

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF  
THE AUGUSTA SCHOOL DISTRICT #10  
December 12, 2012**

The Augusta Board of Education met in special session at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, December 12, 2012, in the Augusta High School Library, to hear testimony concerning a grievance filed by Elsie Chestnutt. President Cleodis Smith presided over the meeting. Members present were Debbie Briscoe, Janice Collier, Leslie Collins, James Harston, Terry Shadwick and Robert Tripp. Scott Jones, Superintendent, was also present.

Bill Brazil, school attorney, was present to represent the District.

Nancy Blount, AEA, was present to represent Ms. Chestnutt.

Ms. Chestnutt requested the hearing to be open.

Mr. Brazil suggests the complaint is not a valid grievance.

Mr. Smith requests to hear from Ms. Blount.

Ms. Blount addressed the board stating the grant application is illegal.

The board retires to executive.

The board returned to open session.

With no motion made, Mr. Smith, board president, stated the board's stand is that the original grievance had been settled when the District agreed to pay the \$2,000.00 for the hard to staff area.

On a motion, the board was adjourned.

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Board President

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Superintendent

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Board Secretary