

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
OCTOBER 5, 2010
DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

TRUSTEES PRESENT: Chairman Alexander, Trustee House, Trustee Rodney, Trustee Reynolds

OTHERS PRESENT: Tim McMurtrey, James Gilbert, Cliff Ogborn, Sharon Whitman, Sandra Kastner, Al Morgan

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Mountain Home School District No. 193 was convened at 10:03 a.m. on the 5th day of October 2010, at the District Administration Office, 470 North 3rd East, Mountain Home, Idaho, in said district, pursuant to authority provided by Title 33 Chapter 5, Sections 33-506, 33-510, 33-512(1)(a), and Title 67-2340 through 67-2347 Idaho Code, and pursuant to affirmation by the Clerk that notice of the special meeting had been given to each trustee and had been announced by written and posted public notice as required by law. A copy of the Notice of a Special Meeting of School Trustees so posted follows:

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MOUNTAIN HOME SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 193
Mountain Home, Elmore County, Idaho**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Mountain Home School District No. 193 will be held on Tuesday, October 5, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., at the school district office, located at 470 North 3rd East, Mountain Home, Idaho, in said District, during which the following business will be conducted:

- I. District Calendar - 2010-2011 – Revision
- II. Adjourn

This Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Mountain Home School District No. 193 is called pursuant to Title 33 Chapter 5, Sections 33-506, 33-510, 33-512(1)(a), and Title 67-2340 through 67-2347 Idaho Code.

Dated the 1st day of October 2010.

Sharon M. Whitman
Clerk, School District No. 193
Mountain Home, Elmore, Idaho

Chairman Alexander called the special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Mountain Home School District No. 193 to order, at 10:03 a.m.

- I. **DISTRICT CALENDAR** - 2010-2011 – Revision – Tim McMurtrey. Mr. McMurtrey presented the proposed revision to the 2010-2011 District Calendar. Mr. McMurtrey then stated that the MHEA has ratified the offer given to them by the Board of Trustees, which added two (2) student contact days thus reinstating 2.6 furlough days into the second semester of the 2010-2011 District Calendar. He said the additional days would adjust the calendar. Mr. McMurtrey went on to explain that March 25, 2011, would remain a PLC Day except that teachers will now have to work a full day instead of a 1:30 dismissal; May 18, 2011, will now be a regular day instead of the last day of the second semester; May 19, 2011, will now be a regular day instead of the last day of school; May 20, 2011, will now be a regular day of school, May 23, 2011, will now be the end of the second semester and a 1:30 dismissal day for students; May 24, 2011, will be the last day of school in which the students will pick up their report cards and will also be a teacher workday; May 27, 2011, will now be graduation day. He also stated that the Board offered to reinstate the

educational steps and experience lanes retroactive to the beginning of the 2010-2011 school year based on the proposed 185-day certified teacher contract.

Chairman Alexander stated that it was important to note that the revisions were necessary because the federal government approved additional funding, Job Stimulus Bill, for education. He said that initially the district wanted the funding to decrease the supplemental levy amount, but the stipulations required for us to accept the funding wouldn't allow the funds to be used against supplemental levies. He said that staff members are still taking a pay cut, but the cuts are not as deep as before. Chairman Alexander then said that the district is spending roughly 65% of the stimulus this year and holding on to the rest for next year. He said that next year, we might have to take more furlough days depending on funding.

Mr. McMurtrey said the original offer to MHEA stated, "This offer is contingent upon the State of Idaho funding educational lanes and experience steps for the 2011-2012 school year. Should this funding not materialize in full the MHEA agrees that the MHSD can freeze steps and lanes, and re-invoke furlough days in proportion to state funding." The MHEA agreed to this.

Trustee House motioned to accept the revisions to the 2010-2011 District Calendar, with a second from Trustee Rodney, motion granted.

Trustee House commented that education for the next few years would be in a state of upheaval. She said district calendars would probably change a few times depending on funding and what the federal and state governments do.

- II. **ADJOURN** - All business of the Board having been completed, a motion by Trustee Rodney to adjourn was seconded by Trustee Reynolds. Motion approved. The meeting adjourned at 10:08 a.m.

Chairman Alexander

Clerk Whitman