

School Board Summary
October 24, 2006

1. Mrs. Rondeau presided at the meeting with all members present except Mr. Huffstutler.
2. The public meeting for the Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas (FIRST) was held. The instrument is a series of 21 questions that are based on the 2004-2005 audit. The district received a superior rating which is the highest given.
3. A report on the Level II Board Training that was held at Region 9 was given. It was decided that members would complete a questionnaire that will be compiled and presented at the November meeting.
4. The Consent Agenda was accepted as presented. Mr. Nightingale reported that the tax collection rate stood at 100.3%.
5. The following were added to the substitute teacher list: April Cook, Rob Johnson, Yvonne Thaggard and Jamie Waugh.
6. Budget amendments were approved.
7. Members approved moving \$100,000 in designated funds to undesignated funds to purchase vehicles for the district. These will be a new bus, a pickup and a suburban.
8. Michele Belcher and Cathy Goodwin were named as textbook committee members. The district will be adopting math textbooks for grades kindergarten through five.
9. Second reading was held for Policy BE (Local). Board meetings will now be held on the third Monday of each month at 6 pm.
10. Approval was given to request bids for the purchase of a new suburban.
11. Max Schlegel will continue to represent the district on the Wichita County Appraisal Board of Directors.
12. Superintendent's report
 - A. Drug testing program-Samplings of students in the testing pool are averaging one time a month. Eighty nine students have been tested with no positive results reported. A meeting of the Health Committee will be this afternoon. The possibility of adding student drivers to the pool and steroid testing will be discussed.
 - B. Report on TASA/TASB Convention-Mr. Nightingale and Mrs. Rondeau gave reports on the sessions they attended.
 - C. District Team Meeting-Mr. Nightingale said that a meeting of the District Team will be held next Wednesday at 5 pm. He listed topics that will be covered.
 - D. PBMAS-He reviewed the different areas that are covered by the accountability system and probable findings for these areas for the next report.
13. There being no further business for consideration, the meeting was adjourned.