MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE AUGUSTA SCHOOL DISTRICT #10
March 16, 2009

The Augusta Board of Education met in regular session at 6:30 PM on Monday, March 16, 2009, in the administrative offices. James Harston presided over the meeting. Members present were Debbie Briscoe, Janice Collier, Amanda Hanna, Buddy Porter and Willie Powell. Member Katina Briscoe was absent. Superintendent Richard Blevins was also present

James Harston opened the meeting with a prayer.

The board approved the minutes of the February 23, 2009, regular meeting and the March 4, 2009, special meeting with the following change – Change the living stipend for Roosevelt Turner from $230.00 to $250.00.

James Harston welcomed the visitors.

Elsie Chestnutt, ACPEA representative, discussed Teacher Appreciation.

Ryan Grisham, PPC representative, presented the proposed 2010SY calendar. The calendar will not ready for approval until the State Legislative as voted concerning the change in the first day of school.

On a motion by Janice Collier and a second by Willie Powell the board ratified payment of the bills.

Richard Blevins presented the superintendent information. He discussed the Legislative session highlighting the bills that deal with school issues. He discussed reorganizing the grade levels of the buildings.

There was no unfinished business.

On a motion by Amanda Hanna and a second by Buddy Porter the approved adding Item 8C, Out of State Trip, to the agenda.

The building requests by Randy Palmer to use the Cotton Plant Elementary on April 4, 2009, for a Community Empowerment meeting and by Carver C/O 1964 to use the High School cafeteria on September 4th and 5th, 2009, for a class reunion were approved for the usual fees and considerations.

On a motion by Buddy Porter and a second by Janice Collier the board approved the out of state trip request by Jana Wilson to attend the International Reading Conference in Minnesota, on May 3-8, 2009.

There were no personnel matters to discuss.

The April regular meeting was scheduled for Monday, April 20, 6:30 PM, in the administrative offices.

On a motion by Amanda Hanna and a second by Janice Collier the board was adjourned.

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Board President

ATTEST: _____ _____
Superintendent Board Secretary