**G.C. BURKHEAD SITE BASED COUNCIL**

**APRIL MEETING MINUTES**

**April 18th , 2:45pm**

The meeting was called to order by the co-chairperson, Heather Korrell, with the following members present: Mary Horn, Heather Korrell, Alisa Nichols, Dannya Mora and Erica Nichols. Hal Bender participated via phone.

Members Absent – None

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS – Teachers: Rachel Robinson, Angie Brown, Anita Curry, Danielle Leasor, and Kim Mouser. WKU observers: Aleena Berkley, Cierra Thomas.

Alisa Nichols made a motion to approve the agenda. Mary Horn seconded. Motion carried by consensus.

Alisa Nichols made a motion to approve the March minutes. Erica Nichols seconded. Motion carried by consensus.

Mr. Bender presented the proposed budget for the 2024-25 school year. Mary Horn made a motion to approve the budget. Alisa Nichols seconded. Motion carried by consensus.

Discussion was held about options for the new allocations presented since Hardin County Schools announced redistricting for the 24-25 school year. Several teachers shared that they believed lower grades needed the lower numbers. Council discussed several options and narrowed them down to two. Mr. Bender will send the options to staff in order to gather feedback. Special meeting will be held on April 25th to discuss and decide grade-level allocations for the 24-25 school year.

Mr. Bender took questions and suggestions from the council about redistricting and employee transfers. One council member asked about staffing if enrollment numbers climb over the summer. Another asked about possible retirements. Mr. Bender stated that teachers being transferred would have the opportunity to return through early July if positions were needed based on teachers’ hired dates with Hardin County Schools in their current job classification.

Mr. Bender discussed staffing. Amber Stephens has been hired as an LBD Special Education teacher. Mr. Bender shared that GCB has four positions currently posted: Library Media Specialist, LBD/Autism Unit Certified Teacher, Instructional Assistant II (Autism Unit), and Preschool Certified Teacher.

New business – None

**ADJOURNMENT – There being no further business Mary Horn motioned to adjourn the meeting. Dannya Mora seconded. Motion carried by consensus.**

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