

## TANGIPAHOA PARISH SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

APRIL 27, 2009

The Tangipahoa Parish School Board met in special session on Monday, April 27, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. in the Central Office Board room, 59656 Puleston Road, Amite, Louisiana, with President Danny Ridgel presiding.

MEMBERS PRESENTS: Ann Smith, Robert Potts, Leonard Genco, Al Link, Danny Ridgel, Sonya Traylor, Eric Dangerfield, Sandra Bailey-Simmons and Rose Dominguez

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

President Ridgel led the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Ms. Dominguez, seconded by Ms. Traylor, to enter into Executive Session to discuss the case of Joyce M. Moore vs. TPSB. Hearing no objection, the motion was adopted.

The Board entered Executive Session.

The Board returned to Open Session.

Board Attorneys Charles Patin and Alton Lewis gave brief overviews of the proposed plan and the future for Tangipahoa Parish School System.

Ms. Karen Bell spoke in Public Input.

Ms. Donna Edwards spoke in Public Input.

Ms. Susie Boyd spoke in Public Input.

Ms. Miranda Moran spoke in Public Input.

Ms. Judy Hodges Gill spoke in Public Input.

Mr. Robert Labee spoke in Public Input.

Mr. Jerry Peters spoke in Public Input.

Mr. Lamar Marshall spoke in Public Input.

Each Board Member expressed their opinion of the proposed plan.

It was moved by Ms. Dominguez, seconded by Mr. Potts, to approve the proposed plan and authorize the Board Attorneys to send it to the Court for approval. Ms. Bailey-Simmons officially declared that even though she is not voting for the proposed plan, she is voting to send the plan to the Court for approval. A roll call vote was called yielding the following results:

- YEAS: (7) Ann Smith, Robert Potts, Al Link, Danny Ridgel, Sonya Traylor, Eric Dangerfield and Rose Dominguez
- NAYS: (2) Sandra Bailey-Simmons and Leonard Genco

The motion passed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. (7:23 p.m.)

Respectfully submitted,

Danny Ridgel  
Board President

Mark Kolwe, Secretary-Treasurer

Recorded by: Cynthia Jenkins, April 27, 2009