

Bronson, Florida
July 7, 2009
7:00 p.m.

The School Board of Levy County met in session this 7th day of July, 2009, with Vice Chairman Beth Davis presiding for Chairman Frank Etheridge who was absent, Paige Brookins, Rick Turner, Cameron Asbell, and Board Attorney Sheree Lancaster present.

Minutes: Motion by Paige Brookins, seconded by Rick Turner, to approve the Minutes of the June 16, 2009 meeting. Motion carried.

District Reports:

1. Assistant Superintendent Gina Tovine presented an overview of the 2009 School Grades, Adequate Yearly Progress, Differentiated Accountability and changes to the High School Accountability System.
2. Jeff Edison requested that the Board approve advertisement for public hearing to be held August 4, 2009, for the purpose of adopting / revising School Board Policies. He then reviewed the proposed School Board Policy changes that would be voted on in the public hearing, specifically School Board Policy 5.35 – Valedictorian and Salutatorian, 6.06 – Years of Service Defined for Administrative and Instructional Personnel, and 6.36 – Employee Experience for Salary Purposes with the Board. Beth Roach, LCEA President, informed the Board that it was her understanding the proposed language changes to Board Policy 6.36 should be a negotiated item. The Superintendent disagreed. After discussion, Cameron Asbell moved to approve the request to advertise for Public Hearing on August 4, 2009 for the purpose of adopting / revising School Board Policies, seconded by Rick Turner, motion carried.
3. Mr. Edison informed the Board that the Dept. of Education has determined that each county shall have a Virtual Education School Program made available to students. He said NEFEC sent out RFPs and the best provider for the money was Blue Ridge. He also said he would be attending a Florida Virtual School Franchise conference later on in July to gather more information.
4. Candy Dean came before the Board to present a stipulation regarding Mark Lundy. She said Mr. Lundy, through his attorney, has requested that the Board accept the stipulation, assigning an Administrative Law Judge from the Division of Administrative Hearings, and not move forward with the previous petition by the Superintendent to terminate his employment (tabled at the June 16, 2009 Board Meeting). After discussion of this request, Cameron Asbell moved to take from the table the petition to terminate the employment of Mark Lundy previously presented by the Superintendent, seconded by Paige Brookins, motion carried. The Superintendent then withdrew his pending recommendation to terminate employment of Mark Lundy, recommending that the Board accept the stipulation as presented by Mrs. Dean, and request assignment of an Administrative Law Judge from the Division of Administrative Hearings. Cameron Asbell moved to accept the Superintendent's recommendation, seconded by Rick Turner, motion carried. **The School Board continued Mr. Lundy's suspension without pay pending termination proceedings. (This sentence inserted per motion by Beth Davis, seconded by Rick Turner to approve the**

Superintendent's recommendation during the September 8, 2009 Board Meeting to amend the July 7, 2009 official minutes to reflect the above statement which was inadvertently omitted from the written record of the minutes.)

Consent Agenda: Motion by Paige Brookins, seconded by Cameron Asbell, to approve the following items on the consent agenda, including additions/corrections as recommended by the Superintendent. Motion carried.

1) GENERAL ITEMS:

a) Employee Status Changes:

1. Gwendolyn Bell, District Bus Driver, **resignation** to participate in the DROP program, beginning August 1, 2009 and terminating July 31, 2014.
2. Teri Edison, C.H.S. Guidance Counselor, **transfer** to C.E.S. / B.E.S. Guidance Counselor, effective August 17, 2009.
3. Melissa S. Lewis, W.E.S. Teacher, **transfer** to W.M.S. Math teacher, effective August 17, 2009.
4. Alfert Herndon, B.H.S. Head Custodian, **transfer** to Yankeetown School Head Custodian, effective July 8, 2009, replacing Douglas Drosowski .
5. The following **Funding Source Changes:**

