

Chatham School District Mission:
We support students to become independent adults by
promoting exceptional
education and cultural experiences.

Superintendent: David Langford

Special School Board Meeting

September 22, 2026 | 6:00 p.m.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

The regular meeting of the Chatham School District School Board was called to order at 6:11 p.m. by Board President Stacey Proctor.
2. **ROLL CALL**

Board members in attendance: Jenn Todd, LeAnn Weikle (joined at 7:00 p.m.), Albert Kookesh, Jack Strong, and President Stacey Proctor. The meeting was quorate.
3. **APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED AGENDA AND CONSENT AGENDA**
 - a. **SEPTEMBER 8, 2026 MINUTES**
 - b. **SEPTEMBER 10, 2026 MINUTES**
 - c. **PERSONNEL REPORT**

Ms. Todd moved, and **Mr. Strong** seconded to approve the proposed agenda and consent agenda, as presented.

The motion PASSED unanimously.
4. **PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA OR NON-AGENDA ITEMS**

Liesl Barker thanked the board for their service. She requested a direct link to the meeting agenda be added to the district website, as well as information on how to attend via Zoom. Ms. Barker encouraged the board to find funding to hire a CTE instructor.
5. **ACTION ITEMS**
 - a. **APPROVE THE NEGOTIATED AGREEMENT BETWEEN CSD AND CHATHAM-NEA FOR 2026-2029**

Mr. Strong moved, and **Ms. Todd** seconded to approve the contract revision between Chatham School District and Chatham NEA, from 2026-2029.

The motion PASSED unanimously.

**b. APPROVAL OF CARVER
CONSTRUCTION
PROPOSAL FOR GUSTAVUS
SCHOOL REPAIRS**

Mr. Kookesh moved, and **Mr. Strong** seconded to approve the contract with Carver Construction, LLC in the amount of \$33,698.85 for repair work on Gustavus School.

Superintendent Langford explained that the contractor found no structural damage during his inspection.

The motion PASSED unanimously.

**c. ACCEPTANCE OF THE
PRESIDENTIAL FITNESS
GRANT**

Mr. Kookesh moved, and **Ms. Todd** seconded to accept the Presidential Fitness grant in the amount of \$70,000.

The motion PASSED unanimously.

d. EXTRA DUTY CONTRACTS

Ms. Todd moved, and **Mr. Kookesh** seconded to approve the extra duty contracts, as presented.

The motion PASSED unanimously.

**e. APPROVE LEASE
AGREEMENT FOR TEACHER
HOUSING WITH TLGIT AND
HAIDA**

Mr. Strong moved, and **Ms. Todd** seconded to approve the Lease Agreement for Teacher Housing with Tlingit and Haida, as presented.

The motion PASSED unanimously.

**f. APPROVE PANHANDLE FIRE
PROTECTION SERVICE
AGREEMENT**

Mr. Kookesh moved, and **Mr. Strong** seconded to approve the Service Agreement between CSD and Panhandle Fire Protection, as presented.

The motion PASSED unanimously.

**g. EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR
SUPERINTENDENT
EVALUATION**

Ms. Todd moved, and **Mr. Strong** seconded to go into Executive Session in accordance with and under the provision of AS

44.62.310 (c) (2) subjects that tend to prejudice the reputation and character of any person. The subject of the executive session was Superintendent Langford's evaluation.

The motion PASSED unanimously.

The board entered Executive Session at 7:01 p.m. and resumed the special meeting at 7:34 p.m.

**h. BOARD MEMBER
COMMENT**

There was no board member comment at this meeting.

i. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

Stacey Proctor, President

Dawn Georgia, Board Clerk