

**RITCHIE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES OF STATUTORY MEETING
RITCHIE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION OFFICE
HARRISVILLE, WV
APRIL 20, 2021 – 6:00 p.m.**

The reconvened recessed meeting of March 22, 2021, of the Ritchie County Board of Education was called to order on Tuesday, April 20, 2021, at 6:00 PM by President Dr. Torie Jackson.

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

ROLL CALL

Present: Dr. Torie Jackson, President
Mrs. Betsy Wells, Vice-President
Mrs. Misty Ingram-Keen
Mr. Ryan Reed
Mr. Denver Nelson

Administrative Staff Present: Mr. James G. Brown, Superintendent, Mrs. Lori Wells, Treasurer and Director of Finance, and Mrs. Debbie Bever, Director of Special Education, Federal Programs and School Improvement

*All Board Members and Administrative Staff remained six feet apart to meet social distancing requirements.

FINANCIAL REQUESTS FOR APPROVAL

Superintendent Brown wanted the public to be aware that based on a decision by the School Building Authority yesterday and the fact that our project was not funded we are not in a position, at this time, to sell the bonds that were associated with the bond passage at the General Election in the spring. Which means the assessed values associated with that bond will not be included in this tax ticket.

Mrs. Wells presented the Official FY22 Levy Order and Rates for approval.

- Projected net taxes to be collected from regular levy \$7,901,691.00
- Projected net taxes to be collected from excess levy \$6,182,066.00
- Total projected net taxes to be collected \$14,083,757.00

Upon recommendation of the superintendent, Mr. Reed moved, seconded by Mrs. Wells that the Board approve FY22 Levy Order and Rates as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

MEETING ADJOURNED

Mrs. Wells moved, seconded by Mr. Nelson that the meeting be adjourned at 6:03 PM Motion passed unanimously.