

COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 205

Board of Education

6:00 PM – Thursday, March 29, 2012

932 Harrison Street—Galesburg, Illinois

Special Meeting

Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Moment of Silence/Pledge of Allegiance
- IV. Consent Agenda
 - A. Approval of Lombard Middle School Waiver
 - B. Approval of Churchill Junior High School Waiver
- V. New Business
 - A. Approve Recommendations on Adoption of Resolutions:
 1. Discussion and Recommendation on Adoption of Resolution RE: Dismissal of C.U.S.D. #205 Teacher Due to Lack of Required Certification
 2. Discussion and Recommendation on Adoption of Resolutions RE: Honorable Dismissal of C.U.S.D. #205 Educational Support Personnel Due to Uncertain Grant Funding
 3. Discussion and Recommendation on Adoption of Resolutions RE: Honorable Dismissal of Knox-Warren Special Education District Certificated Employees Due to Uncertain Enrollment
 4. Discussion and Recommendation on Adoption of Resolution RE: Honorable Dismissal of Knox-Warren Special Education District Educational Support Personnel Due to Uncertain Enrollment
 5. Discussion and Recommendation on Adoption of Resolution RE: Honorable Dismissal of Knox-Warren Special Education District Educational Support Personnel Due to Uncertain Grant Funding
 - B. Personnel Agenda
- VI. Adjournment

Next Meeting will be April 23, 2012

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Consent Agenda IV. A:

Approval of Lombard Middle School Waiver

Background:

Each of the middle schools, Churchill and Lombard, have conducted their annual staff votes to determine the continuation of the middle school model. The elections have been conducted following the waiver guidelines listed in the Teachers Contract, requiring at least 75% approval. The results are in and once again, the staff at each school has overwhelmingly supported the continuation of the middle school model. The GEA Executive Board has also voted to give approval. Actual results this year were:

Lombard: 50 for, 5 against – 91% approval (3 of the no votes were due to absences)

As I have stated in the past, the middle school model is a very significant factor in the high achievement of Lombard. One would be hard pressed to find a middle school in the state of Illinois with 70% or greater poverty that achieves at a higher level than Lombard.

Recommended Action:

Approve Lombard Middle School Waiver as Presented

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Consent Agenda IV. B:

Approval of Churchill Junior High School Waiver

Background:

Each of the middle schools, Churchill and Lombard, have conducted their annual staff votes to determine the continuation of the middle school model. The elections have been conducted following the waiver guidelines listed in the Teachers Contract, requiring at least 75% approval. The results are in and once again, the staff at each school has overwhelmingly supported the continuation of the middle school model. The GEA Executive Board has also voted to give approval. Actual results this year were:

Churchill: 48 for, 8 against – 86% approval (6 of the no votes were due to absences)

As I have stated in the past, the middle school model is a very significant factor in the high achievement of Churchill. One would be hard pressed to find a middle school in the state of Illinois with 50% or greater poverty that achieves at a higher level than Churchill.

Recommended Action:

Approve Churchill Junior High School Waiver as Presented