

Evangeline Parish Schools

"Our Children, Our Schools, Our Future"

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting will be held as follows:

DATE OF NOTICE: THURSDAY, JULY 15, 2021
DATE OF MEETING: WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, 2021
TIME: 6:00 PM
LOCATION OF MEETING: Evangeline Parish Media Center
607 Harvey LeBas Drive
Ville Platte, LA 70586

AGENDA:

CALL TO ORDER
ROLL CALL

1. Permission to approve minutes of previous meeting dated June 16, 2021 (Requested and presented by Superintendent Darwan Lazard)

Consider a motion to approve minutes of previous meeting dated June 16, 2021; recommended by Superintendent Darwan Lazard.

2. Information regarding Meal Box Distribution (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by CNP Field Manager Terryl Jackson)

Informational.

3. Information on Emergency Connectivity Fund (ECF) (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor Connie Guillory)

Informational.

School Board Members:

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District Two

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District Eleven

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District Twelve

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District Thirteen

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4. EPSB Sales Tax Comparison Chart for June 2021 (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by CFO Amy Lafleur)

MONTH	2020-2021 MONTHLY BUDGET	PERCENT OF BUDGET	2020-2021 ACTUAL	2019-2020 ACTUAL	FY 2021 TO FY 2020 VARIANCE
JULY	\$ 608,333.33	118.37%	\$ 720,054.76	\$ 654,090.48	\$ 65,964.28
AUGUST	\$ 608,333.33	114.46%	\$ 696,327.90	\$ 598,031.13	\$ 98,296.74
SEPTEMBER	\$ 608,333.33	104.42%	\$ 635,212.67	\$ 604,350.72	\$ 30,861.95
OCTOBER	\$ 608,333.33	118.26%	\$ 719,437.08	\$ 661,514.41	\$ 57,922.67
EXCESS		0.0%	\$ 16,782.46		\$ 16,782.46
NOVEMBER	\$ 608,333.33	116.44%	\$ 708,348.99	\$ 790,560.79	(\$ 82,211.80)
DECEMBER	\$ 608,333.33	100.18%	\$ 609,430.02	\$ 556,094.60	\$ 53,335.42
JANUARY	\$ 608,333.33	131.60%	\$ 800,557.44	\$ 669,680.84	\$ 130,876.60
FEBRUARY	\$ 608,333.33	105.72%	\$ 643,103.71	\$ 582,665.29	\$ 60,438.42
EXCESS		0.00%	\$ 22,581.68		
MARCH	\$ 608,333.33	102.73%	\$ 624,918.02	\$ 529,524.03	\$ 95,393.99
APRIL	\$ 608,333.33	193.35%	\$ 1,176,210.09	\$ 696,808.13	\$ 479,401.96
MAY	\$ 608,333.33	133.68%	\$ 813,226.53	\$ 595,600.51	\$ 217,626.02
EXSCCESS			\$ 19,198.70		\$ 19,198.70
JUNE	\$ 608,333.33	124.41%	\$ 756,800.35	\$ 641,305.73	\$ 115,494.62
YTD TOTAL	\$ 7,299,999.97	122.77%	\$ 8,962,190.40	\$ 7,580,226.69	\$ 1,381,963.71

Informational.

5. EPSB Sales Tax Distribution for 2020-2021 (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by CFO Amy Lafleur)

Informational.

6. Permission to accept Student Accident Insurance renewal (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by CFO Amy Lafleur)

Consider a motion to approve Student Accident Insurance renewal; recommended by Superintendent Darwan Lazard)

7. Permission to adopt 2021-2022 Student Handbook & Reference Guide (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor Philip Buller)

Consider a motion to adopt 2021-2022 Student Handbook & Reference Guide; recommended by Superintendent Darwan Lazard.

8. Permission to allocate up to \$125,000.00 for textbooks for the 2021-2022 school year using Parish-wide Maintenance for ten schools and Basile Maintenance Fund for BHS and WWS, as applicable (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor John Deshotel)

Consider a motion to approve allocation up to \$125,000.00 for textbooks for the 2021-2022 school year using Parish-wide Maintenance for ten schools and Basile Maintenance Fund for BHS and WWS, as applicable; recommended by Superintendent Darwan Lazard.

9. Permission to ratify acceptance of low-price quote for changing of a motor in maintenance truck using General Fund (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Maintenance & Operations Facilitator Anthony Bertrand)

VENDOR	PRICE QUOTE
Perry Pitre Ford Co.	\$ 16,031.32
AOK Auto Salvage and transmission	\$ 16,500.00
T & J Ford Co.	\$ 16,490.05

Consider a motion to ratify approval of low-price quote from Perry Pitre Ford Co., in the amount of \$16,031.21, to change a motor in maintenance truck ; recommended by Superintendent Darwan Lazard.

10. Permission to ratify acceptance of low-price quote for 25-ton Trane condensing unit for Mamou High School using Parish-wide Maintenance (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Maintenance & Operations Facilitator Anthony Bertrand)

VENDOR	PRICE QUOTE
Air Plus	\$ 15,000.00
May's Heating and Cooling	\$ 15,327.00
Vallet's Refrigeration	NO PRICE QUOTE

Consider a motion to approve acceptance of low-price quote from Air Plus, in the amount of \$15,000.00, for 25-ton Trane condensing unit for Mamou High School, using Parish-wide Maintenance; recommended by Superintendent Darwan Lazard.

11. Permission to modify district calendar for 2021-2022 fiscal year - adding Juneteenth Federal holiday (Monday, June 20, 2022)

Consider a motion to add June 20, 2022, Juneteenth, to the District calendar for the 2021-2022 fiscal year; recommended by Superintendent Darwan Lazard.

12. Permission to ratify/approve the following requisition(s):

- A. Ratification of Detel Computer Solutions -- \$830,650.00 for chromebooks to fill unmet need once devices expire in 2021-2022, using Emergency Connectivity Fund (ECF) (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor Connie Guillory)
- B. Ratification of LSU-Eunice -- \$22,375.00 for student tuition form Jumpstart Summers LSUE/JAG Program using Jumpstart Summers Program funding (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor Johnny Deshotel)
- C. Ratification of Zearn -- \$22,500.00 for Digital Math – Tier 1 using Title I fund (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor Cheri Fontenot and Director Maryann Fontenot)
- D. Ratification of Edulastic -- \$11,620.00 for Non-UIR-A schools grades K-8 and 9-12) using Title I funds (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor Cheri Fontenot and Director Maryann Fontenot)
- E. Ratification of Pear Deck -- \$12,840.00 for annual renewal using ESSER funds (Requested by Superintendent Darwan Lazard and presented by Supervisor Connie Guillory)