

OAKLAND COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #5

OAKLAND, IL

Special Meeting March 24, 2014

The Board of Education of Oakland Community Unit District #5 of Coles, Douglas, and Edgar Counties convened for a special meeting in the Lake Crest Elementary School at 7:00 p.m. on March 24, 2014.

The meeting was called to order by President McKinney at 7:00 p.m. with members: Butler, Clifton, Dague, Hudson, McKinney, McQueen, and Pearcy present. Also present was Superintendent Landeck, Principals Adam Clapp and Patty Stark as well approximately twenty-five guest.

Landeck suggested the agenda be amended to include a public comments section before the Board goes to executive session. A motion was made by Dague, seconded by McQueen to approve the Agenda as amended. Upon roll, all members present voted aye. Motion carried.

Pat Titus, Nic Turner, Alex Hudson, Corey Bell, and Jordan Smith all addressed the Board during the public comments session.

As the motion to enter into executive session was being asked for, Janice Hunt made a statement that if the Board was going into executive session to discuss the possible reductions, they would be in violation of the Open Meetings Act. President McKinney restated the reasons for entering into executive session which included discussion of collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees.

A motion was made by Clifton, seconded by Pearcy to enter into executive session at 7:15 pm. Upon voice vote, all members present voted aye. Motion carried.

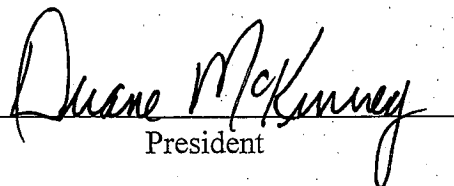
The board left executive session and returned to the regular meeting at 8:11 pm.

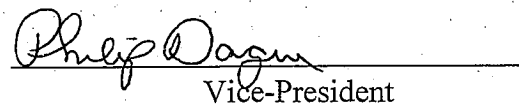
A motion was made by Clifton, seconded by Pearcy to accept executive session minutes as read in executive session. Upon roll, all members present voted aye. Motion Carried.

President McKinney then made a statement, "As a result of negotiations with the Oakland Education Association, there would be no reductions."

OEA President Meridith Reddick made a brief statement in regards to the process and decision.

A motion was made by Dague, seconded by Pearcy to adjourn at 8:17 p.m. Upon voice vote, all members present voted aye. Motion Carried.

  
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