

INTERSTATE 35 COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
405 E. NORTH STREET
TRURO, IA 50257-0079

BOARD WORK SESSION MEETING MINUTES

5:30 P.M.

High School Library

February 24, 2014

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order - President Julie Brownlee called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.
- II. Roll Call – Julie Brownlee, Leah Gray, Dan Kirkpatrick, and Ken Stanley – present. Absent – Bryan Arzani.
- III. Approval of Agenda – Motion to approve the agenda by Dan Kirkpatrick, seconded by Leah Gray. Motion Ayes 4, Nays 0.
- IV. Rural Student Advocates of Iowa Follow-up – Dr. Craig distributed a brochure from Rural Student Advocates of Iowa. He explained that the RSAI is requesting \$1,000 dues from smaller districts to cover the cost of hiring a lobbyist to advocate for the concerns that smaller districts face. The Board requested that Dr. Craig share additional information as he receives it from RSAI.
- V. Math Program – To provide further follow up to the previous discussion on the Math curriculum and programming, Dr. Craig explained that we are looking at several interventions that act as a diagnostic vehicle and a data warehousing tool. The need for current and accurate data that informs instructional strategies is most valuable to improve student performance.
- VI. Press Box Naming – Dr. Craig stated that during the regular board meeting the Board will have the final reading of Board Policy 203.90 for the naming of facilities.
- VII. FY13 Annual Audit Review – Dr. Craig informed board members that the district had received its preliminary audit. The final audit will be presented when it is available from our audit firm.
- VIII. Future Work Session Agenda Items: Property sales in New Virginia and St. Charles, budget hearing, update on high school Spanish trip, TAG update, STEM, and interest in televising school board meetings.
- IX. Adjournment – Leah Gray moved to adjourn, seconded by Dan Kirkpatrick. Motion Ayes 4, Nays 0. Meeting was adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Julie Brownlee, Board President

Ted Bauer, Board Secretary