

BETTENDORF COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
**BETTENDORF, IOWA**

Unofficial Minutes of the September 14, 2016 Special Meeting  
of the Board of Education  
(pending Board approval)

1. Call to Order.

The Board of Directors of the Bettendorf Community School District, in the County of Scott, State of Iowa, met in open session according to Iowa law for their special Board meeting at the Administration Center, 3311 18th Street, Bettendorf, Iowa, on September 14, 2016. President Pepper Trahan called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m. Colleen Skolrood, Board Secretary, verified that the meeting notice had been posted and mailed to the media as required by law.

Members present: Directors Castro, Justis, Staley, Tinsman, Trahan

Members absent: Directors Pyevich, Struck

Other officials present: Mike Raso, Interim Superintendent; Celeste Miller, Director of Communications; Kay Ingham, Director of Student Services; Lana LaSalle, TJ Principal; Colleen Skolrood, Board Secretary.

2. Agenda Approval.

Motion by Director Castro, seconded by Director Justis, to approve the agenda as presented.

Ayes: 5 Directors Castro, Justis, Staley, Tinsman, Trahan

Nays: 0

Absent: 2 Directors Pyevich, Struck

Motion carried 5-0-2

3. Curriculum Presentations.

Kaye Meyers, Literacy Curriculum and Professional Development Teacher Leader; Shannen Retter, High School Special Education Teacher; Clint Heitz, High School Instructional Coach; and Jessica Baidis, NA Kindergarten Teacher, shared information on literacy PK-12. Shannen Retter talked about the impact of work as a teacher and the benefits to students with IEPs. Clint Heitz discussed the work being done at the middle school and high school and how to involve students in their learning. Jessica Baidis shared information on the work being done at the elementary level. Kaye Meyers said the teachers are working really hard to make this profitable for all students.

Directors recommended scheduling another work session to look at the data obtained and how the teachers are dealing with the data they have received.

Kaye Meyers noted new social studies standards will be out in the spring of 2017. Once the standards are officially released in the spring of 2017, districts will be given a grace period before full implementation of the standards is required.

4. Adjournment.

Director Castro motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 p.m.

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Pepper Trahan, President

ATTEST:

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Colleen Skolrood, Secretary