached).

Mr. Moore addressed the Committee concerning the Group Insurance Claims Fund.

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 10

The Committee recommends that the Board adopt the following 2016-2017 original budget for the Group Insurance Claims Fund:

Group Insurance Claims Fund Original Budget 2016-2017 Fiscal Year

Revenues		
Interest Income & Earnings on Investments	\$	138,000
Medicare Part D Subsidy		750,000
Claim Recoveries - All Types		250,000
Rebates		650,000
Insurance Premium Billings	4	1,000,000
Total Revenues	\$4:	2,788,000
Expenditures		
Claims Administration Fees	\$	600,000
Dental Administration Fees		65,000
Script Care Administrative Fee		40,000
Prescription Care Administrative Fee		82,000
Life Insurance Premiums		1,500,000
PPO Access Fees		115,000
Utilization Review		75,000
ADDvantage Care		18,000
Disease Management Program		150,000
Patient Centered Outcomes		15,000
ACA Transitional Reinsurance Fee		2,500
Financial Audit Fees		11,000
Actuary Fees		7,500
Broker Fee		45,000
Bank Service Charge		65
Cash Management Fees		7,000
Stop-Loss Premium		625,000
Group Insurance Claims Paid	4:	2,100,000
Total Expenditures	\$4.	5,458,065
Net Change in Fund Balance	(2	2,670,065)
Fund Balance		
Beginning Fund Balance	<u>\$1:</u>	2,469,544

Superintendent Martin addressed the Committee concerning the declining Sales Tax collections. He stated Terrebonne Parish School Board collected \$10,000,000.00 less in Sales Tax collections in 2015-2016 than it did two years ago, in 2013-2014. He also stated that more local revenues come from Sales Tax than any other local source, and Sales Tax collections are continuing to decline.

\$ 9,799,479

Mr. Roger Dale DeHart, Board president, entered the meeting at this time.

Ending Fund Balance

Mrs. Carolyn Champagne, Purchasing Agent, addressed the Committee regarding the approval to advertise for bids for a Catalog Contract on Materials and Supplies for Teaching.

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 11

The Committee recommends that the Board authorize the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for a Catalog Contract on Materials and Supplies for Teaching.

Mrs. Champagne addressed the Committee regarding the approval to advertise for bids for an Office Supply Catalog Contract.

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 12

The Committee recommends that the Board authorize the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for an Office Supply Catalog Contract.

Mrs. Champagne addressed the Committee regarding the approval to advertise for bids for Ink and Toner Cartridges.

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 13

The Committee recommends that the Board authorize the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for Ink and Toner Cartridges.

Mrs. Champagne addressed the Committee regarding the approval to advertise for bids for Duplicator Paper.

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 14

The Committee recommends that the Board authorize the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for Duplicator Paper.

Mrs. Champagne addressed the Committee regarding the approval of bids received for Hunting and Trapping privileges on Section 16 Lands (attached).

Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, offered the following motion:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 15

The Committee recommends that the Board accept the following highest bids received, meeting all specifications, for Hunting and Trapping privileges on Section 16 Lands for a five (5) year period (July 1, 2016, through May 31, 2021), and further, authorize the Board president to sign all necessary documents pertaining thereto, pending Board attorney review:

Section 16, Township 17 South, Range 14 East \$8,625.00 Clinton Liner, Jr. 112 Louis Drive Houma, LA 70364 Section 16, Township 22 South, Range 15 East George Boudreaux, Jr. 423 Percy Brown Road Thibodaux, LA 70301 \$ 350.00

Mrs. Breaux presented an update on the Sales Tax collections report (attached). She stated sales tax collections for the month of August 2016 are approximately 9% lower than August 2015.

There being no further business to come before the **Finance**, **Insurance**, **and Section 16 Lands Committee**, motion of Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, the meeting adjourned at 5:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald Duplantis, Chairman

Roosevelt Thomas, Vice Chairman

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Motion of Mr. Bordelon, seconded by Mr. Jackson, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 revised budget for the General Operating Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. DeHart, seconded by Mr. Jackson, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 revised budget for the Child Nutrition Program Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. DeHart, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 revised budget for the One Cent Sales Tax Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. Bordelon, seconded by Mr. DeHart, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 revised budget for the $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent Sales Tax Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. DeHart, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 revised budget for the ³/₄ Cent Sales Tax Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. DeHart, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board adopt the 2016-2017 revised budgets for the Special Revenue Funds, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 original budget for the Building Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. DeHart, seconded by Mr. Jackson, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 original budget for the Loss Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. Bordelon, seconded by Mr. Jackson, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 original budget for the Workers' Compensation Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. DeHart, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board adopted the 2016-2017 original budget for the Group Insurance Claims Fund, as presented and outlined in the foregoing report.

