



*“A Community Committed To Learning”*

# **Branson R-IV Schools**

Branson R-4 School District

Open Meeting – Branson Public Schools District Office, 1756 Bee Creek Road

Closed Session – Branson Public Schools District Office, 1756 Bee Creek Road

6:30 p.m. – December 10, 2015

## **AGENDA**

1. Establish quorum, call to order, Pledge of Allegiance, and opening prayer

2. Consent Agenda

Action on the Minutes  
Schedule of Checks Written  
Expense Distribution Report  
End of Month Board Report  
Fuel Bid

3. Communications

4. Board Committee Reports

Board Filing Report – Mrs. Bryant  
December MSBA Board Report

5. Administrative Reports

Teacher Minute – Buchanan Elementary  
Superintendent’s Report – Dr. Hayter

- ❖ Student Council Representatives
- ❖ Legislative Update
- ❖ DESE Update
- ❖ United Way Campaign
- ❖ Recognitions

Love & Logic® – Brad Allen

Workshops:

Beginning Teacher Workshop, C of O – K. Buchholz, K. Gillman, R. Ramsey  
Observation – John Thomas School of Discovery, Nixa, MO – J. Lee  
American Speech-Language National Convention, Denver, CO – L. Snavely  
MSCA National Convention, Tan-Tar-A – T. Eaves  
MoAHPERD Conference, Lake Ozark, MO – L. Reusch, J. Lourenco  
National Association of Gifted Conference, Phoenix, AZ – P. Bronn, S. Batt  
Arkansas K-8 Literacy Academy, Little Rock, AR – C. McManus, R. Williams

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6. Old Business

Approve Board Policy DGA – Dr. Swofford

7. New Business

Approve the MSBA - John T. Belcher Scholarship Nomination – Mr. Arnette

Approve Change Order – Dr. Forrest

Approve Renewal of Property/Casualty Insurance – Dr. Forrest

Approve Renewal of Workers Compensation Insurance – Dr. Forrest

Approve Land Donation to the District – Policy KH – Dr. Hayter

Approve Finance Program Evaluation – Dr. Hayter

8. Miscellaneous

Board Filing Opening and Closing Dates:

Open: December 15, 2015 at 8:00 a.m.

Close: January 19, 2016 at 5:00 p.m.

Dr. Hayter Retirement Reception:

Thursday, December 17, 2015, *Come & Go* from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Branson Public Schools District Offices, 1756 Bee Creek Road

Finance Committee Meeting:

TBD – January 2016

Next Regular Meeting:

6:30 p.m., Thursday, January 21, 2016, Branson Public Schools  
District Offices, 1756 Bee Creek Road. Tentative Agenda available in the  
Superintendent’s Office on Tuesday, January 19, 2016

School Board Recognition Week:

January 24-30, 2016

MSBA Legislative Forum:

February 16, 2016 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Capitol Plaza Hotel, Jefferson City

9. Closed Session – We have reason to go into closed session pursuant to RSMo §610.021 for the purpose of discussing scholastic issues (6), personnel matters (3), and legal issues (1).

10. Adjournment

**CHARACTER<sup>plus</sup>® Thought for the Month**

**COMPASSION/KINDNESS – caring for others**