

Board of Education
Special Meeting Minutes
Monday, November 2, 2009 Time: 7:00 P.M.
Place: Nauvoo-Colusa Jr. High School Cafeteria
2461 North County Road 1000, Nauvoo, Illinois 62354

1.0 Call to Order

Board meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Vice President, Mr. Boyles.

2.0 Roll Call

Board Members Present: Mr. Boyles, Mr. Knipe, Mr. Sinele, Mr. Cox, Ms. Pack, and Mrs. Snyder.

Others Present: Mr. Young, Annie Baxter, Carla Yager, Linda Henriksen, Tana Lindsay, Brandon Lindsay, Jackie Mathews, Mickey Knipe, Tom Bertucci, Lori Bollin, Wayne Bollin, Kevin Koechle, Denise Koechle, Chris Adams, Darcy Adams, Debra Roskamp, Tracey Grow, Brenda Gilpin, Stacy Gilpin, Kim Gilpin, Deb Beeler, Megan Gilpin, and Kathy Jacobs.

3.0 Public Deactivation Meeting

3.1 Mr. Sinele presented a slide show about the deactivation to the crowd.

3.2 Mrs. Adams stated that her special education child is doing very well with the 8-block and they are very pleased with the deactivation.

3.3 Mrs. Beeler stated that her Warsaw 8th grader is doing very well with the deactivation. They like everything about it but when he is sick it is a long drive to pick him up.

3.4 Mrs. Jacobs stated problems with bussing for the high school students. Her son has had to share a seat with two others. The students would be able to do their homework on the long bus ride if there were more room.

3.5 Mrs. Jacobs asked about how to put the deactivation back on the ballot. The board explained that they would have to vote and approve to put it back on the ballot. In order for them to approve this, they need more input from parents and the public. They would like any kind of input to help them make the decision.

3.6 Mrs. Jacobs stated that Kerry Asbridge, the county clerk, declared that a petition can be put in place to put the deactivation back on the ballot. Mr. Young stated that according to the Illinois School Code that is not true. He will check with Kerry Asbridge on this.

3.7 Mrs. Grow stated that she is very pleased with Warsaw High School in the deactivation. She likes the teachers and so does her student.

3.8 Mrs. Lindsay asked who to go to for problems with a bus driver? Mr. Young stated that she needs to go to the district that employs the bus driver. If it is Nauvoo-Colusa's bus driver, then see Mr. Young. If it is a Warsaw's driver, see the Warsaw Transportation Director, Kim Nagel.

4.0 Adjournment

4.1 The motion was made by Ms. Pack, seconded by Mrs. Snyder to adjourn the meeting at 7:41. Vote: 6-0. Knoke – Absent.