Motion of Mr. DeHart, seconded by Mr. Jackson, unanimously carried, the Board authorized the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for a Catalog Contract on Materials and Supplies for Teaching.

Motion of Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. DeHart, unanimously carried, the Board authorized the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for an Office Supply Catalog Contract.

Motion of Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board authorized the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for lnk and Toner Cartridges.

Motion of Mr. Bordelon, seconded by Mr. Jackson, unanimously carried, the Board authorized the Purchasing Department to advertise for bids for Duplicator Paper.

Motion of Mr. DeHart, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board accepted the following highest bids received, meeting all specifications, for Hunting and Trapping privileges on Section 16 Lands for a five (5) year period (July 1, 2016, through May 31, 2021), and further, authorized the Board president to sign all necessary documents pertaining thereto, pending Board attorney review:

Section 16, Township 17 South, Range 14 East \$8,625.00 Clinton Liner, Jr. 112 Louis Drive Houma, LA 70364

Section 16, Township 22 South, Range 15 East \$ 350.00 George Boudreaux, Jr. 423 Percy Brown Road Thibodaux, LA 70301

The report of the Finance, Insurance, and Section 16 Lands Committee meeting was concluded, and President DeHart reassumed the Chair.

The following report of the Education, Technology, and Policy Committee meeting was presented to the Board with Mr. Jackson, chairman, presiding:

Dear Members of the Board:

The EDUCATION, TECHNOLOGY, and POLICY COMMITTEE met at 5:00 P.M. on Monday, October 24, 2016, in the Board Room of the School Board Office, with the following members present: Mr. Richard Jackson, chairman, and Mr. Donald Duplantis, ad-hoc member. Ms. Vicki Bonvillain, vice chairwoman, and Mrs. Debi Benoit were absent. Also in attendance were Mr. Roger Dale DeHart, Board president, Mr. L. P. Bordelon, III, Board vice president, Superintendent Philip Martin, and members of the staff.

Chairman Jackson called the meeting to order. The meeting began with the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Ms. Arlanda Williams, Terrebonne Parish Council, presented information on Comcast's "Cookies and Computers" Program held at Legion Park Elementary School on October 19, 2016. Comcast made technology donations to the school; and book bags, notebooks, and cookie donations

to each student in attendance. The Program offers special pricing for internet/cable services for families meeting Comcast's criteria (attached).

Ms. Melanie Wallis, principal, presented information on donations made by our local Lowe's Home Improvement Store to East Houma Elementary School. Ms. Wallis credits the effort of Parent/Teacher Club President, Ms. Katie Autin, for contacting Lowe's concerning a reduction in cost of supplies to add a flowerbed and benches in front of the school. She expressed appreciation toward the Lowe's Store for donating supplies, and to Lowe's employees for donating their labor and time to help with school improvements (attached).

Mr. Graham Douglas, Supervisor of Secondary Education, presented information on the generous donation by St. Martin & Bourque, Attorneys at Law. The law firm donated \$500.00 to each high school to allow students to experience Washington D.C. through the Close-Up Program (attached).

Mr. Douglas informed the Committee that H. L. Bourgeois High School's Marching Sensations competed in the "Fete de Musique" Marching Band Contest held at Central Lafourche High School this month. The Sensations took home all class AAAA awards and best overall in captions of music, visual, general effect, guard, and percussion. They also helped the Central Lafourche band parents clean their stadium after the competition.

Mr. Aubrey "Bubba" Orgeron, Assistant Superintendent, presented the winners of the School Impact and Teacher Grants. Terrebonne Parish School Board is very grateful for the generous opportunities afforded to our schools, teachers, and students through this Foundation (attached).

Mr. Orgeron presented information relative to the Google Pilot Apps.

There being no further business to come before the **Education**, **Technology**, **and Policy Committee**, the meeting adjourned at 5:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Jackson, Chairman

Donald Duplantis, Ad-Hoc Member

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Motion of Mr. Bordelon, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, unanimously carried, the Board accepted the foregoing report of the Education, Technology, and Policy Committee meeting in its entirety.

The report of the Education, Technology, and Policy Committee meeting was concluded, and President DeHart reassumed the Chair and presided for the remainder of the proceedings.

The Executive Committee report was presented to the Board.

