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October 26, 2015

The Board of Education of Harford County met for an open business meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Board Room of the A. A. Roberty Building and took the following actions and received the following presentations:

- Recognition: [2015 National Blue Ribbon School, Fountain Green Elementary School](#)
- Board Comments
- Public Comments
- Old Business:
 - Consent Agenda:
 - Award of Contract: [After School Youth Development Program](#)
 - Monthly Personnel Report – September 2015
 - Minutes of Previous Board Meetings: October 12, 2015
- New Business:
 - Presentations:
 - Presentation of [Comprehensive Annual Financial Report](#) as of June 30, 2015 by Ms. Deborah Judd, Assistant Superintendent for Business Services, Mr. Jay Staab, Director of Finance, Mr. Bill Seymour and Ms. Monique Booker, Auditors – SB and Company
 - Presentation on [Professional Development](#) by Mrs. Jackie Tarbert, Coordinator of Leadership and Professional Development, Mrs. Heather Moorefield, Grant Coordinator of Teacher Induction and Mrs. Crystal White
 - Presentations on the Citizen Advisory Committees: (all CAC information is linked on the Board Agenda)
 - Career and Technology Education
 - Family Life
 - Gifted and Talented
 - Safety and Security
 - Special Education



- Superintendent's Report
 - October 15, 2015, more than 450 special education paraeducators and inclusion helpers convened for the first annual Community of Practice for professional learning and community building.
 - MSDE is preparing to release PARCC data in the coming months. In preparation, all schools have been asked to post links to their EdLine pages with pertinent and helpful information for parents and guardians as they review and get acclimated to reading the PARCC score results which will be released later this fall. We will continue to develop and share information in the coming weeks to assist parents and guardians as they navigate PARCC information so please continue to watch your schools EdLine page as well as the system social media pages and website.

The next Board of Education business meeting will be held **Monday, November 9, 2015 at 6:30pm**. All Board meetings are held in the A. A. Roberty Building. To access all future meeting dates and agendas, log onto the school system website at www.hcps.org.

