**FULTON COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL**



**SBDM COUNCIL MEETING**

**August 15, 2018**

Fulton County Middle School will focus children on educational success

by teaching students to cooperate, accept responsibility, respect others, expect excellence,

and become successful life-long learners.

# PROFICIENCY, POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS, & PILOT PRIDE

The inaugural monthly meeting of the FCMS SBDM Council was called to order on August 15, 2018 in the Fulton County Library by Brian Hood, chairperson, at 5:40 p.m.

**Members present were:** Brian Hood, Chairperson; Ashley Coulson; Jennifer Dillon; Beth McWhirt; and Melissa Newton. Jere’ Kinney was absent.

Ashley Coulson moved to approve the agenda and minutes, with the second made by Melissa Newton.  The motion passed by consensus.

**The Good News Report:**

* A well-received Back-to-School Bash was held, along with a Pilot Blitz. Students and families seemed quite receptive.
* We are fully staffed!
* Opening day for teachers went very smoothly.
* Gold MS volleyball won against Murray.
* Pilot football is off to a good start.
* Enrollment for 7th and 8th grade students is now at 83.

**Student Achievement:**

Master schedules are in place.

**School Improvement Planning:**

Big changes have occurred on the school campus: the fence around the ball court has been removed, playground equipment has been updated, and the basketball goals refurbished. The entire building has been waxed and cleaned.

**Budget Report:**

Budget allotments were reviewed. The proposed final budget is pending board approval. Beth McWhirt moved and Melissa Newton seconded that the budget be approved.

 **Old Business:**

None.

**New Business:**

The some playground equipment is being removed and will be replaced. There is a new Science curriculum. A new Reading curriculum is being developed.

**Discussion Items:**

The building has a new copier. A staff training will be held at a future date.

**Bylaw/Policy Review:**

Policy 2.26 Emergency Plan – is being updated.

Policy 2.23 Homework/Grading Scale – has been revised. Beth McWhirt moved and Ashley Coulson seconded that the revised policy be approved. The motion passed by consensus.

**Upcoming Events:**

The UTM football coach will be the guest speaker for the district for the first day of school.

**Monthly Meeting Items and Date:**

The next meeting of the FCMS Site Base Council will be September 12th at 3:30 p.m.

**Adjournment:**

Melissa Newton moved to adjourn. A second was made by Ashley Coulson with all members in agreement. The meeting adjourned at 6:15 p.m.