

The Board of Commissioners for the County of Cabarrus met for a Joint Meeting at the Cabarrus County Board of Education, 4401 Old Airport Road, Concord, North Carolina, on Monday, February 17, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

Present - Chairman: Christopher A. Measmer  
Vice Chairman: Laura B. Lindsey  
Commissioners: Larry G. Pittman

Absent - Commissioners: Lynn W. Shue  
Kenneth M. Wortman

Also present were Kelly Sifford, Deputy County Manager; Alece Pugh, Assistant County Manager; and Lauren Linker, Clerk to the Board.

The following Cabarrus County Board of Education and State Legislative representatives were also present:

Cabarrus County School - Pam Escobar, Melanie Freeman, Shannon Lancaster, Greg Mills, Catherine Moore, Sam Treadaway, and Rob Walter.

State Legislative Representatives - Jonathan Almond, Brian Echevarria, and Grant Campbell.

Called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Introductions of all representatives present. Cabarrus County Schools staff went through the organization's legislative priorities:

- Recruiting and Retaining Quality Staff
- Strengthening Education Funding
- Reforming the Accountability Model
- Increasing Flexibility and Regulatory Reform
- Enhancing Student Safety and Wellness.

There were questions and lengthy discussions from the representatives with the school staff.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.



*Lauren Linker*  
Lauren Linker, Clerk to the Board