

WEBSTER COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 11, 2013 AT 6:00 P.M.

The Webster County Board of Education held a special called meeting on March 11, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. Mrs. Linda Rogers, Mr. Donald Brown, Dr. Sophronia Thompkins, Ms. LaToya Riggins, Mr. Nehemiah Stevens, and Mrs. Janie S. 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 Board approved the tentative agenda-with the amendment of adding to the agenda #2 discuss taking notes at Board meetings; moving #4 approve to rescind drug testing requirement to #3 and #5 inform Board members regarding transportation issue to #4; adding #5 approve to enter into executive session to discuss personnel and #6 approve to exit out of executive session; making #7 approve to rehire Mrs. Dorothy Crimes as Administrative Assistant-12 months for 2013-2014 and #8 approve to adjourn-by a motion made by Mr. Nehemiah Stevens, seconded by Mr. Donald Brown. The motion was approved unanimously.

Discussion on taking notes at Board meetings took place at this time. Mrs. Downer explained that she took notes along with an assistant for accuracy.

The Board approved to rescind the drug testing requirement on employees during the hiring process by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Mrs. Linda Rogers. The motion passed 4-1, with Mrs. Linda Rogers, Mr. Donald Brown, Dr. Sophronia Thompkins, and Ms. LaToya Riggins voting for the motion; Mr. Nehemiah Stevens opposing.

Mrs. Downer informed Board members regarding transportation issue. Mrs. Downer reported on van status and evaluation of the van.

The Board approved to enter into executive session to discuss personnel by a motion made by Mr. Nehemiah Stevens, seconded by Ms. LaToya Riggins. The motion was approved unanimously.

The Board approved to exit out of executive session by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Ms. LaToya Riggins. The motion was approved unanimously.

The Board approved to rehire Dorothy Crimes as Administrative Assistant-12 months for 2013-2014 by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Mrs. Linda Rogers. The motion was approved 3-2, with Mrs. Linda Rogers, Mr. Donald Brown, and Dr. Sophronia Thompkins voting for the motion; Mr. Nehemiah Stevens and Ms. LaToya Riggins opposing.

The Board approved to adjourn by a motion made by Mr. Donald Brown, seconded by Mr. Nehemiah Stevens. The motion was approved unanimously.

Approved May 13, 2013