

COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7

Minutes of the Board of Education Regular Meeting September 27, 2006 7:00 p.m.

A regular meeting of the Board of Education of Community Unit School District No. 7 was held on Wednesday, September 27, 2006 in the Administration Center, Tolono. Mr. Koss, President of the Board, called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Upon roll call, the following answered:

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mr. Koss, Mr. Bonnell, Mrs. Friedemann
Mr. Rund, Mrs. Garrett, Mr. Fellmann

MEMBERS ABSENT: Mr. Lewis

ADMINISTRATION: Mr. Shonk, Phil Morrison, Janet Ellis-Nelson,
Josh Didier, Mary Hettinger, Mary Weaver, Tim Gateley

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Mr. Bonnell and seconded by Mr. Fellmann to adopt the agenda for the September 27, 2006 Board of Education Meeting as presented. Voice Vote.

MOTION CARRIED

A Public Hearing on the proposed 2006-2007 budget was held. No Comments were made from the Public regarding the budget.

It was moved by Mr. Rund and seconded by Mrs. Friedemann to approve the Consent Agenda items. Roll call.

Aye: Mr. Koss, Mrs. Friedemann, Mr. Fellmann, Mr. Rund, Mr. Bonnell, Mrs. Garrett
Nay: None

Absent: Mr. Lewis

MOTION CARRIED

Kathy Wickline and Kris Graves gave a presentation on the Lincoln Trail Library Grant.

Barb Rascher addressed the board asking if there were new restrictions on how the kids show their school spirit.

Mr. Morrison responded to her question.

Paul Lewis arrived at 7:13.

Tim Gateley gave a Technology report.

Mary Hettinger gave a Curriculum report.

Mr. Shonk gave a Buildings and Grounds report.

It was moved by Mr. Rund and seconded by Mr. Lewis to have Tile Specialist lay the remainder of the floor tile in the 6th grade wing at Unity Jr. High School on Saturday Oct. 7 & 8 – Saturday Oct. 21st (cost not to exceed \$4,202.00). Roll call.

Aye: Mr. Koss, Mrs. Friedemann, Mr. Fellmann, Mr. Rund, Mr. Bonnell, Mrs. Garrett
Mr. Lewis

Nay: None

Absent: MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mr. Lewis and seconded by Mr. Rund to adopt the 2006-2007 budget as presented. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mr. Rund and seconded by Mr. Fellmann to dispose of property no longer useful to the School District as presented.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mrs. Friedemann and seconded by Mr. Bonnell to approve the overnight FFA Trip to Indianapolis Oct. 25 & Oct. 26. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mr. Lewis and seconded by Mr. Rund to approve renewal of the Three Year Contract with Daughetee & Parks, Auditors. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mrs. Garrett and seconded by Mr. Fellmann to approve the Annual Applications for Recognition of Schools. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mr. Rund and seconded by Mrs. Friedemann to approve the contract with Carle Hospital for the Athletic Trainer. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mrs. Friedemann and seconded by Mr. Fellmann to authorize Mr. Shonk to hire Custodians as needed prior to the next board meeting, Oct. 25, 2006. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

Changing Bus Stops in Sadorus to accommodate Village's Bus Shelters was discussed.

The Board of Education supports changing Bus stops to accommodate bus shelters.

Mr. Shonk discussed dumping of trash on School Property and Dumpsters.

It was moved by Mrs. Garrett and seconded by Mrs. Friedemann that the Board move into executive session for the purpose of discussing matters related to student discipline, personnel and bargaining. Roll call.

Aye: Mr. Koss, Mrs. Friedemann, Mr. Fellmann, Mr. Rund, Mr. Bonnell, Mrs. Garrett
Mr. Lewis

Nay: None

Absent:

MOTION CARRIED

The Board moved into executive session at 8:07 p.m.

It was moved by Mr. Fellmann and seconded by Mrs. Friedemann to move out of executive session. Roll call.

Aye: Mr. Koss, Mrs. Friedemann, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Rund, Mr. Bonnell, Mrs. Garrett
Mr. Fellmann

Nay: None

Absent:

MOTION CARRIED

The Board moved out of executive session at 8:40 p.m.

It was moved by Mr. Lewis and seconded by Mr. Rund to employ Becky Bennett for a Lunchroom/Playground Supervisor position at Unity East Elementary School for the 2006-2007 school year. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED'

It was moved by Mr. Fellmann and seconded by Mrs. Garrett to employ Carol Dixon-Hunt for the position of 3rd Grade teacher at Unity West Elementary school for the 2006-2007 school year. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mr. Fellmann and seconded by Mrs. Friedemann to accept the resignation from Garrett Cler effective September 22, 2006. Voice vote.

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It was moved by Mrs. Garrett and seconded by Mr. Fellmann to accept retirement from Jim Smith effective September 22, 2006. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mrs. Friedemann seconded by Mr. Fellmann to approve the one-year sabbatical from coaching Jr. High Basketball from Joe O'Neil, for the 2006-2007 school year. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Mr. Lewis and seconded by Mr. Rund that the meeting adjourn at 9:00 p.m. Voice vote.

MOTION CARRIED

The next regular meeting of the Board of Education will be held Wednesday, October 25, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. in the Administration Center, Tolono

Fred Koss, President

Lori Garrett, Secretary