

GULF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD
SPECIAL WORKSHOP

Tuesday, November 12, 2013, NOON E. T.

AGENDA TOPIC: Port St. Joe Elementary School Gymnasium Floor

The Gulf County School Board held a special workshop Tuesday, November 12, 2013, at Noon E. T., to discuss options for replacing the Port St. Joe Elementary School Gymnasium floor. A professional representative from RAM Enterprises (Montgomery, AL) presented a sample of the recommended system for the project. Mr. Little asked if it would be feasible and more economical for the district to replace the floor with the same type flooring system currently in place considering it lasted so many years. The representative stated that what Mr. Little was suggesting could be done, however he would not personally recommend doing so in light of the changes in the facility since the gymnasium was built and the current floor was installed.

Mr. Norton directed Mr. Layfield to bid the project out as soon as possible, with the intent being to have a recommendation before the Board at the December meeting. This item is on the Five Year Work Plan and the Project Priority list and will be funded through CO&DS dollars. Mr. Norton reminded the Board that the state places very stringent guidelines on how these funds can be used. Currently, the district has no other needs on the project list which qualify for these dollars. Mr. Norton assured the Board that the project would not exceed the available funds; if the bids Mr. Layfield receives are excessive, the project will be downsized and re-bid.