IDEA/American Recovery & Reinvestment Act – PROJECT 432302 Fiscal Year 2010 Grant – PROJECT 402302 GEN FUND – PROJECTS 1102 & 1103 Title I Funds – PROJECT 402401 SAI Funds – PROJECT 110374				
<u>School</u>	<u>Employee</u>	<u>From Project #</u>	<u>To Project #</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
BES	Hazel Watkins	100% - 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Tanya Barrineau	100% - 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Marjorie Hill	100% - 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Marilyn Johnson	100% - 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Patricia Pelt	100% - 1102	50% - 432302 50% - 1103	August 20, 2009
	Deana Scharnagl	100% - 1102	50% - 432302 50% - 1103	August 20, 2009
	Mary A. Heath	100% - 1103	51% - 402401 49% - 1103	August 17, 2009
	Sandra Foster	100% - 492302	100% - 1102	August 17, 2009
	Caryl Carlisle	41% - 492401 59% - 110374	51% - 402401 49% - 110374	August 17, 2009
	Julie Haire	100% - 1103	50% - 1103 50% - 492302	August 20, 2009

BHS	Aretha Sheffield	100% – 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Debbie Dexter	100% – 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Jennifer Goedeck	100% – 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Brenda Fulmer	40% - 1103 60% - 110374	100% - 402401	August 17, 2009
	Adam Booth	67% - 492401 33% - 1103	100% - 1103	August 17, 2009
Summit Academy	Yessenia Alfonso	100% - 1908	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
Hilltop Alternative	Karen Cox	100% - 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
CES	Sandra D. Roberts	30% - 492401 70% - 110374	62% - 110374 38% - 402401	August 17, 2009
JBES	Elizabeth Calhoun	50% - 1102 50% - 1103	50% - 432302 50% - 1103	August 20, 2009
	Wanda Williams	50% - 492302 50% - 1102	50% - 402302 50% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Rebecca Childs	29% - 492401 71% - 110374	49% - 402401 51% - 110374	August 17, 2009
WES	Virginia Lofton	100% - 492201	50% - 402302 50% - 1102	August 17, 2009
	Barbara Hoyt	100% - 1103	38% - 402401 62% - 110374	August 17, 2009
WMS	Amber Philpot	32% - 492401 68% - 110302	43% - 402401 57% - 110302	August 17, 2009
WHS	Delia Hillary	100% - 1102	100% - 432302	August 20, 2009
	Patricia Inmon	96% - 492302 4% - 1102	96% - 402302 4% - 432302	August 20, 2009

Federal State Stabilization Funds – PROJECT 4310000				
<u>School</u>	<u>Employee</u>	<u>From Project #</u>	<u>To Project #</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
BES	Caitlin Esry	100% - 1102	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Jill Bandhauer	100% - 110308	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Melinda Chemin	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Lindsey Cox	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Amy Langworthy	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Stephanie Mercer	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
BHS	Jessica G. Combest	33% - 492401 67% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Kelly M. Watkins	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
Hilltop	Robert Phillips	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
CKS	April F. Fleetwood	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Kathy J. McCain	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Kimberly S. Bishop	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
CES	Kristi Layton	100% - 1102	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009

	Randi Beauchamp	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Marissa Black	100% - 110374	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Cheri Hazzard	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
CMS	Matthew Dettloff	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Stephanie Parks	100% - 1102	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
CHS	Adam C. Boyd	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Jennifer Isenhoward	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Adam W. Gore	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Joseph Flores Toro	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
JBES	Lauren Whitehurst	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Stephanie Whitehurst	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Olivia Odom	100% - 1102	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
WES	Shelley Staples	100% - 1102	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Dana Farleo	100% - 1102	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Celeste Greenlee	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Tracy Kirby	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Leanne Kriser	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Hillary Cribbs	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
WMS	Trenton Viau	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Amy Guevara	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Barbara Leathers	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
WHS	Tiffany Drew	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Chelsea Avchen	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009
	Alan Bontya	100% - 1103	100% - 4310000	August 17, 2009

6. Laurel Barwick, W.H.S. Health Assistant, **resignation**, effective July 1, 2009.
7. Dennis Webber, C.H.S. Administrative Assistant, **resignation**, effective June 30, 2009.
8. Chelsea Greek, B.H.S. Guidance Counselor, **transfer** to Hilltop School Guidance, effective July 29, 2009, replacing Carol Bengé.
9. Daniel M. Wiggins, B.H.S. custodian, **internal transfer** to Head Custodian, effective July 8, 2009, replacing Alfert Herndon.
10. Selena Surles, B.E.S. ESE Teacher Aide, **internal transfer** to School Clerk, effective July 1, 2009, replacing Lori Lott.

