

**TERREBONNE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
201 STADIUM DRIVE
HOUMA, LOUISIANA 70360**

School Board Meeting – October 4, 2011

Order of Business

7:00 P.M.

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Approval of Minutes of School Board Meeting of September 20, 2011
6. Board Committee Meeting Reports
 - A. Finance, Insurance, and Section 16 Lands Committee
 - B. Executive Committee
 - C. Board of Directors of Terrebonne Construction Company, Inc.
7. Superintendent's Agenda
 - A. Agenda Items
 - (1) Resolution in Observance of School Bus Safety Week, October 17-21, 2011
 - (2) Request for Professional Leave

(a) Homeless Liaison in Federal Department

(3) Personnel Section

(a) Leave of Absence

1) Leave Without Pay

(4) Parent Appeal for Readmission of Student #133500
(Possible Executive Session)

8. Announcements

10/06

5:00 ERC

10/10

5:00 Buildings, Food Service, & Transportation
Committee

10/13

7:00 Teacher of the Year Gala (Civic Center)

10/17

5:00 Finance, Insurance, & Section 16 Lands
Committee

10/18

6:00 Executive Committee

6:30 Board of Directors, Terrebonne Construction
Company, Inc.

7:00 Regular School Board Meeting

9. Adjournment

AGENDA ITEMS

(1) RESOLUTION IN OBSERVANCE OF SCHOOL BUS SAFETY WEEK, OCTOBER 17-21, 2011

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board approve the following resolution recognizing October 17-21, 2011, as School Bus Safety Week:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Louisiana parish and city systems provide free transportation for students each school day, and

WHEREAS, The citizens of this state recognize the efforts and dedication of the administrators, teachers, school bus drivers, and other employees, who make the school systems operational on a daily basis, and

WHEREAS, All officials of public and non-public schools strive for the efficient and safe transportation of all students, and

WHEREAS, The State of Louisiana, the Department of Education, and the Office of School and Community Support, recognize the commendable efforts displayed by all involved in the school transportation program, now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Terrebonne Parish School Board does hereby proclaim the week of October 17-21, 2011, as "School Bus Safety Week," and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be forwarded to all Terrebonne Parish public schools and office buildings.

(2) REQUEST FOR PROFESSIONAL LEAVE

(a) Homeless Liaison in Federal Department

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board approve a request to allow Marsha Williams, Homeless Liaison in Federal Department, to attend the National Association for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth Conference in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, November 5-8, 2011 (Saturday-Tuesday), in accordance with Policy (FILE: F-11.2), expenses to be borne by Title X Funds.

(3) PERSONNEL SECTION

(a) Leave of Absence

1) Leave Without Pay

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board approve a leave of absence without pay in accordance with Policy (FILE: F-11.10) for Susan Gremillion, Teacher at East Houma Elementary School, beginning October 5, 2011, through October 4, 2012 (family illness).

(4) PARENT APPEAL FOR READMISSION OF STUDENT #133500 (POSSIBLE EXECUTIVE SESSION)

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