

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE METROPOLITAN
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NORTH POSEY COUNTY, INDIANA

Held February 12, 1973

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Metropolitan School District of North Posey County, Indiana, was held in the office of the Superintendent of Schools on the 12th day of February, 1973 with Board Members Fletchall, Staples, Eisterhold, Hall and Tenison present. Also attending were Superintendent Hollen, Administrative Assistant Wilson, and Attorney Schuler.

The meeting was called to order by President Fletchall, who presided. Minutes of the previous meeting of January 22, 1973 were read to the Board and approved as read.

Claims No. 459 through No. 526 in the total amount of \$11,229.56, and Title I claim No. 2 in the amount of \$6.50 were presented to the Board for consideration, and upon motion duly made by Eisterhold, seconded by Tenison and unanimously carried, were approved by the Board and ordered paid.

The Board was advised that it was necessary to designate bank depositories for the funds of the school district for the next two-year period. Following a discussion, on motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the proposals of Farmers Bank & Trust Company of Wadesville, Indiana, and of The Cynthiana State Bank of Cynthiana, Indiana, to be such depositories was accepted, and the vice-president and secretary were directed to sign the acceptance, effective as of February 19, 1973.


Mr. Wilson reported on a proposed drivers' training range, to be constructed at the junior high school for purposes of instruction of student drivers during the coming summer. He indicated that this range would enable the instruction to be carried on with four instructors instead of the previous five, and that the saving in instructional funds would be used to purchase the necessary equipment. Following a discussion, on motion by Staples, seconded by Hall, and unanimously carried, the Board approved the institution of the drivers' training range as part of the drivers' education program.

A request was received from the North Posey Senior High Band that they be permitted to take an overnight field trip on May 11-12 to St. Louis for the purpose of participating in a band performance program. Following a discussion, on motion duly made by Staples, seconded by Eisterhold, and unanimously carried, approval was given.

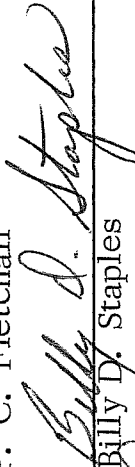
The Superintendent reported receiving state distribution funds in the amount of \$34,419.00.

Elementary Principals Robert Hunt and Don Thompson, and Junior High Principal James Pittman, presented to the Board their annual report as to the state of their schools, and entered into a discussion concerning matters affecting the respective schools. Senior High Principal Byron Brenton was absent due to illness, but will appear at a later meeting.

Following a general discussion, upon motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned at 10:30 p. m.



P. C. Fletcher



Billy D. Staples



Jack D. Hall



Jesse Tenison, Jr.



Kenneth Eisterhold

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MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING
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Held February 26, 1973

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Metropolitan School District of North Posey County, Indiana, was held in the office of the Superintendent of Schools on the 26th day of February, 1973 with Board Members Fletchall, Staples, Eisterhold, Hall and Tenison present. Also attending were Superintendent Hollen, Administrative Assistant Wilson, and Attorney Schuler.

The meeting was called to order by President Fletchall, who presided. Minutes of the previous meeting of February 12 were read to the Board and approved as read.

Claims No. 528 through No. 554 in the total amount of \$7, 628. 60, and Title I Claim No. 12 in the amount of \$10. 20 were presented to the Board for consideration, and upon motion duly made, by Eisterhold, seconded by Hall and unanimously carried, were approved by the Board and ordered paid.

The Board approved the employment of Delbert Straw as part-time custodian at South Terrace until July 1, at which time he would become full-time custodian at the high school.

The Superintendent reported that he had received an estimate of the cost of black-topped paving for the parking area at the senior high school, which indicated that the total cost for all black-topping needed would be something slightly in excess of \$25, 000. Following a discussion, upon motion duly made by Staples and seconded by Hall, and unanimously carried, the administrative staff was directed to prepare specifications and advertise for bids for the black-topping of this area.

The Superintendent reported that following a recent inspection the Fire Marshall found no comments to be made concerning the condition of the Jr-Sr High School or at South Terrace, and recommended only that the weight of the carbon dioxide fire extinguishers in the garage building be checked to make sure each was full.

A request was received by the Superintendent from the Classroom Teachers Association to have school dismissed at noon on February 26 in order that the teachers might attend a demonstration at the at the State Capitol Building. This request was refused by the Superintendent.

The Superintendent reported that a \$10. 00 deposit had been made with the German Township Water District to enable the South Terrace school to receive water should a water main be laid through the area. He also reported that Mrs. Louisa Deckard requested permission for the use of a bus to transport Sunshine club members to Decatur Central School for a convention on Saturday, March 24. Approval was given.

Identical requests were received from the Student Council at the junior high school and the senior high school to the effect that the dress code should be amended to require that the boys' hair should be clean, neat, and not hanging below the collar line, with collar line to be defined as that place on the neck where the collar of a T-shirt would reach. This change would eliminate the requirement that the hair not come over or cover the ears. Following a discussion, on motion duly made by Hall, seconded by Tenison and unanimously carried, this amendment to the dress code was approved.

Mr. Byron Brenton, senior high school principal, met with the Board and discussed varying problems and conditions as they exist at the high school.

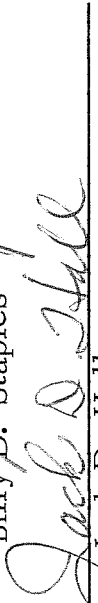
Thereafter, on motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned.



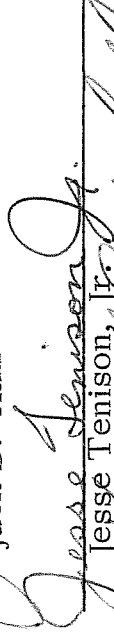
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