

**Taylor Community School Corporation**  
**TMS/THS Media Center**  
**Wednesday, July 24, 2013**  
**Special Session Board Meeting**  
**7:00p.m.**

Board Members Present:

Mr. Dennis Marler  
Mr. Jeff Kellar  
Mr. Bill Brubaker  
Mr. Scott Maple  
Mrs. Cathy Mathews

Administration and Central Office Staff Present:

Debbie Barton, Treasurer  
Melinda Brown, Recorder  
Pat Bernotas, Technology Director  
Eric Hartman, THS Principal  
Heather Hord, TMS Principal  
Jeremy Luna, TIS Principal  
Teri Stokes, TPS Principal

Others Present:

See attached list

The special session school board meeting was called to order at 7:01pm in the Taylor Middle/High School Media Center located at 3794 East 300 South, Kokomo, Indiana. Mr. Marler led the meeting with the pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence.

**II. Revision and Adoption of Agenda**

Mr. Maple moved to adopt agenda with the following revisions: Under New Business, item f add, Consideration of Contract with Administrative Assistance and under Employment Recommendations add, Josh Spencer, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Special education Teacher. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

**V. Recognition of Visitors**

There were no comments from the patrons.

**VII. New Business**

**a. Consideration of STAA Common School Loan**

Pat Bernotas spoke of the common school loan. Debbie Barton further explained the funding. Mr. Maple moved to approve the STAA School Loan. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

**b. Consideration of TPS Media Clerk Hourly Schedule**

Teri Stokes spoke on the media clerk hours at TPS. Mr. Maple moved to approve the reinstatement up to a maximum of twenty eight hours for the TPS Media Clerk. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

**c. Consideration of Increase Office Staff Hours at TPS**

Mrs. Stokes spoke concerning the increase office staff hours for TPS. Mr. Maple moved to approve the increase hours for the TPS ECA treasurer from 5.5 hours per day to 7 hours per day. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion failed 0-5.

**d. Consideration of High Achiever Educator Position**

Mrs. Stokes asked to approve the high achiever educator position. Mr. Maple moved to approve the high achiever educator position. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

**e. Consideration of Taylor Intermediate Emotionally Disabled Classroom Reorganization**

Mr. Luna and Mrs. Stokes spoke concerning the reorganization of the TPS/TIS Emotionally Disabled classroom. Mr. Maple moved to approve to combine the Emotionally Disabled classroom at TPS and TIS. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed. 5-0.

**f. Consideration of Contract with Administrative Assistance**

Mr. Maple moved to approve the hiring of Administrative Assistance for the search and placement of an Interim Superintendent. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0. Bob Foreman will be interim superintendent starting the first week of August 2013.

**g. Employment Recommendations**

**i. Taylor Primary School**

Mr. Maple approve the employment recommendations for Chelsea Scott, High Achiever Paraprofessional, Kristi Welsh, Third Grade Teacher and. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion . Motion passed 5-0.

**ii. Taylor Intermediate School**

Mr. Maple moved to approve the employment recommendation for Cynthia Wilson, Half-time Special Education Teacher. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

**iii. Taylor Middle School**

Mr. Maple moved to approve the employment recommendations for Ramsay West, Assistant Principal and Joshua Spencer, Special Education Teacher. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

**iv. Taylor High School**

Mr. Maple moved to approve the employment recommendations for Paula Davis, Special Education Teacher Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0.

**v. Corporation**

Mr. Maple moved to approve Michelle Crone as TCSC Food Service Director. Mr. Brubaker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5-0

**IX. Items from the School Board Members**

a. Mr. Marler reminded the school board members of the executive session in the media center conference room at 6:00pm on Monday, July 29<sup>th</sup>.

**XI. The next regular school board meeting will be Wednesday, August 14, 2013 at 7:00p.m in the TMS/THS Media Center.**

**XII. Adjournment**

With no other business, the board meeting adjourned at 7:43p.m.

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Dennis L. Marler

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Bill Brubaker