



THE ENLARGED CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT OF TROY, NY

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Board Meeting: May 31, 2011
Type of Meeting: Special Board of Education Meeting
Location: Doyle Middle School - Media Center

MINUTES

I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Mr. Mayo called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

II. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Mr. Tom Mayo, President
Mrs. Anne Wager-Rounds, Vice President
Mrs. Ilene Clinton
Mrs. Carol Harvin
Mr. Jason Schofield
Mr. Michael Tuttmann

Member Absent: Ms. Mary Marro-Giroux
Mrs. Martha Walsh

Also Present: Dr. Fadhilika Atiba-Weza, Superintendent

III. PUBLIC INPUT ON AGENDA ITEM

- (1) Rachel Moon (parent) - School 12 has been closed and will be renovated. It is our kids' future. Education must come first.
- (2) Karen Martin (teacher) - Thanked BOE for walking through buildings. Principals have assured teachers that concerns will be addressed and we hope staffing needs
- (3) Dawn Baldwin (grandparent) - Thanked BOE for making difficult decision. Parents need to be assured of reasonable class sizes.

(4) Jessica Baker (parent) - Thanked BOE for touring the buildings. A BOE member said her child does better because she is from a two-parent home. She is a single parent and would like an apology for this statement.

(5) Mark Walsh (TTA president) - would like to see enrollment numbers by grade. It will be tight but teachers will do their job.

(6) Stacey Sadowski (parent) - Thanked BOE for not rushing through decision. School 14 will need additional staffing.

IV. SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION

Mr. Mayo made a motion to approve the following resolution. He stated the final map is the one discussed at the May 25th Redistricting meeting.

Second: Mrs. Wager-Rounds

Discussion: Mrs. Harvin stated she has been kept abreast of information. BOE said they would shift numbers in September if needed but she does not feel there is room to do that. She is not satisfied with numbers and will be voting against resolution.

Mrs. Wager-Rounds was not sure if Mrs. Harvin was looking at the correct numbers.

Carried: 5-1

Resolution to Approve New Registration Zones (Addendum I)

BE IT RESOLVED that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education of the Enlarged City School District of Troy shall approve the registration zones as outlined in attached map effective September 1, 2011.

V. ADJOURN

Mr. Mayo made a motion to adjourn at 6:45 pm. This was seconded by Mr. Schofield and motion carried 6-0.

Respectfully submitted by,

Mary Beth Bruno
Clerk of the Board