

**Miller Grove School Board
Regular Meeting
May 21, 2012**

The Miller Grove School Board met in a Regular session with the following members present:

Eric Mabe	Lewis Russell
Brian Lennon	Jason Back
Doug Hall	Jim Potts
Blake Smith	

Members Absent: none

Others in attendance: Steve Johnson, Kim Irby, Linda Bailey, Brandon Darrow, Wanda Parrish, Cathy Bryant, Namaste Dove, Tiny Jones, Jim Jones, and Clint George.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

Public Forum: None

Approve previous meeting minutes:

A motion was made by Lewis Russell and seconded by Jason Back to approve the minutes of the April 16, 2012 meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

Payment of the bills:

A motion was made by Jason Back and seconded by Jim Potts to pay the bills. The motion carried unanimously.

Sports Banquet:

A motion was made by Lewis Russell and seconded by Doug Hall to allow athletics to hold a sports banquet in the new gym on May 29, 2012. The motion also allows the superintendent to make gym use decisions at his discretion from now on. The motion carried unanimously.

Cleaning bids:

President Mabe opened the two cleaning bids received for the 2012-2013 school year. Merry Maids presented a bid of \$4,158 a month for eleven months.

Grant's Commercial Cleaning presented a bid of \$2,000 per week.

A motion was made by Jason Back and seconded by Doug Hall to accept bid from Merry Maids. The motion carried unanimously.

Clint George and Kim Irby made a presentation about the donation of land to the school for a track facility. Anna Ferguson, for Robert Ferguson, presented a letter of intent that they would donate 6.15 acres to the school if the school would purchase the remaining 6.15 acres for \$2,605.69 per acre.

At 6:32 p.m. the Board entered into executive session to discuss the hiring of Lovina Jones for fifth grade, the rental of the school house to Mr. Davis, and the purchase of the land described by Anna Ferguson.

At 6:55 p.m. the Board returned to open session.

A motion was made by Lewis Russell and seconded by Doug Hall to employ Lovina Jones on a one year probationary contract for the 2012-2013 school year. The motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Lewis Russell and seconded by Brian Lennon to rent the school house to Mr. Davis for \$500 per month plus utilities. The motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Brian Lennon and seconded by Jason Back to purchase the 6.15 acres from Robert Ferguson for \$2,605.69 per acre. The motion carried unanimously.

Administrative Reports:

Superintendent--none

Principal's Reports:

Mrs. Bailey reported that elementary enrollment was 134.

Mrs. Irby reported that secondary enrollment was 118.

Athletic Director Report: None

At 7:07 p.m. a motion was made by Jim Potts and seconded by Jason Back to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously.

President

Secretary