

**Official Minutes of the
Oak Park Board of Education District 97,
970 Madison Street, Cook County, Oak Park, Illinois
June 7, 2010, 7 p.m.**

SPECIAL MEETING – SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH WORKSHOP

President Traczyk called the meeting to order at 7:12 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Clouser, Spatz, Reddy, Harton, Barber, and Traczyk
Absent: Gates
Also Present: Hazard, Young, Attea and Associates, Ltd. Bill Attea and Lela Bridges, and Board Secretary Sheryl Marinier

Superintendent Search Workshop

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Attea led the discussion on the superintendent search process. He reported that 46 candidates expressed interest in the position. The interview process was outlined. The Board members were also instructed on ways to lead the interviews that would enable them to identify the candidate's strengths and weaknesses. Attea explained that the second round of interviews would not be scripted or timed, allowing the Board members to discuss specific issues of concern with each candidate.

The need for confidentiality was discussed. President Traczyk will work with Chris Jasculca regarding a press release.

Executive Session

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Barber moved, seconded by Reddy, that the Board of Education move into executive session at 8:18 p.m. for the purpose of discussing the superintendent candidates. Roll call vote.

Ayes: Barber, Reddy, Clouser, Harton, Spatz, and Traczyk
Nays: None
Absent: Gates
Motion passed.

There being no further business to conduct, President Traczyk declared the meeting in recess at 11 p.m. until Tuesday, June 8 at 5:30 p.m.

This executive session was reconvened on Tuesday, June 8 at 5:30 p.m. and recessed at 7:45 p.m. The Board reconvened on Wednesday, June 9 at 5:30 p.m. and recessed at 9:50 p.m. The Board reconvened on Thursday, June 10 at 5:30 p.m. and recessed at 12:19 a.m. The Board met throughout the day on Saturday, June 12 for this purpose.

This meeting was officially adjourned on Monday, June 14, 2010 at 6:59 p.m.

Board President

Board Secretary