

Berkeley County School Board

Special Meeting

March 10, 2017

Observer: Jane Pulling

The board went into executive session at 6:00pm in order to receive legal advice and discuss contractual matters. They came out of executive session at 8:32p.m. and took the following actions:

- On a motion by Mac McQuillan, the board accepted the resignation of Ms. Brenda Blackburn and authorized board chair, Sally Wofford to negotiate a settlement package.
- Mr. Deon Jackson was appointed interim superintendent.
- On a motion from board chair, Ms. Wofford, the board voted to hire Harding Parker to conduct a personnel audit of the district office including interviewing district office staff with a view toward possible reorganization. They are also hired to assist with managing the forensic audit and making recommendations for a superintendent search. Harding and Parker is an executive search firm based in Raleigh, NC which includes as one of its principle consultants, Dr. Tony Parker, former Berkeley County Superintendent.