

LAFAYETTE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
EMERGENCY SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

Friday, May 24, 2002 - 8:00 A.M., Board Room

Judy H. Cox, President, Presiding

The School Board of the Parish of Lafayette, State of Louisiana, met in an emergency special session at its regular meeting place, the Lafayette Parish School Board Administrative Building, Board Room, Lafayette, Louisiana, on Friday, May 24, 2002 at 8:00 A. M., pursuant to notice given by telephone call to every member.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Judy H. Cox, President; Michael Hefner, Vice-President; John Earl Guidry, Rickey Hardy, Carl LaCombe, Edward J. Sam, David Thibodaux and Beverly Wilson, Board Members; James H. Easton, Secretary-Treasurer/Superintendent

MEMBERS ABSENT: Kay S. Gibson (out-of-town)

I. CONTEMPT OF COURT CITATION AGAINST SUPERINTENDENT JAMES EASTON AND DR. DON AGUILLARD, PRINCIPAL OF CARENCRO HIGH SCHOOL - DISCUSSION OF LEGAL REMEDY TO PURSUE

The Chair called the meeting to order.

Motion (Hefner, Wilson) that the Board authorize Superintendent Dr. James H. Easton and Dr. Donald Aguillard, Principal of Carencro High School, to select their choice of counsel to pursue any and all legal matters regarding the contempt of court citation against them, and that the Board reimburse past and any future expenses they may incur personally.

A substitute motion was made by Hardy and seconded by Thibodaux that if the Board appeal's Judge Rubin's decision that they also appeal Judge Haik's decision.

After some discussion, Hardy withdrew his motion.

A substitute motion was made by Hardy that if the Board appeal's Judge Rubin's decision that they also appeal Judge Haik's decision be added to the original motion.

The Chair called the substitute motion out of order.

The question was called for to cease debate.

The Chair called for a roll call vote to cease debate. Voting for were LaCombe, Hefner, Wilson and Cox. Voting against were Guidry, Hardy, Sam and Thibodaux. Motion failed. Gibson was absent.

Discussion on original motion continued.

After further discussion, the Chair called for a roll call vote on the original motion. Voting for were Guidry, LaCombe, Hefner, Wilson, Thibodaux and Cox. Voting against were Hardy and Sam. Motion carried. Gibson was absent.

There being no further business, it was moved by Hefner , seconded by LaCombe and carried that the meeting adjourn.

SIGNED:

/s/Judy H. Cox, President /s/James H. Easton, Ed. D., Secretary-Treasurer

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