b) Professional Leave Requests:

1. CHS Teachers Rebecca Mack (Zimmerman) and Christina Smith, June 15 - 19, 2009, Training for MicroSoft Certification, Lake Sumter CC, Clermont, FL, paid from Perkins Grant project #492012.
2. Christina Smith, CHS Teacher, July 13 – 16, 2009, Photoshop and Dreamweaver Workshop, Pensacola, FL, all expenses paid by CFCC, no cost to Board.
3. Carol Jones, District Coordinator Vocational School Work, July 13-17, 2009, Florida Agriscience Education Leadership Program, Tallahassee, expenses paid by FL DOE, no cost to Board.
4. Alice Graham, C.H.S. Health Occ. Ed. Teacher, July 3 and 4, 2009, Fundraising for HOSA Chapter, Daytona Beach, FL, all expenses paid internal account, no cost to Board.
5. Alice Graham, C.H.S. Health Occ. Ed. Teacher, August 4 – 7, 2009, FACTE Conference, Orlando, expenses paid from project #402012.

c) Student Trip Requests:

1. Robert Philpot, W.H.S. FFA Advisor, chaperones Wade and Winky Bullock, June 9 and 10, 2009, Livestock Judging Clinic, Nashville, GA, 4 students, 1 private vehicle, Advisor expenses paid from project #15300, all other costs internal account.
2. B.H.S. Middle School Basketball Coach Alfert Herndon, Chaperones Diedra Thomas and Brenda Roberts, June 17 and 18, 2009, Boys Summer Basketball Camp, FL Southern College, Lakeland, FL, 13 students, 2 private vans, all expenses paid internal account, no cost to Board.
3. Kelly Varnes, C.H.S. Student Government Advisor, chaperones Shelly Varnes and Kari Wasson, June 29 and 30, 2009, SGA Officer Retreat at Otter Springs Resort, 11 Students, 1 private vehicle will make 2 trips to transport students from CHS to Otter Springs, all expenses paid internal account, no cost to Board.

d) Instructional Services

1. Contracts and/or Agreements:
 - a. Purchase of day care services with the following providers for 2009-2010 school year, paid from project #1103762 (contract language the same as agreements previously approved on June 2, 2009):

- aa. Kid Corp of Gainesville, d/b/a Half Pints Learning Center
 - b. Agreement with Bradford County to provide services for visually impaired students for the 2009-2010 school year.
(see supplemental minutes)
 - c. Agreement with the School Boards of Dixie and Gilchrist Counties, for participation in Multi-District Program for the Visually Impaired for 2009-2010. (see supplemental minutes)
 - d. Agreements with the Levy County Health Department for 2009-2010 to provide the following services:
 - aa. Registered Nurse to assist with ESE students at BES and BHS
(see supplemental minutes)
 - bb. School Health Services (see supplemental minutes)
 - cc. Teen Parent Program (see supplemental minutes)
 - e. Contract with Carlton Palms Educational Center, Inc., to provide educational services to a Levy County student in residential placement. (see supplemental minutes)
- e) Administrative Services:**
- 1. Contracts and/or Agreements:
 - a. Agreement with The Florida Learning Alliance (FLA, Inc.) to provide the staff development management system MY-POINTS.ORG and related support services for 2009-2010 school year.
(see supplemental minutes)
 - b. Charter School Contract with Nature Coast Middle School, requesting 15-Year Extension (see supplemental minutes)
 - c. Continuation of Interlocal Agreement with the Sheriff of Levy County, to provide school resource officers for the 2009-2010 school year
(under the same terms and conditions as 2008-2009).
(see supplemental minutes)
 - d. Continuation of contract with Mills Engineering Company, to provide engineering services for the 2009-2010 school year.
(see supplemental minutes)

- e. Agreement with Sheree Lancaster, to provide legal services for the School Board for 2009-2010 school year. (see supplemental minutes)

2. **Change Orders to MM Parrish Contract for JBES & CES Construction Projects:** (see supplemental minutes)

Change Order #2 – Joyce Bullock Elementary School, in the amount of \$54,298.03, to reduce the GMP from \$1,412,434.46 to \$1,358,136.43, for return of unused direct purchases with associated sales tax and contingency balance.

