

CHEVELON BUTTE SCHOOL DISTRICT #5
3031 OLD RIM ROAD
FOREST LAKES, ARIZONA 85931

MINUTES OF APRIL 27, 2010

CALL TO ORDER

The special meeting of the Chevelon Butte School Board was called to order by President Cliff Schweigert at 5:05 P.M. on April 27, 2010. The pledge to the flag was said by all present. Members present in Forest Lakes were Cliff Schweigert, Cheryl Rife and Deborah Morris. Members present in Blue Ridge were Jean Gilbertson and Linda Blosser. Virgi Scholl and Mary St. Germain were also present in Forest Lakes. Many members of the public were present in Blue Ridge and there is a sign up sheet available to view at the district office in Forest Lakes. Also in attendance were Coconino County School Superintendent Cecilia Owen and Coconino Schools Financial Specialist Tina Wells.

President Schweigert moved to change the order of the agenda so the public could ask their questions first. The Board agreed.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC

Many comments by the public in attendance were made and can be listened to on tape at the District Office. Cliff did stop the comments and requested that Tina address the financial aspect of open enrollment. She explained that if CBSD#5 is not able to receive ADM money for the students there would be no money for transporting them. If they go to Winslow as open enrollment students, Winslow receives the ADM money. More public responses were heard and more questions were asked.

BOARD DISCUSSION

The Board then discussed possible solutions with Ms. Owen and Ms. Wells. One suggestion was a meeting between CBSD #5 Board members and Winslow counterparts. Another suggestion was to investigate other school districts such as Flagstaff Unified and Pine/Payson Districts. It was agreed that more research was needed. Cliff agreed to talk to Pine/ Strawberry and Payson Unified and Flagstaff Unified concerning an IGA contract. Cecilia Owen agreed to contact ADE regarding legalities of Winslow's move to open enrollment. Linda agreed to contact ASBA regarding legal help with this issue. Tina agreed to contact Winslow and ADE regarding transportation of special needs students. All agreed that a meeting with Winslow's superintendent and Board regarding this issue and a possible IGA for transportation should be held but after all pertaining research and alternative solutions had been investigated so the Board would be totally prepared at that meeting. They also agreed to meet at another Special Board meeting to be determined after assignments were complete and schedules were worked out.

ADJOURNMENT

Cliff moved to adjourn. Deborah seconded. Passed. Meeting adjourned at 6:33.