

**GRAPELAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**P.O. BOX 249**  
**GRAPELAND, TEXAS 75844-0249**

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
OF  
July 18, 2011

On July 18, 2011, the Board of Trustees of the Grapeland Independent School District met in regular session at 6:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Board President, Paul Oliver.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Paul Oliver, President  
Norm Ormiston, Secretary  
Shirley Bridges, Member  
Mitchell Huff, Member

MEMEBERS ABSENT

James Anderson, Vice-President  
Eddie Childress, Member  
Russell Currie, Member

ADMINISTRATION

K.L. Groholski, Superintendent  
Keri Winters, High School Principal  
Rebecca Huff, Assistant Principal  
Jerry Richards, Athletic Director

VISITORS

Rachael Riley – G. Messenger  
Kim Stanaland

PRAYER LED BY

Norm Ormiston

FLAG SALUTE LED BY

Shirley Bridges

Paul Oliver, President, opened the meeting with anyone wishing to speak in public forum.

There were no participants.

Dr. Groholski gave the Superintendent's Report. Items discussed were as follows:

- A. New Teacher Orientation – Aug 12
- B. In-service – Aug. 15-19
  - District Breakfast – Monday, Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> – 8:30 Elementary Cafeteria
  - Prosperity Bank Luncheon – Thursday, Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> – 11:30 High School Commons
  - FUMC Luncheon – Friday, Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> – 11:30- FUMC Fellowship Hall
- C. Next Regular Board Meeting – August 15<sup>th</sup> – 6:00
- D. Prosperity Bank, Grapeland State Bank, Vulcraft, Nicol Media will be buying a new scoreboard for Sandie Stadium.

Motion made by Shirley Bridges, seconded by Mitchell Huff to approve the budget planning calendar as presented. Motion passed.

Ayes: 4  
Noes: 0  
Absent: 3- James Anderson  
Eddie Childress  
Russell Currie  
Abstain: 0

Motion made by Norm Ormiston, seconded by Mitchell Huff to approve the Substitute Teacher list as presented. Motion passed

Ayes: 4  
Noes: 0  
Absent: 3- James Anderson  
Eddie Childress  
Russell Currie  
Abstain: 0

The board went into executive session at 6:10 pm.  
The board reconvened back into regular session at 6:37 pm.

Motion made by Mitchell Huff, seconded by Shirley Bridges to approve the resignation of Felicia Meador. Motion passed.

Ayes: 4  
Noes: 0  
Absent: 3- James Anderson  
Eddie Childress  
Russell Currie  
Abstain: 0

Motion made by Norm Ormiston, seconded by Shirley Bridges to approve the recommendation made by Keri Winters to hire Kim Stanaland as Secondary Counselor for the 2011-12 school year.

Ayes: 4  
Noes: 0  
Absent: 3- James Anderson  
Eddie Childress  
Russell Currie  
Abstain: 0

Motion made by Mitchell Huff, seconded by Norm Ormiston to approve the minutes from the regular board meeting of June 20, 2011; with corrections being made to state Russell Currie voted no to accept the resignations of Berry Groholski, Sherri Kendrick and Perry Frank; Mitchell Huff voted no to approve the recommendation to hire Sarah White. Motion passed.

Ayes: 4  
Noes: 0  
Absent: 3- James Anderson  
Eddie Childress  
Russell Currie  
Abstain: 0

Motion made by Mitchell Huff, seconded by Shirley Bridges to approve the payment of the bills. Motion passed.

Ayes: 4  
Noes: 0  
Absent: 3-James Anderson  
Eddie Childress  
Russell Currie  
Abstain: 0

Motion made by Norm Ormiston, seconded by Mitchell Huff to adjourn the meeting at 6:45 p.m. Motion passed.

Ayes: 4  
Noes: 0  
Absent: 3-James Anderson  
Eddie Childress  
Russell Currie  
Abstain: 0



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Board Secretary



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Board President