

MINUTES OF SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
Jan. 16, 2006

A Special Board Meeting was scheduled for the purpose of dealing with two Level III discipline grievances and to deal with issues and parameters regarding the Superintendent's evaluation and contract status that had been formatively conducted on Jan. 9, 2006.

All Board members (Myrl Cabe, John Rothermel, Sandi Sauers, Albert Wostal, Vince Megale, Bruce Blankenship and Beth Davis) were present. Mr. Cabe called the meeting to order at 6:05 PM and immediately went into Executive Session to conduct the first Level III hearing.

Representing the administration were Dr. Whittemore, Mike Van Essen, and Mike File. The parents and student represented themselves.

The father requested that the Level II decision of 1 day JJAEP and the rest of the school year in DAEP be amended to 30 days DAEP and to have the matter reviewed after 75% of the time had been served.

The Board dismissed the parents and administration at approximately 6:40 PM and deliberated until approximately 7:40 PM.

After a short recess, the Board reconvened into Executive Session to consider the second case of a Level III grievance. Mr. Van Essen and Dr. Whittemore again represented the administration and the parents and student represented themselves.

The Board dismissed the parents and administration at approximately 8:07 PM to deliberate the second situation.

At approximately 8:19 PM, the Board convened into Open Session with all parents and Mr. Van Essen and Dr. Whittemore present.

Motion by Mr. Cabe: to deny the request for a 30-day placement in DAEP in both cases. The Board further altered the DAEP placement of the rest of the 2005-2006 school year for the senior (Grievance 1) and the ensuing calendar year for the sophomore and amended the DAEP placement to 75 days, which was the time that had been misstated in the original letters to the parents. The motion also included direction to the HS administration to review both cases after 75% of the 75 days were completed and to assure that appropriate CMC assistance and support be provided for the student classified as Sect. 504. Mr. Megale seconded. Voting for were Cabe, Rothermel, Wostal, Sauers, Megale, and Blankenship. Voting against was Davis. The motion passed 6-1.

The parents left the meeting but Mr. Yarbrough immediately returned announcing that he was not through with the Board/Administration yet. He then proceeded to address the Board in Open Session in very inappropriate terms before finally throwing his papers down on the table and leaving.

The Board then reconvened in Executive Session to discuss the Superintendent's evaluation and contract status.

The Board convened in Open Session at 9:40 PM.

Mr. Megale moved to adjourn and Mr. Cabe seconded. All voted for and the meeting was over at 9:41 PM.

We affirm that these minutes are official, complete and correct. Date Minutes Approved: January 19, 2006

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Trey Cabe, President

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Sandi Sauers, Secretary