

The Monroe County Board of Education met in regular session on Thursday, January 8, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. in the board room at the Director of Schools' Office. The following nine board members were present: Dr. Larry Stein, Chairman, Ms. Jo Cagle, Mr. Jerry Snyder, Mrs. Marsha Standridge, Mrs. Janie Harrill, Dr. Bob Lovingood, Mr. Dewitt Upton and Ms. Sonya Lynn and Mr. Steve Rogers.

Item No. 1. Mrs. Janie Harrill made a motion, second by Ms. Jo Cagle to approve the January 8, 2015 regular agenda with the following amendments. Adding under new business: Ms. Sonya Lynn – Social Media Policy, Mrs. Doris Matthews – SRO Agreements and Dr. Larry Stein – Rescheduling the May 2015 Board Meeting. Motion passed.

Item No. 2. Mr. Jerry Snyder made a motion, second by Ms. Sonya Lynn to approve the minutes from the regular meeting on December 11, 2014. Motion passed.

Item No. 3. Mr. Tim Blaknenship, Director of Schools recognized Mrs. Julia Rogers, teacher at Madisonville Intermediate School as VFW Teacher of the Year.

Item No. 4. Dr. Bob Lovingood made a motion, second by Mr. Jerry Snyder to approve the following consent agenda:

1. Request to use Tellico Plains Elementary – Tellico Youth Basketball, Eric Watkins, December 2014 – March 2015
2. Coker Creek Elementary request to accept a donation of \$3,775.00 for Beta Club and Spring Field Trips from Brad and Celia Davis
3. Sequoyah High School Virtual Enterprise Class request to accept the following donations:

A&W Drive-In	\$50.00	Bert's Hometown Grill	\$100.00
Kentucky Fried Chicken	\$100.00	Foothills Credit Union	\$50.00
Sloan's of Vonore	\$50.00	Representative John Forgety	\$100.00
4. Sequoyah High School Automotive Class request to accept a \$1000.00 donation from Valvoline Oil Company
5. Vonore Elementary Request to accept the following donations:

Rarity Bay Women's Book Club	\$375.00
Kahite Women's Organization	\$2410.00
6. Approval of Martin Almanza Espinoza as Volunteer Non Faculty Soccer Coach at Vonore Middle School for the 2015 season.

Motion passed.

Item No. 5. State of the School Presentations were give by Mr. Russell Harris, Principal at Tellico Plains High School and Mr. Gary Cole, Principal at Sequoyah High School.

Item No. 6. Mr. Maurice Moser and Mrs. Bren Raper presented the results of teachers polled regarding SBP 4.600 Grading System. The results were 36% voted no, 63% voted yes and 1%

Item No. 15. The board agreed to have a budget workshop at 5:30 on February 12, 2015 before the regular board meeting.

Item No. 16. Mrs. Janie Harrill made a motion, second by Dr. Bob Lovingood to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed.

W. Larry Stevi  
Chairman

2/12/15  
Date

Tim Blandy  
Secretary

2-12-15  
Date

12-11-9.

Monroe County Board of Education  
Budget Amendment No: 1211-01  
2014-2015  
141-General Purpose

Be it hereby resolved, that the Monroe County Board of Education, meeting in regular session this 11th day of December 2014 hereby amends as follows the General Purpose Schools

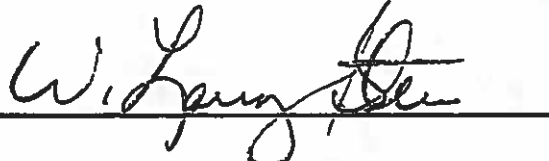
**General Purpose-141**

**Move money within the Maintenance budget to cover longevity**

Decrease	141-72620-187	Overtime	\$	160.00
Increase	141-72620-186	Longevity	\$	160.00

Approved this 11th day of December 2014.

Larry Stein, Board Chairman



Tim Blankenship, Director of Schools



12-11-9.

Monroe County Board of Education  
Budget Amendment No: 1211-03  
2014-2015  
141-General Purpose Schools

Be it hereby resolved, that the Monroe County Board of Education, meeting in regular session this 11th day of December 2014 hereby amends as follows the General Purpose Schools budget

**General Purpose Schools-141**  
**To move money with the Special Education budget**

Decrease	141-71200-399	Other contracted Servi	\$	1,600.00
Increase	141-72220-330	Operating Lease Payments	\$	1,600.00

Approved this 11th day of December 2014.

Larry Stein, Board Chairman

W. Larry Stein

Tim Blankenship, Director of Schools

Tim Blankenship

12-11-14

Monroe County Board of Education  
Budget Amendment No: 1211-05  
2014-2015  
141-General Purpose Schools

Be it hereby resolved, that the Monroe County Board of Education, meeting in regular session this 11th day of December 2014 hereby amends as follows the General Purpose Schools Budget

**General Purpose Schools-141**  
To move money to cover an overage

Decrease	141-71100-399	Other contract \$	16,242.00
Increase	141-71100-499	Other Supplies	\$ 16,242.00

Approved this 11th day of December 2014.

Larry Stein, Board Chairman

W. Larry Stein

Tim Blankenship, Director of Schools

Tim Blankenship