

MONROE COUNTY COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION
BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
Special Meeting-Press Conference, June 10, 2009

MEMORANDA

The Board of School Trustees of the Monroe County Community School Corporation met in special meeting-press conference, for which proper notice had been given, at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 10, 2009, at Bloomington High School South, 1965 S. Walnut Street, Bloomington, Indiana.

Board members present: Jeannine Butler, Lois Sabo-Skelton, Valerie Merriam, Sue Wanzer, Vicki Streiff

Board members absent: Jim Muehling, John Hamilton

Also present: Timothy F. Hyland, Interim Superintendent; John T. Coopman, Incoming Superintendent; Timothy Thrasher, Comptroller; Peggy Welch, State Representative; Matt Pierce, State Representative; Christy Gillenwater, Bloomington Chamber of Commerce; Linda Richardson, MCEA President; and Mike Satterfield, City Council representative.

In addition to the above, 40 citizens/MCCSC employees signed the visitor list (which is included as part of the official record of this meeting) and two representatives of Bloomington Community Access TV were present. There were approximately 10-15 attendees who did not sign the visitor list.

1. **Call to Order**

President of the Board, Jeannine Butler, called the meeting to order at 1:02 p.m. Dr. Butler noted that the purpose of this meeting was to inform the public with regards to State funding as outlined in Governor Daniels' proposed budget.

Opening comments were given by Dr. Hyland and Dr. Coopman. Following their opening comments the microphone was turned over to Mr. Thrasher to expound and explain in lay language the effect of the Governor's proposed budget will have on MCCSC specifically and public school corporations in general.

Following Mr. Thrasher's statements, the Board entertained comments from the floor.

The following audience members asked questions/made comment: Peggy Welch; Mike Satterfield; Sandy Cole; Christy Gillenwater; Stewart Curry

In closing the Board encouraged the public to contact their State Legislators, the Governor's Office and the Department of Education expressing their thoughts and concerns in regard to Governor Daniels' budget.

2. **Adjournment**

There being no further discussion, Dr. Butler called for a motion to adjourn the Special Meeting-Press Conference. Ms. Wanzer made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Ms. Merriam seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 2:09 p.m.

Jeannine Butler, President

Valerie Merriam, Vice President

ABSENT

Vicki Streiff, Secretary

John Hamilton, Assistant Secretary

ABSENT

Jim Muehling, Member

Lois Sabo-Skelton, Member

Susan P. Wanzer, Member