

BOARD OF EDUCATION  
RIVER GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT 85.5  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

**January 25, 2011**

**Regular Meeting** Minutes of the River Grove School District 85.5 Board of Education held on January 25, 2011 at River Grove School, 2650 Thatcher Avenue, River Grove, Illinois.

**Roll Call** Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. Upon Roll Call, members answered as follows:

Michele Obaya	present	James Binder	absent
Ken Murphy	present	Kurt Kuras	present
Linda Hankins	present	Lucia Rudy	present
Marlene Flahaven	present		

**Consent Agenda** A motion was made by Mrs. Obaya and seconded by Mrs. Hankins to approve the consent agenda. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

**Bill List** A motion was made by Mr. Murphy and seconded by Mrs. Obaya to approve the Bill List. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

**Payroll** A motion was made by Mr. Kuras and seconded by Mrs. Hankins to approve the payroll for February 2011.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

**Visitors** Mr. Grieshaber-Principal, Mr. Jockl-Teacher, Mrs. Wilson-Teacher, Mr. Boisse-School Board Candidate, Mrs. Bruce-Visitor.

**Communications** Mrs. Flahaven presented the following:

1. School Journal

Mr. Kuras presented the following:

1. Foundation ad space

### **Superintendents' Report**

Dr. Bartelt presented the Superintendent's Report:

1. Communication Committee
2. Leyden Area Board Dinner
3. An Evening in Paris
4. No Principal at February 8 Regular Meeting
5. Community Coffee
6. IASB Board Member Workshops
7. Demographic Information
8. Breakfast Counts

### **Principal's Report**

Mr. Greishaber presented the principal's report:

1. Boys Basketball
2. Band and Choir
3. Zero the Hero
4. Coaches Meetings
5. Athletic Club Dance
6. Saturday School
7. Book Fair

Mrs. Flahaven noted the following:

1. Monthly Revenue Report

### **Program Review**

Mr. Jockl presented a social studies review.

Mrs. Flahaven noted the following items:

1. PMA
2. SSNS
3. ED-RED
4. Pulse

### **Action**

A motion was made by Mrs. Hankins and seconded by Mr. Kuras to approve the employment of Glenn Grieshaber as principal and Denise Nero and the Coordinator of Student Services for the 2011-2012 school year.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

A motion was made by Mrs. Obaya and seconded by Mrs. Hankins to approve the placement of Policy 8.17 on first reading status. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Murphy and seconded by Mrs. Obaya to approve the placement of Policy 2.50 on first reading status. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

A motion was made by Mrs. Obaya and seconded by Mr. Kuras to adopt the seniority list for the 2010-2011 school year. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

A motion was made by Mrs. Obaya and seconded by Mrs. Hankins to approve the use of facilities by the River Grove PTA and the RGMO. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

A motion was made by Mrs. Hankins and seconded by Mr. Kuras to approve the fund raising requests from the River Grove School Education Foundation. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

**Discussion**

Dr. Bartelt presented Chapter 4.000 of the District Policy Book as part of a whole book review by the Board of Education.

Mr. Kuras stated that there is no new information to share from the Policy Committee.

Dr. Bartelt provided an update regarding the preparations for summer school for June of 2011.

Dr. Bartelt shared the courses that have been submitted to this point for the after school activity guide.

Dr. Bartelt provided an update from the River Grove Royals Athletic club.

**Good of Corporation**

The Springfield trip needs to be rescheduled due to Good Friday.

Mrs. Wilson questioned the starting date of summer school.

**Adjournment**

A motion was made by Mrs. Hankins and seconded by Mr. Kuras to adjourn at 8:02 p.m. All members present voted aye.

Michele Obaya	aye	Ken Murphy	aye
Kurt Kuras	aye	Linda Hankins	aye
Lucia Rudy	aye	Marlene Flahaven	aye

Mrs. Flahaven declared the motion carried.

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Marlene Flahaven, President

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Lucia Rudy, Secretary