Change Order #2 – Chiefland Elementary School, in the amount of \$94,520.29, to reduce the GMP from \$1,400,731.20, to \$1,306,210.91, for return of unused direct purchases with associated sales tax, and contingency balance.

- 3. Approval of PECO Maintenance Fund List for 2009-2010. (see supplemental minutes)

f) **Recommendations:**

- 1. Appointments and/or Transfers:
 - a. Robert Turnipseed, C.M.S. Principal, *administrative transfer* to Principal, Hilltop Alternative School, effective July 1, 2009.
 - b. Darby Allen, C.M.S. Assistant Principal, *administrative transfer* to Principal, C.M.S., effective July 1, 2009.
 - c. Robert Lowyns, Assistant Principal, W.H.S., effective July 1, 2009.
 - d. Barbara Rivers, Teacher on Special Assignment (TSA), District Office Response to Intervention (RTI) Coordinator, effective July 29, 2009, new position approved by Board May 19, 2009.
 - e. The following Teachers On Special Assignment (TSA), Response to Intervention (RTI) positions at the school sites as indicated, effective date August 17, 2009 (new positions approved by Board on May 19, 2009):

<i><u>School</u></i>	<i><u>Employee</u></i>	<i><u>From Project #</u></i>	<i><u>To Project #</u></i>	<i><u>Status</u></i>

BES	Crystal Hammond	1102	432401	Internal transfer
CES	Dawn Corbin	1103	432401	Internal transfer
JBES	Susan Liles	1103	432401	Internal transfer
WES	Chloe Gabriel	110308	432401	Internal transfer
WMS	Marcy Young	1103	432401	Internal transfer
WHS	Traci Handlin	1103	1103	Transfer from WMS
YTS	Gayle Gatton	110374	50% - 432401 50% - 110374	50% RTI Teacher 50% Elem Teacher

- f. Hang “Julie” Nguyen, B.E.S. Guidance Counselor, effective August 17, 2009.
- g. Heidi S. Bon, B.E.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Jennifer Peterson.
- h. Emily K. Carroll, B.E.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Crystal Hammond.
- i. Cassandra L. Brown, B.E.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Michelle Knapp, paid from Federal State Stabilization funds project #4310000.
- j. Regina Pearce, B.E.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Patricia Knecht, paid from Federal State Stabilization funds project #4310000.
- k. Tammy Crosby, C.E.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Vickie Hicks.
- l. Deanna G. Conner, W.M.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Mary Jo Tracy.
- m. Carol Benge, Teacher on Special Assignment (TSA), Response to Intervention (RTI) position at Bronson High School, effective date August 17, 2009, paid from Project 432401. (Position approved by Board on May 19, 2009).
- n. Caryn Ruano, C.M.S. Teacher on Special Assignment (TSA), Response to Intervention (RTI) position at Chiefland Middle School, effective date August 17, 2009, paid from Project 432401. (Position approved by Board on May 19, 2009).
- o. Dennis Webber, C.M.S. Assistant Principal, effective July 8, 2009,

replacing Darby Allen.

- p. Katia Cruz-Vera, W.M.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Yvonne Moore.
- q. Margaret Andrews, W.E.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Kenneth Higgins.
- r. Penny Bailey, C.K.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Norman Paeth.
- s. David Sweet, C.E.S. Head Custodian, effective July 8, 2009, replacing Danny R. Clark.
- t. Dallas Alan Locke, C.H.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Katie Jones.
- u. Melanie Clubb, W.E.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Marilyn Waters.
- v. Mara M. Phillips, W.M.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Traci Handlin.
- w. Lenita D. Cato, C.K.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Patricia Lawrence.
- x. Michelle Barber, B.H.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Stacey Gindlesperger.
- y. Ross Janeiro, B.H.S. Teacher, effective August 17, 2009, replacing Deborah Ball.

