

**Special Pupil Request Hearings**  
**CLAY COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD**  
**August 18, 2011**

The Clay County School Board met for special pupil request hearings on the above date in the Board Room at the Teacher Inservice Center at Fleming Island High School with members present, to-wit: Janice Kerekes, District 1; Carol Studdard, District 2; Charles Van Zant, Jr., District 3; Frank Farrell, District 4; and Lisa Graham, District 5. Superintendent Ben Wortham was also present. Terry Grieninger, Principal at Paterson Elementary and Jenny Newhall, Principal and Heather Petrosky, Assistant Principal, at Tynes Elementary were representing the schools.

Chairman Frank Farrell called the hearings to order at 4:00 p.m. **Backup documentation in File #1087.**

#1 Michael Atkins, zoned Charles E. Bennett Elementary, requesting Fleming Island Elementary. The student's parent, Tiffeny Maisonet, was present. Fleming Island Elementary is over student projection for 2011-2012. *Motion was made by Charles Van Zant, Jr., seconded by Carol Studdard, to approve the request to attend Doctors Inlet Elementary.*

Voting Aye: All  
Voting Nay: None

Motion carried 5-0.

#2 Eric Padgett, zoned Ridgeview Elementary, requesting Tynes Elementary. The student's parents, Darryl Padgett, Ashley Padgett and Wendy Wafford, were present. Tynes Elementary is well over student projection for 2011-2012. *Motion was made by Charles Van Zant, Jr., seconded by Lisa Graham, to approve a provisional request to attend Tynes Elementary, if an additional class is created and space is available. Parents will be notified by the school.*

Voting Aye: All  
Voting Nay: None

Motion carried 5-0

#3 Kevin Valencia-Villa, zoned Doctors Inlet Elementary, requesting Coppergate Elementary. *This request was withdrawn.*

#4 Malaki King, zoned Coppergate Elementary, requesting Paterson Elementary. The student's parents, Darlin King, Cindy Schmitzer and Joann DuFour were present. Paterson Elementary is over student projection for 2011-2012. *Motion was made by Carol Studdard, seconded by Lisa Graham, to approve the request to attend Thunderbolt Elementary.*

Voting Aye: All  
Voting Nay: None

Motion carried 5-0.

**The Chairman adjourned the hearings at 4:55 p.m.**

**ATTEST:**

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**Superintendent**

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**Chairman**

**Board Approval:** \_\_\_\_\_