

# MINUTES SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

Friday, March 8, 2013 – 9:30 a.m. School Board Meeting Room 500 E. Ocean Blvd. Stuart, FL 34994

#### **Members Present**

Maura Barry-Sorenson, Chair Michael Busha Michael DiTerlizzi Rebecca Negron Marsha Powers Laurie J. Gaylord, Superintendent Robert Kilbride, School Board Attorney

AFSCME:

MCEA:

Call to Order by the Chairman and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States

## 1. Adoption of the Agenda

Motion to adopt the agenda was made by Michael DiTerlizzi, second by Rebecca Negron, motion passed 5/0

### 2. Metro Ethernet Telecommunications for Instructional Center and Sandy Pines -

Katie Preston, Director of Educational Technology, conveyed to the Board by going to a 3 year contract would allow the District to save a significant amount of money. We need the Board's approval and signature before March 15, 2013 in order to qualify for E-Rate which will also save a significant amount of money.

Motion to approve the contract by Michael Busha, seconded by Rebecca Negron, motion passed unanimously 5/0

## 3. Personnel Recommendations - (page 13-14) Gail Williams

Robert Kilbride, School Board Attorney passed out a letter of resignation and separation agreement for the Executive Director of Finance, Bryan Thabit to Board members. Robert Kilbride asked for a motion to accept the separation agreement.

Motion was made to accept the letter of resignation and settlement by Michael DiTerlizzi, seconded by Rebecca Negron, motion passed 4/1; Michael Busha was the dissenting vote.

## 4. Private Attorney-Client Session Regarding Case Number 12-1010CA

The names of the persons attending the session are as follows:

- a. Mrs. Maura Barry-Sorenson;
- b. Mr. Michael Busha;
- c. Mr. Michael DiTerlizzi;
- d. Mrs. Rebecca Negron;
- e. Mrs. Marsha Powers;
- f. Robert Kilbride, School Board Attorney;
- g. Allen Sang, Insurance Attorney

Laurie Gaylord did not attend the Shade meeting.

Michael Busha, Vice Chair

Laurie J. Gaylord, Superintendent

<sup>\*</sup>Exhibit / Additional Backup Available for Review