Motion of Mr. Duplantis, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board received the following Executive Committee report in its entirety:

Dear Members of the Board:

The **Executive Committee** met at 5:30 P.M. on Tuesday, October 18, 2016, in the Board Room of the School Board Office with the following members

present: Mr. Roger Dale DeHart, president, and Mr. L. P. Bordelon, III, vice president. Ms. Vicki Bonvillain was absent. Also in attendance were Mr. Donald Duplantis, Mr. Roosevelt Thomas, Superintendent Philip Martin, and Mrs. Rebecca Breaux.

The meeting began with an invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The **Executive Committee** examined and authorized payment of invoices for the current month (including supplemental payroll and travel expenses).

The **Executive Committee** addressed member concerns.

There being no further business to come before the **Executive Committee**, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Roger Dale DeHart, President

L. P. Bordelon, III, Vice President

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The Executive Committee report was concluded.

President DeHart then presented, for <u>information only</u>, the following report of the Board of Directors of Terrebonne Construction Company, Inc.:

Dear Members of the School Board:

The **Board of Directors of Terrebonne Construction Company, Inc.** met immediately following the Executive Committee meeting on Tuesday, October 18, 2016, in the Board Room of the School Board Office with the following members present: Mr. Roger Dale DeHart, president, and Mr. L. P. Bordelon, III, secretary-treasurer. Ms. Vicki Bonvillain was absent. Also in attendance were Mr. Donald Duplantis, Mr. Roosevelt Thomas, Superintendent Philip Martin, and Mrs. Rebecca Breaux.

The **Board of Directors** received the September 2016 financial statement (attached).

There being no further business to come before the **Board of Directors of Terrebonne Construction Company**, **Inc.**, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Roger Dale DeHart, President

L. P. Bordelon, III, Secretary-Treasurer

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The report of the Board of Directors of Terrebonne Construction Company, Inc. was concluded.

At this time, Superintendent Philip Martin presented the following information as it relates to "American Education Week:"

American Education Week will be observed on November 14-18, 2016, in Terrebonne Parish schools. This special week focuses on the importance of education and all that it stands for. Annually, the week preceding the week of Thanksgiving is proclaimed American Education Week.

Educational Support Personnel Day will be observed in Terrebonne Parish schools on November 16, 2016. Annually, the Wednesday in American Education Week is designated as a special day to honor the many contributions of school support employees. School districts, parents, and students will pay tribute to school support personnel on this annual observance of Educational Support Personnel Day.

Motion of Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, unanimously carried, the Board approved the 2016-2017 Consolidated Drive collection of **\$5,831.14**, to be distributed equally to the following list of participating organizations, as per Board action of July 3, 2012, and further, authorized the distribution of the Consolidated Drive collections:

- American Red Cross
- CASA of Terrebonne
- Louis Infant's Crisis Center
- MacDonell United Methodist Children's Services
- Marine Toys for Tots Foundation
- Project LEARN LaTerre
- The Haven

Motion of Mr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. Duplantis, unanimously carried, the Board approved a family and medical leave in accordance with Policy (FILE: F-11.4a) for Tammy Gibson, teacher at Coteau-Bayou Blue Elementary School, beginning November 4, 2016, through November 18, 2016 (family).

Motion of Mr. Duplantis, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board approved a family and medical leave in accordance with Policy (FILE: F-11.4a) for Natalie Chester, school bus driver in the Transportation Department, beginning October 31, 2016, through February 17, 2017 (medical).

Motion of Mr. Duplantis, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board voted to go into executive session, at this time (6:25 P.M.), relative to a parent appeal for early readmission of Student #147415.

Motion of Mr. Duplantis, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board reconvened in regular session (6:40 P.M.) with all members present, with the exception of Mr. Thomas, Mr. Harding, Mrs. Benoit, and Ms. Bonvillain who were absent.

Mr. Duplantis moved, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, that the Board allow Student #147415 to return to Coteau-Bayou Blue School immediately, subject to signing a contract.

A roll call vote having been called for on the foregoing motion, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Mr. Jackson, Mr. Bordelon, Mr. DeHart, and Mr. Duplantis

NAYS: Dr. Babin

ABSENT: Mr. Thomas, Mr. Harding, Mrs. Benoit, and Ms. Bonvillain

President DeHart declared the motion carried.

Motion of Mr. Duplantis, seconded by Mr. Bordelon, unanimously carried, the Board voted to adjourn its meeting **(6:50 P.M.).**

/s/ Philip Martin, Secretary

/s/ Roger Dale DeHart, President

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