2. The following personnel are recommended to work in the 2009 Extended School Year Program:

Williston Elementary School:

Paid from PROJECT 1103751 (3rd Grade Summer Reading Camp):

Rebecca Zank, Teacher Aide

Up to 81 Hours

(additional aide earned per enrollment/attendance)

3. Establish the following positions within the Exceptional Student Education / Student Services Department, as indicated below, job description attached:
- a. *Physical Therapist Assistant* (see supplemental minutes)
 - b. *Occupational Therapist* (see supplemental minutes)

4. Payment of Supplements to the following personnel for supplemental activities during the 2008-2009 school year:

<u>SITE</u>	<u>EMPLOYEE</u>	<u>SUPPLEMENT</u>	<u>SP#</u>	<u>Date</u>
BHS	Chelsea Greek	Peer Teacher	410(add)	08/11/08

5. Recommend the following redistribution of 4.75 hours for custodians at B.E.S. (Edward Beaulieu, retired, position):

- a. Cleveland Griffin - increase 3 hours (5.0 hrs. per day to 8.0 hrs. per day)
- b. Bridgette Renaud - increase 1 hour (7.0 hrs. per day to 8.0 hrs. per day)
- c. Margaret Conquest - increase .75 hour (7.25 hrs. per day to 8.0 hrs. per day)

6. Establish a Teacher Aide position at Chiefland High School.
7. Establish an ESE Teacher Aide position at Williston Middle School.
8. To comply with required teacher / student ratio, establish VPK units at the following schools, employing 2 Aides per unit as enrollment warrants:

Bronson Elementary – 1 Unit
Chiefland Elementary – 1 Unit

2) **FINANCE:**

- a) Budget Amendments #18-A and #18-B (available at meeting)
- b) Retain current salary schedule for all employees until such time as new salary schedules are negotiated and adopted by the Board, effective July 1, 2009.
- c) Amendment of Instructional and ESP Salary Schedules to allow payment to the following personnel for:

Update school-wide RTI files at CES, July 8 and 9, 2009, paid hourly rate of pay up to 15 hours, from project #402401: Sandra Roberts

YTS Collaborative Work on Curriculum Mapping for Middle School Math, paid daily stipend rate up to 5 days total each between the dates of July 1 and August 13, 2009, paid from Title I funds project #402401: Candy Prescott, Charles Gatton and Rhonda Calderone

Develop End of Course Exam for the new math for college readiness course, working collaboratively with teachers from Marion and Citrus Counties and CFCC, paid hourly rate of pay not to exceed 21 hours each, **AMEND to add travel and per**

diem, June 29, 30 and July 1, 2009, from project #1832: Teresa Ozment, Sherry Hallman and Jennifer Isenhoward

Custodial Services at Hilltop/Summit for Summer Youth Employment Program, regular rate of pay up to 16 hours total, paid from project #49030 (CLM Workforce Reimbursement): Quinton Parker

WHS Collaborative Work on Curriculum and Focus Maps, paid hourly rate of pay for a total of 6 hours each from Title VI funds project #402701, on the following dates:

August 6, 2009: **English Department**
Tiffany Drew, Sally Holton, Emily Lovely, Amy Lowyns, Cindy Penney, Ken Tahfs, Randall Liles, Judy Welborn, Traci Handlin (6 hours – RTI Teacher)

August 12, 2009: **Math and Science**
Jennifer Deluca, Teresa Ozment, Karen Warren, Alan Bontya, Lisa Hamilton, Crystal Perez, Mary Russ, Chris Wilder, Traci Handlin (6 hours – RTI teacher)

SUMMER TRAININGS:

DATE	Training	Location
June 15-19, 2009	FRI – Florida Reading Initiative	Trenton, FL
WHS: STIPEND RATE and Travel Paid from Projects #149032 & #492201	<u>AMEND TO ADD:</u> Jennifer Deluca	
June 15-19, 2009	FRI Summer Reading Academy – Train the Trainer	Trenton, FL
STIPEND RATE and Travel Paid from Projects #149032 & #492401	Barbara Hoyt – WES Dawn Corbin – CES Traci Handlin – WMS	

