



## Board of Education Work Session Highlights for March 9, 2023

The Durham Public Schools Board of Education met at 5:36 p.m. on Thursday, March 9, 2023, and considered an agenda that included the following highlights.

Vice Chair Emily Chavez opened the meeting by extending a warm welcome to everyone in attendance as well as to the listening television viewers. She then asked everyone to join her in a moment of silence.

### ***Agenda:***

Natalie Beyer motioned to approve the agenda as presented. Chair Bettina Umstead seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

### ***General Public Comment:***

Two (2) people signed up for in person public comment. They were given three (3) minutes to speak.

### ***Consent Items:***

The following topics were presented:

- Budget Amendment #1- ***approved and passed unanimously***
- CTE 2023 Computers - ***approved and passed unanimously***
- Deed of Conservation Easement at Riverside High School - ***approved and passed unanimously***

### ***Board of Education:***

The following topics were presented:

- HB 187 Resolution – ***approved and passed unanimously***

### ***Chief of Staff:***

The following topics were presented:

- Contract for New Financial and Human Resources System – approved and passed unanimously
- Update and Status on Trainings LGBTQIA+

### ***Academic Services:***

The following topics were presented:

- Arts in Our Schools Proclamation – ***approved and passed unanimously***
- Strategic Plan: Priority 4 Update

### ***Operations Services:***

The following topics were presented:

- Retention Bonus \$1500 ESSER Funding – September 2023 – ***approved and passed unanimously***
- Strategic Plan 2019-2023 Priority 5 Update

### ***Next Board of Education Work Session:***

The next Work Session of the Durham Public Schools Board of Education is set to be held Thursday, April 6, 2023 at 5:30 p.m. at the Fuller Building, 511 Cleveland Street Durham, NC 27701

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***Recorder:*** Nicole Smith, Executive Assistant to the Board of Education