

**MINUTES  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING  
COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 200  
February 26, 2014**

The Committee of the Whole meeting of the Board of Education of Community Unit School District 200, DuPage County, Illinois, was called to order at the School Service Center, 130 W. Park Avenue, Wheaton, IL, by Board President Barbara Intihar, on Wednesday, February 26, 2014, at 7:43 PM.

**ROLL CALL**

Upon the roll being called, the following were present:

Board Members:      Barbara Intihar  
                             Jim Vroman  
                             Brad Paulsen  
                             Joann Coghill  
                             Jim Gambaiani  
                             Jim Mathieson  
                             Rosemary Swanson

Also in Attendance:  Dr. Brian Harris  
                             Mrs. Faith Dahlquist  
                             Mr. Bill Farley  
                             Mr. Rodney Mack  
                             Mrs. Joanne Panopoulos  
                             Dr. Robert Rammer

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mrs. Erica Loiacono led the Board and community in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**MOTION**

Member Vroman moved, Member Gambaiani seconded to suspend the rules and adjourn to workshop setting. Upon a roll call vote being taken the vote was: AYE 7, NAY 0. **The motion carried 7-0.**

**INSTRUCTION**

Technology Integration/Curriculum Updates

Faith Dahlquist reviewed handouts that were given to the Board members that included information about the curriculum work that has been ongoing. Mrs. Dahlquist shared information about how technology is being integrated into the classrooms and curriculum. Using data from the recent survey done of teachers regarding PLC's, Board members were asked to analyze the information and respond through their computers to a set of questions in an interactive game. Board members were also given a tutorial on collaboration through Google docs by doing research on specific education sites and then writing their thoughts and opinions to a Google doc that compiled all participants' responses live and simultaneously.

### Intervention/Prevention Programs

Mrs. Joanne Panopoulos and Mr. Robert Rammer used a PowerPoint to outline the systemic approach to addressing risky behaviors in the district. The topics included:

- What are Risky Behaviors?
- What is a Systemic Approach?
- Key to Success
- Social Emotional Learning Competencies
- Happy Students Learn Best
- Building a Strong Foundation
- Community Collaboration
- Community Effort
- District Curriculum and Supports
- Parent Outreach
- Community Collaboration on Heroin
- Student Recognition at Heroin Forum
- Data Collection
- District Committees
- What is the Long Term Pay Off for SEL?

Board members were given a listing of the 2013 and 2014 Parenting Programs offered by the district.

There was discussion about the level of social workers and if it is adequate, the level of drug usage in our schools, major stressors for students in our community, and the impact of the changing demographics.

It was suggested that links to the videos of the parent sessions be put on the web site.

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS – Non-Agenda Items**

None

### **MOTION**

There being no further business to come before the Board in Open Session, Member Vroman moved, Member Swanson seconded to adjourn the meeting. Upon a voice call vote being taken, all were in favor and **the motion carried 7-0.**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:38 PM.

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**Brad Paulsen, Secretary**

**Barbara Intihar, President**