

MINUTES of a regular public meeting of the Board of Education of Township High School District Number 280, LaSalle, Bureau and Lee Counties, Illinois, held in the Mendota High School Board Room, 2300 West Main Street, Mendota, Illinois, in said School District at 7:00 o'clock P.M., on the 20th day of September, 2010.

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The meeting was called to order by the President, and upon the roll being called, Michael Vercimak, the President, and the following members were physically present at said location: Darlene Ayers, Cathy Burke, Jim Lauer, David May and Jim Strouss.

The following members were allowed by a majority of the members of the Board of Education in accordance with and to the extent allowed by rules adopted by the Board of Education to attend the meeting by video or audio conference: None

No member was not permitted to attend the meeting by video or audio conference.

The following members were absent and did not participate in the meeting in any manner or to any extent whatsoever: Tom Bauer

At 7:10 o'clock P.M., the President announced that the next agenda item for the Board of Education was a public hearing (the "*Hearing*") to receive public comments on the proposal to sell \$3,000,000 General Obligation Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source) (the "*Bonds*") for the purpose of financing the cost of constructing and equipping athletic facilities and related site improvements, and explained that all persons desiring to be heard would have an opportunity to present written or oral testimony with respect thereto.

The President opened the discussion and explained that the reasons for the proposed issuance of the Bonds were as follows: to finance the cost of constructing and equipping athletic facilities and related site improvements.

Whereupon the President asked for additional comments from the members of the Board of Education. Additional comments were made by the following:

Jim Strouss-Thanked the board for all their hard work in this endeavor.
Dr. Mike Vercimak-Thanked the Building Committee for their efforts in researching and efforts towards the Athletic Stadium project.

Written testimony concerning the proposed issuance of the Bonds was read into the record by the Secretary and is attached hereto as *Exhibit I*.

NONE

Whereupon the President asked for oral testimony or any public comments concerning the proposed issuance of the Bonds. Statements were made by the following:

NONE

The President then announced that all persons desiring to be heard had been given an opportunity to present oral and written testimony with respect to the proposed issuance of the Bonds.

Member Vercimak moved and Member Strouss seconded the motion that the Hearing be finally adjourned.

After a full discussion thereof, the President directed that the roll be called for a vote upon the motion.


Upon the roll being called, the following members voted AYE: Michael Vercimak, Darlene Ayers, Cathy Burke, , Jim Lauer, David May and Jim Strouss.

The following members voted NAY: None

Whereupon the President declared the motion carried and the Hearing was finally adjourned.

Other business not pertinent to the conduct of the Hearing was duly transacted at said meeting.

Upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, the meeting was adjourned.


Secretary, Board of Education

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF LASALLE)

CERTIFICATION OF MINUTES

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting Secretary of the Board of Education of Township High School District Number 280, LaSalle, Bureau and Lee Counties, Illinois (the "Board"), and as such official I am the keeper of the records and files of the Board.

I do further certify that the foregoing constitute a full, true and complete transcript of the minutes of the meeting of the Board held on the 20th day of September, 2010, insofar as the same relates to a public hearing concerning the intent of the Board to sell \$3,000,000 General Obligation Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source).

I do further certify that the deliberations of the Board at said meeting were conducted openly, that all votes taken at said meeting were taken openly, that said meeting was held at a specified time and place convenient to the public, that notice of said meeting was duly given to all of the news media requesting such notice, that an agenda for said meeting was posted at the location where said meeting was held and at the principal office of the Board at least 72 hours in advance of the holding of said meeting, that a true, correct and complete copy of said agenda as so posted is attached hereto as *Exhibit A*, that said meeting was called and held in strict compliance with the provisions of the Open Meetings Act of the State of Illinois, as amended, the School Code of the State of Illinois, as amended, and the Bond Issue Notification Act of the State of Illinois, as amended, and that the Board has complied with all of the provisions of said Acts and said Code and with all of the procedural rules of the Board in the conduct of said meeting.

I do further certify that notice of said public hearing was posted at least 72 hours before said public hearing at the principal office of the Board and that attached hereto as *Exhibit B* is a true, correct and complete copy of said notice as so posted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my official signature, this 20th day of September, 2010.



Secretary Board of Education