

**COTTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

April 01, 2021
7:00 p.m.

President Allen Franks called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Members present were Allen Franks, Luke Walker, Jimmy Morgan, Donald Marler and Robert Benedict

7:01 p.m. Superintendent Vanessa Thomas Jones and board members reviewed and discussed positive case data for the district and community, district vaccination numbers, input from staff members, upcoming ACT testing windows, upcoming events such as prom and graduation, and current End of the Year COVID-19 Guidance for Schools from the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. End of Year COVID-19 Guidance for Schools Current data will be presented to the board during the regular meeting on April 15th to reevaluate the situation at that time.

8:47 p.m. The recommendation to continue the mask requirement for all staff members and students in Grades 5-12 was made by Superintendent Vanessa Thomas Jones. Motion to approve made by Luke Walker and seconded by Donald Marler. The motion was unanimously approved.

8:48 p.m. Motion to adjourn the meeting made by Jimmy Morgan and seconded by Robert Benedict. The motion was unanimously approved.

8:48 p.m. President Allen Franks adjourned the meeting.



Allen Franks, President



Jimmy Morgan, Secretary