Bronson, Florida Special Session July 23, 2013 9:00 a.m.

The School Board of Levy County met in special session this 23rd day of July, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. with Board Chair Cameron Asbell, Robert Philpot, Paige Brookins, Chris Cowart and Board Attorney David Delaney present. Board Member Rick Turner was absent.

TRIM Ads for local newspapers: Bob Clemons informed the Board that the purpose of this meeting was to discuss and approve the 2013-2014 TRIM advertisements to be published in local newspapers.

He reminded the Board that TRIM stood for Truth in Millage, and was initiated by Governor Bob Graham in 1974 to help make the state budgeting process transparent for taxpayers. He said the first of the 2 public hearings required by TRIM to adopt the 2013/2014 *tentative* millage and budget would be held Monday July 29th at 6:00 p.m. The second public hearing to adopt the 2013/2014 *final* millage and budget would be held September 3rd at 6:00 p.m.

Mr. Clemons shared information from the Levy County Tax Appraiser's office and the 2013-2014 FEFP project second calculation with the Board. After reviewing that information, he presented the Levy County School Board Budget Presentation for Advertising. After questions and discussion by the Board Members, Chris Cowart moved to approve the Levy County School Board Budget Presentation for Advertising as presented, second by Paige Brookins, motion carried. Mr. Clemons said the information would run in this week's paper on Thursday July 25th.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Robert O. Hastings, Secretary

Cameron Asbell, Chairman