



**PALMETTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING**

**Palmetto Unified School District Office
1735 Haviland Circle, Columbia, SC 29210**

January 9, 2025

11:00 AM

VISION

Palmetto Unified School District educates and empowers participants to become employable, self-sufficient citizens.

AGENDA

OPEN SESSION: Board Chairman Quinn

- I. **CALL TO ORDER**
(Notice of the meeting was duly exercised in accordance with the Freedom of Act).
Verification of Quorum
- II. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- III. **INVOCATION** Chaplain Lester Bandy Wateree CI
- IV. **OLD BUSINESS**
 - a. Action Item: Board Meeting Minutes Approval, October 3, 2024
- V. **NEW BUSINESS**
 - a. **Swearing in New Board Member Karen Scott**
 - Budget Updates: Ms. Georganna Martin
 - Superintendent's Report/Updates
 - Staff acknowledgment
 - Presentation to Board Members
 - Special Recognition (Student)
 - Curriculum Update
 - Adult Education /GED/WIN Attainment July – September 2024
 - CTE /Vocational Update
 - Human Resource Services
 - Post-Secondary Update
- VI. **CHAIRMAN'S REPORT (Chairman Quinn)**
- VII. **EXECUTIVE SESSION (Upon Request)**
- VIII. **BOARD MEMBERS REPORT AND DISCUSSION**
- IX. **ADJOURNMENT**

Next Board Meeting: Thursday, April 3, 2025, at 10:00 AM

MISSION

To improve the academic, vocational, and life skills of offenders assigned to the South Carolina Department so that they are better prepared to successfully reenter society.

Board of Trustees

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