Statement by Board Chairman, Robert "Butch" Cecil:

On behalf of the Marion County Board of Education, I am pleased to announce that we have completed Superintendent Taylora Schlosser's annual summative evaluation and, as a Board, we have rated her performance this year as Exemplary.

In evaluating the Superintendent's job performance on seven key standards, we have provided feedback concerning areas in which growth opportunities exist, but, in total, we believe that the Superintendent's overall job performance exceeds our expectations.

This year marks the end of Mrs. Schlosser's initial term as the Superintendent of the Marion County Public School system. Under her leadership, the School District has seen great improvement and growth, and the Board looks forward to working with Mrs. Schlosser as she continues to chart the course for our District.

We appreciate the dedication and professionalism with which the Superintendent approaches her job, and we are excited about what the future holds for Marion County Public Schools.