



**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
April 18, 2025**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE IDABEL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT I-005, MCCURTAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA WILL BE HELD IN THE BOARD CONFERENCE ROOM, AT THE ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING, 200 N.E. AVENUE C ON \_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_ AT \_\_\_ P.M. WITH THE FOLLOWING ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED:

As required by Section 311, Title 25 of the Oklahoma Statutes, notice is hereby given of the agenda for a special meeting of the Board of Education of the Idabel Public School District I-005

**1. OPENING: CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS**

- A. PRESIDENT: DONNY BUTLER**
- B. VICE-PRESIDENT: JERRY ROBINSON**
- C. CLERK: JAMES RALEY**
- D. MEMBER: MADDIE BRILEY**
- E. MEMBER: ERIC NUBER**

**2. RECOMMENDATION, CONSIDERATION AND VOTE TO APPOINT AND EMPLOY JUSTIN C CLIBURN AND THE CENTER FOR EDUCATION LAW AS LEGAL COUNSEL FOR THE IDABEL BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF TODAY'S DUE PROCESS HEARING.**

**3. Due process hearing for Mary Blandon regarding her possible termination.**

- a. The board president shall convene the hearing, state the purpose of the hearing and introduce the parties. Upon the request of either party, the president may exclude from the hearing room the witnesses not at the time under examination, except that a party to the proceeding and their representative shall not be excluded.**
- b. Opening statement by superintendent or his designee or representative.**
- c. Opening statement by Ms. Blandon or her designee or representative.**
- d. Presentation of superintendent's evidence, followed by cross-examination of witnesses by Ms. Blandon or her designee or representative.**
- e. Questions by board members.**
- f. Presentation of Ms. Blandon's evidence followed by cross-examination of witnesses by superintendent or superintendent's designee or representative.**
- g. Questions by board members.**
- h. Presentation of rebuttal and surrebuttal evidence as necessary.**
- i. Closing argument by superintendent or his designee or representative.**

- j. Closing argument by Ms. Blandon or her designee or representative.**
- k. Consideration and vote to go into executive session pursuant to Okla. Stat. tit. 25, § 307(B) (1) & (7) to deliberate on the dismissal or not of Mary Blandon.**
- l. Vote to acknowledge return to open session.**
- m. Board president's statement of executive session minute.**
- n. Vote by board to accept or reject the superintendent's recommendation for the dismissal of Mary Blandon and recitation of findings of fact upon which the decision is based.**

**4. VOTE TO ADJOURN.**

NAME OF PERSON POSTING THIS NOTICE:

VETA BURDINE, MINUTES CLERK

Notice of this meeting was filed with the McCurtain County Clerk on the \_day of \_, 2024

THIS AGENDA WAS POSTED AT \_AM, \_, 2024 IN THE FRONT WINDOW OF THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING.