## MINUTES OF A REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DISTRICT 152, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, HELD ON MONDAY, MAY 20, 2013 AT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CENTER – 16001 Lincoln Avenue HARVEY, ILLINOIS, AT 6:30 P.M.

The Regular Board Meeting of the Board of Education was called to order by the President, Janet Rogers, at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, May 20, 2013. CALL TO ORDER

The following were present:

**ROLL CALL** 

PRESENT: Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. Hawkins, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers

ABSENT: NONE

Other School Officials in attendance were:

- PRESENT: Dr. Kevin J. Nohelty Assistant Superintendent of Business Operations and Human Relations Dr. Sophia Jones-Redmond Director of Special Services Ms. Johnnetta Miller Director of Teaching and Learning Ms. Owens Interim Assistant Superintendent Dr. Denean Adams 2013-14 Superintendent
- ABSENT: Eric J. Kellogg Superintendent

Everyone stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

A motion was made by Ms. Hawkins and seconded by Dr. Kisha McCaskill to approve the Agenda. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson Ms. Rogers NAY: None

ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes – Motion carried

**Holmes School Presentation** 

**Gwendolyn Brooks Presentation** 

**Illinois Eye Institute** 

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. Hawkins to approve the Regular Board Minutes for April 17, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers

NAY: Mr. Robinson

**ABSENT: None** 

6 ayes, 1 nay – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve the Special Board Minutes for April 20, May 2, 6 & 13, 2013 with the Correction from May 2, 2013 per Gloria Johnson. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: Mr. Robinson. ABSENT: NONE 6 ayes, 1 nay – Motion carried. PRESENTATION(S)

REGULAR MINUTES FOR APRIL 17, 2013 APPROVED

SPECIAL MINUTES FOR APRIL 20, MAY 2, 6 & 13, 2013 APPROVED A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve the Executive Minutes for April 17, May 2 & 13, 2013 . Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: Mr. Robinson ABSENT: NONE 6 ayes, 1 nay – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson and seconded by Mr. Rogers to approve the Accounts Receivable/ Revenue for April 2013 totaling \$2,223.020.02. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. B. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. Hawkins, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: Mr. Robinson ABSENT: NONE 6 ayes, 1 nay – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve Accounts Payable for May , 20, 2013 totaling \$461,070.56. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: Mr. Robinson ABSENT: NONE 6 ayes, 1 nay – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson and seconded by Mr. Rogers to approve April 2013 Payroll totaling \$1,217,613.35. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers

Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes, – Motion carried. EXECUTIVE SESSION MINUTES FOR APRIL 17, MAY 2, & 13, 2013 APPROVED

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE/ REVENUE APRIL 2013 APPROVED

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE FOR MAY 20, 2013 APPROVED

APRIL 2013 PAYROLLS APPROVED motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. Hawkins to approve Brooks Middle School Parking Lot Renovations . Roll call vote. AYE: Mr. Rogers NAY: Ms. B. Johnson, G. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill ABSTAIN: Ms. Rogers ABSENT: NONE 1 aye, 5 nays, 1 abstain – Motion Failed.

A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson and seconded by Ms. B. Johnson to approve the Resignation for Laura J. Mastin, 1<sup>st</sup> Teacher at Whittier School, effective, May 31, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson and seconded by Ms. B. Johnson to approve the Resignation for Amanda List, 1st Teacher at Whittier School, effective, May 31, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve the Resignation for Kelly Broughton, Special Education Teacher at Whittier School, effective, May 31, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: Mr. Robinson ABSENT: NONE 6 ayes, 1 nay - Motion carried. BROOKS MIDDLE SCHOOL PARKING LOT RENOVATIONS FAILED

RESIGNATION(S) APPROVED A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson and seconded by Mr. Rogers to approve the Resignation for Jassmin Gonzalez, 2nd grade Teacher at Bryant School, effective, May 31, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: Mr. Robinson ABSENT: NONE 6 ayes, 1 nay - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Dr. McCaskill to table a Medical Leave for Ben Averyheart, Industrial Tech at Gwendolyn Brooks School, effective, April 9, 2013 through the beginning of 2013-2014 school year. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson, and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve a Medical Leave for Ta'Shona Pernell-Hayes, Speech and Language Therapist at Sandburg Angelou School, effective, May 30, 2013 through October 1, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried. LEAVE(S) MOTION TABLED A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson, and seconded by Mr. Rogers to approve a Medical Leave for Sandra P. Ayala, Teacher at Bryant School, effective, September 23, 2013 through November 1, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers

NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE

7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers, and seconded by Ms. B. Johnson to approve a Medical Leave for Joyce Hatcher, Aide/ Teacher at the C.LA.S.S. Program effective, August 19, through October 1, 2013. Roll call vote.

AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve LaTonya Greene Secretary at Lowell Elementary School (Step 1) effective August 5, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Mr. Rogers, Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. Rogers NAY: Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill ABSENT: NONE 5 ayes, 2 nay – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve Riqia Owens, Special Services Clerk (\$13.91) effective May 21, 2013. Roll call vote.

AYE: Mr. Rogers, Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. Rogers

NAY: Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill ABSENT: NONE

5 ayes, 2 nay – Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT(S) APPROVED A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson and seconded by Mr. Rogers to approve Returning College Students for Employment: Quinton Crudrup, ShaQueen Lee, Tina Robinson and Melanie Ware. Roll call vote.

AYE: Mr. Rogers, Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers
NAY: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
7 ayes – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers, and seconded by Ms. B. Johnson to approve the Retirement for Lois Webster, Parent Coordinator at Holmes School, effective May 31, 2013. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE

ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve the Retirement for Janet Loughrey, Pre-K Teacher at Riley Early Learning Center, effective end of the 2013/2014 school year. (End of School Year). Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Mr. Rogers to approve the GSU Teacher Alternative Certification Program. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers

NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried. RETIREMENT(S) APPROVED

GSU TEACHER ALTERNATIVE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM APPROVED A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson and seconded by Mr. Rogers to approve the Mile Leadership Program (Principal Mentoring). Roll call vote.

AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes - Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve the 2013-14 School Year Registration Dates. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. Hawkins, Ms. Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7ayes - Motion carried.

President Rogers asked that Betty Owens, Interim Assistant Superintendent have some research on School Consolidation at the next School Board Meeting.

Curriculum -

Ms. Miller read the Curriculum Report from May 9, 2013.The following items were discussed: Read 180/S44; Summer School; Rising Star; Science Festival; GSU; Uniforms; Climate Survey and Foundation 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing.

A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson and seconded by Ms. B. Johnson to accept the Curriculum Report from May 9, 2013. Roll Call vote.

AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers
NAY: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
7 ayes – Motion carried.

## MILE LEADERSHIP PROGRAM PRINCIPAL MENTORING

2013-14 SCHOOL YEAR REGISTRATION DATES APPROVED

#### **CURRICULUM REPORT**

CURRICULUM REPORT ACCEPTED A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to approve the 2013 Summer School Budget. Roll Call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers

NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE

7 ayes – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to table the Uniform change until further information is received. Roll Call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers UNIFORM CHANGE TABLED

Ms. Miller read the Policy Report from May 7, 2013.The following items were discussed: IASB Policy Customization Status; Press Issue March 2013 and Five Year Review

A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to accept the Policy Report from May 7, 2013. Roll Call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes – Motion carried. **POLICY REPORT** 

POLICY REPORT ACCEPTED

# SUMMER SCHOOL BUDGET APPRIOVED

ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes – Motion carried.

NAY: NONE

Policy -

A motion was made by Ms. B. Johnson and seconded by Ms. Hawkins to accept the Finance/Facility report from May 10, 2013. Roll Call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Robinson, Dr. McCaskill, Ms. Rogers

NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE

7 ayes – Motion carried.

A motion was made by Ms. G. Johnson and seconded by Dr. McCaskill to the approve the Facility request for the Harvey Colts Football Program to use Brooks Middle School Field from July 31, 2013 through November 31, 2013. Roll Call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. B. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Mr. Rogers, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes – Motion carried.

Vice President Gloria Johnson requested to receive a copy of the letter sent to La Esperanza Soccer Team regarding the Facility use of Riley Pre-K Field.

Community Education Report – Ms. Bolton read the Community Education Report for the Month of May 2013. The following items were discussed: Back to School Parade; Cook County Commissioner Deborah Sims "Kids Off the Block Impact Day; Brooks Middle School Graduation and District 152 Alumni Network.`

Ms. Dozier, HEA President donated \$1,000 to the Gentleman's Society @ Brooks Middle School. She also invited the Board of Education to attend the 2013 Retiree's Dinner being held Friday, May 24, 2013 at Gloria Taylor Banquet.

## FINANCE/FACILITY REPORT ACCEPTED

#### FACILTIY USAGE REQUEST APPROVED

## **COMMUNITY EDUCATION**

## AUDIENCE COMMENTS/QUESTIONS

Mr. Clifton Hunt, Sandburg Principal Invited the Board of Education to Sandburg's Boys to Men Breakfast being held May 21, 2013.

Ms. Rogers stated that there will a Special Board Meeting on Wednesday, May 29, 2013 at the Administration Center.

A motion was made by Mr. Rogers and seconded by Ms. G. Johnson to adjourn at 8:14 p.m. Roll call vote. AYE: Ms. G. Johnson, Ms. Hawkins, Ms. B. Johnson, Mr. Rogers, Dr. McCaskill, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Rogers NAY: NONE ABSENT: NONE 7 ayes – Motion carried. SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MAY 29, 2013

ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully submitted, Secretary

Approved President