The Van Buren Board of Education met in special session on Monday, June 30, 2014, at 7:02 P.M. in the community room at Van Buren Local School with the following roll call:

Mr. Ken Rowles	Present
Mrs. Karen Flanagan	Present
Mr. Mike Leifheit	Present
Mr. Edd Van Horn	Present
Mrs. Nicolle Wheeler	Present

(14-058) BOARD WORK SESSION TO DISCUSS SCHOOL FACILITIES

It was moved by Mr. Leifheit and seconded by Mr. Van Horn to begin the Board work session to discuss School Facilities.

Vote: Mr. Leifheit, yes; Mr. Van Horn, yes; Mrs. Wheeler, yes; Mrs. Flanagan, yes; Mr. Rowles, yes. The President declared the motion carried 5-0.

Kent Cashell presented information concerning different ways of funding a Construction/Bond Project. He talked about Property Tax vs. Income Tax vs. Combination Property/Income Tax. Property Tax: adjusted when values go down, then public responsible. Income Tax: if tax amount does not make the payment, the Board must cover the difference, not the public.

Brad Garmann discussed options concerning the Building Project.

(14-059) COMMUNITY INFORMATION MEETING SET

It was moved by Mr. Van Horn and seconded by Mrs. Flanagan to hold a community information meeting hosted by the Van Buren Board of Education to present and discuss the results of the community survey. The meeting is to be held on Tuesday, July 8, 2014, at 6:30 P.M. at the Allen Township Building or at a site to be determined by the Superintendent.

Vote: Mr. Van Horn, yes; Mrs. Flanagan, yes; Mr. Leifheit, yes; Mrs. Wheeler, yes; Mr. Rowles, yes. The President declared the motion carried 5-0.

(14-060) ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Mrs. Flanagan and seconded by Mrs. Wheeler to adjourn at 9:22 P.M.

Vote: Mrs. Flanagan, yes; Mrs. Wheeler, yes; Mr. Leifheit, yes; Mr. Van Horn, yes; Mr. Rowles, yes. The President declared the motion carried 5-0.