

WEBSTER COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
JANUARY 9, 2012 AT 6:00 P.M.

The Webster County Board of Education held its regular meeting on January 9, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. Mrs. Linda Rogers, Mrs. Kelly Cobb, Mr. Donald Brown, Dr. Sophronia Thompkins, Ms. LaToya Riggins, and Mrs. Janie Downer, Superintendent/Principal were present.

Mrs. Linda Rogers called the meeting to order.

Mrs. Linda Rogers gave the invocation.

Mrs. Linda Rogers recognized visitors.

The tentative agenda was approved with the amendment of adding to the agenda-Approve change in media center policy-by a motion made by Ms. LaToya Riggins, seconded by Mrs. Kelly Cobb. The motion was approved unanimously.

The December 2011 financial report was approved by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Mrs. Kelly Cobb. The motion was approved unanimously.

The December 12, 2011 regular meeting minutes were approved by a motion made by Ms. LaToya Riggins, seconded by Dr. Sophronia Thompkins. The motion was approved unanimously.

The December 19, 2011 special called meeting minutes were approved by a motion made by Mrs. Kelly Cobb, seconded by Dr. Sophronia Thompkins. The motion was approved unanimously.

Mrs. Bonita Hightower spoke at this time. She had concerns about receiving a verbal notification from the B.O.E.'s office that she could not use the school facility as requested. After discussion, Mrs. Hightower asked the Board for a written notification of the response and to include the reason of denial along with the voting results of the matter.

Mrs. Brenda Morris spoke at this time. She had several questions concerning the athletic department.

The Board approved the change in the Media Policy allowing Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students to checkout books by a motion made by Mrs. Kelly Cobb, seconded by Mr. Donald Brown. The motion was approved unanimously.

Mr. Donald Brown was nominated as Board Vice-Chairman. There being no further nominations, nominations were closed. Mr. Donald Brown was elected as 2012 Board

Vice-Chairman by a motion made by Mrs. Kelly Cobb, seconded by Dr. Sophronia Thompkins. The motion was approved unanimously.

The 2012 regular board meetings will be held every second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Webster County Board of Education's meeting room unless notified otherwise by a motion made by Mrs. Kelly Cobb, seconded by Mrs. LaToya Riggins. The motion was approved unanimously.

The Board approved the redistricting map for 2010 census by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Mrs. Kelly Cobb. The motion passed 4-0, with Mrs. Linda Rogers, Mrs. Kelly Cobb, Mr. Donald Brown, and Ms. LaToya Riggins voting for the motion; Dr. Sophronia Thompkins abstained.

Mrs. Downer presented the Superintendent's report.

The Board entered into executive session to discuss personnel by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Mrs. Kelly Cobb. The motion was carried unanimously.

The Board exited out of executive session by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Dr. Sophronia Thompkins. The motion was carried unanimously.

No action taken.

There was discussion on the meal program information received from the Department of School Nutrition.

The meeting was adjourned by a motion made by Mrs. Kelly Cobb, seconded by Dr. Sophronia Thompkins. The motion was carried unanimously.

Approved 2/13/2012