

**Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative  
Executive Advisory Board  
Minutes  
September 2, 2015  
11:30-2:30**

**Geneva School District 304 Administrative Offices  
227 N. 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Geneva, IL 60134**

1. The meeting was called to order at 11:44 a.m. by Dr. Schlomann, Superintendent of District 303. The following superintendents were also present: Dr. Hichens, D101; Dr. Stirn, D30; Dr. Mutchler, D304, and Dr. Leden, D302. Also present were the administrative liaisons from each of the member districts, Nancy Sporer and Carla Cumblad from Mid-Valley.
2. The agenda was approved.
3. There was no public comment.
4. Dr. Cumblad presented information about Mid-Valley's 2014-5 school year and goals for the upcoming school year.
5. There was a discussion about District special education activities and their relationship with the Cooperative.
  - a. No recent trend information was provided because the state is reviewing its special education information system.
  - b. Overall, the Districts reported a positive experience with the Cooperative, especially with the behavior/instructional coaching, professional development and intensive programming.
  - c. A speech-language committee will be convened this year to examine the entrance and exit criteria for S-L services.
6. Strategic Planning. There was a general discussion about the Strategic Plan and the timeline for completion. Several suggestions were made regarding future planning for the Cooperative.
7. The meeting was adjourned at 1:35 p.m.