

UNITY POINT SCHOOL DISTRICT #140

4033 South Illinois Avenue

Carbondale, IL 62903

Regular Board of Education Meeting

Tuesday, October 15, 2013

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Unity Point School District #140 will be held in the Library at Unity Point School on Tuesday, October 15, 2013, at 6:00 PM.

Roll Call

Approval of Agenda

Approval of September 24, 2013 Minutes

Recognition of Guests and Visitors/Public Comment

Approval of Bills

Correspondence

*Request for Maternity Leave---Stephanie Reece, K-3 Music Teacher

*Distribution and Display of Community Flyers and Posters---Policy 8:25

-The following requests were submitted and subsequently approved between 9/25 and 10/11/2013:

1. Girl Scouts of Southern Illinois

Finance Committee Update

*Dr. James-Gross will provide an update regarding the upcoming meeting of the District's Finance Committee.

First Quarter Financial Report Analysis

*Mr. Laser will review the district's revenue and expenditures for the first quarter of FY14. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Laser at your convenience.

Administrator and Teacher Salary and Benefits---School Year 2013 Report

*Each school board shall report to the State Board of Education, annually, the base salary and benefits of the district administration and all teachers employed by the district. Prior to this annual reporting to the State Board of Education, the information must be presented at a regular school board meeting. The administration recommends that the Board of Education accept the report as presented.

Official Employment of Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach

*Per last month's approval to hire ancillary staff as needed, the administration recommends the official employment of the following individual:

1. Steve Draper---Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach

Principal's Update

- *Current Enrollment Figures (10/10/13)

- *September/October Suspension Report

- *Review of District Title I Plan & District Parental Involvement Plan

-The Title I District Plan is the document that is in place to ensure we are in compliance with all federal and state mandates in order to continue receiving our Title I funds. It shows our plan for implementing educational assistance to students and professional development to teachers. It also outlines all of our board policies that show compliance with government mandates. This plan has to be reviewed annually by the school committee, approved by the school board, and submitted to the IL State Board of Education (ISBE).

-The Parent Involvement Policy is a required document showing our compliance with the parent involvement component of the Title I grant. No changes were made to this document this year. This document has to be reviewed annually by the school committee, approved by the school board, and kept on file at the school for parent review. It is not submitted to ISBE.

Release of Closed Session Minutes

- *A board motion is necessary to release the executive session minutes dated:

- May 14, 2013

- March 19, 2013

- January 8, 2013

- December 11, 2012

The above minutes will be available for your review at the board meeting, if needed.

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Administrative Remarks

Board Remarks

Adjournment