## MINUTES LAFAYETTE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD EMERGENCY MEETING, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

The Lafayette County School Board held an emergency meeting on Sunday, September 3, 2023 beginning at 5:00 p.m. Present were Mr. Robert Edwards, Superintendent of Schools; Mrs. Marion McCray, Vice Chair; Mr. Darren Driver, Member; Mr. Taylor McGrew, Member; Mr. Jeff Walker, Member; and Mrs. Leenette McMillan-Fredriksson, School Board Attorney. Mrs. Amanda Hickman, Chairman was out of town due to Hurricane Idalia.

## CALL TO ORDER

Mrs. Marion McCray called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

## **PURPOSE**

School Reopening after Hurricane Idalia

School Board members were briefed by Superintendent Edwards regarding his discussions with FLDOE about the reopening of Lafayette District Schools following Hurricane Idalia.

Superintendent Edwards expressed his concern for those students and staff who were still without power and discussed plans for how to meet some of those needs. After discussing many options for reopening schools, the Superintendent presented the school board with a plan to bring staff back on Tuesday and Wednesday, then open schools for students beginning on Thursday. Superintendent Edwards indicated that he would contact FLDOE for approval of this plan. No action was taken by the board.

## **ADJOURN**

With business complete, Mrs. Marion McCray declared the meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Marion McCray, Vice Chair

Robert Edwards, Superintendent and Secretary to the School Board