DATE	Training	Location
June 8 – 12, 2009	SUMS 1 (Students Using Math & Science)	Lake Butler, FL
YTS: STIPEND RATE and Travel Paid from Projects #149032 & #492201	<u>AMEND to Add:</u> Charles Dillon (June 8, 2009 only – ½ day stipend of \$55.00, All other days full stipend pay)	
August 10 & 11, 2009	SUMS 1 (Students Using Math & Science) <i>Compressed Training for Year 1</i>	Melrose Park Elementary Lake City, FL
CKS: STIPEND RATE and Travel Paid from Project #402401	Kathy McCain and Lenita Cato	
July 6 – 10, 2009	SUMS 1 (Students Using Math & Science)	Central High Brooksville, FL
WES: STIPEND RATE and Travel Paid from Projects #149032 & #4924012	Melanie Clubb	

DATE	Training	Location
June 15-19, 2009	SUMS 2 (Students Using Math & Science)	Lake Butler, FL
WES: STIPEND RATE and Travel Paid from Projects #149032 & #492405	<u>AMEND to Add:</u> Steven Van Zwienen	

DATE	Training	Location
Various	Deep FRI	Schools

BES: STIPEND RATE paid from Projects #149032 & #492201 Dates: June 22, 23 & 24, 2009	<u>AMEND to Add:</u> Catherine Mikell
CKS: STIPEND RATE paid from Projects #149032 & #492201 Dates: June 9, 10, 11, 2009	<u>AMEND to Add:</u> Kathy McCain
CHS: STIPEND RATE Paid from Projects #149032 & #492201 Dates: June 9, 17, 18, 2009 <u>AMEND DATES to:</u> <u>June 9 – July 15, 2009, not to</u> <u>exceed 3 work days at 6 hours</u> <u>each day per person</u>	Janelle Alexander, Jennifer Isenhoward, Adam Boyd, Rebecca Mack, Christina Smith, Alice Graham, Matt Flenner, A.J.Ulmer, Eli Beasley, Suann Dupont, Shelia Rome, Fidah Williams, Valerie Smith, Jan O’Neil, Adam Gore, Kelly Varnes, Jennifer Anderson, Lita Weingart, Dennis Webber, Frances M. Walker-Crawford, Joseph Flores-Toro, Josine Burgman, Jan Flemming, Melody Irizarry, Holley Keene, Chris Wilson

DATE	Training	Location
June 24, 2009	MAPPS (Math and Parent Partners)	Suwannee Co.
STIPEND RATE paid from Project #492401	BES: Salinda Wiggins and Amie Bachle CKS: DeAnne Watson WES: Chloe Gabriel WMS: Catherine Davis and Melissa Lewis	

DATE	Training	Location
June 16, 2009	Community Based Instruction	Reddick, FL

STIPEND RATE paid from FDLRS Project #149038 Travel – Project #149006	Summit Academy: Donna Rachael Almeida	
DATE	Training	Location
June 25 or 26, 2009	Smart Board Training	Reddick or Gainesville
STIPEND RATE ONLY (does not pay travel) paid from FDLRS Project #149038	BES: Sandra Foster and Frieda Strickland (Instructional) Mary McCann (Non-Instructional) WES: Shelley Staples and Rowena Vincenty	

DATE	Training	Location
July 13-17 and 20-24, 2009	Math and Science Summer Institute Workshop	UF Gainesville
WMS: STIPEND RATE and Travel Paid from Project #148902 (reimbursed @ \$125.00 per teacher per day from NEFEC Promise Grant)	Marcy Young, Joshua Slemp, Catherine Davis, Kathryn West	

Superintendent's Comments / Recommendations: Mr. Hastings shared information with the Board from the Department of Education concerning accountability and adequate yearly progress (AYP), stating that accountability increases every year. He thinks by the year 2013, the state will require all students to score at Level 3 on FCAT. He said with the more rigorous accountability system in place, our school system must adjust. He said he wants Levy County to be the best we can be, putting things in place to be a model for other school districts.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned and went into executive session for the purpose of collective bargaining discussion.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Robert O. Hastings, Secretary

Frank Etheridge, Chairman