

## Unapproved School Board Meeting Minutes

Dickinson Public Schools  
Special Meeting

March 18, 2010; 5:00 p.m.  
Board Room, Central Office

The Dickinson Public School Board held a special meeting on March 18, 2010, at the Central Administration Office. Board members present were: President Dean Rummel, Mrs. Kris Fehr, and Dr. Mort Krieg. Board members absent were: Mrs. Mitzi Swenson and Ms. Leslie Ross. Administrators present were: Superintendent Douglas Sullivan, Assistant Superintendent Vince Reep, and Mr. Calvin Dean. Others present were: Mr. Jason Hanson, Mr. Kelly Armstrong, and Mrs. Twila Petersen.

President Rummel called the meeting to order.

There was a request for Public Participation from Mr. Kelly Armstrong under Agenda item III. Cooperative Agreement with Dickinson Baseball Club.

There were no additions or deletions to the agenda.

**Cooperative Agreement with Dickinson Baseball Club** – Mr. Kelly Armstrong, President of the Dickinson Baseball Club, addressed the Board under Public Participation. Mr. Armstrong said he had signed the cooperative agreement but wished to make a few comments. Mr. Armstrong stated the goal of the Dickinson Baseball Club was to get as many kids involved in the program and still be affordable. He commended the coaches in the program and felt the program has grown a lot and has a great future. Unfortunately, the program has been running in the red for three years. Currently, they are funding seven teams traveling throughout the spring and summer programs. The club does not have control over the high school team so if cuts needed to be made, they would be made at the high school level. The baseball club will not be able to sustain at the current levels. The Board agreed that all athletic programs would need to be looked at before any commitment could be made on the high school baseball program.

Minor revisions had been made to the previous Memorandum of Understanding. A copy of the agreement is posted under Supporting Documents on the school board website. The administrative recommendation was to approve the one year agreement, as presented. Action was requested. Mrs. Fehr moved to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the Dickinson Public Schools and Dickinson Baseball Club for the DHS baseball for the 2009-2010 school year, as presented. Dr. Krieg seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

At 5:15 p.m., Mrs. Fehr moved to adjourn. Dr. Krieg seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned.

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Dean Rummel, Board President

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Vince Reep, Business Manager

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Twila Petersen, Secretary