

**Fremont Community Schools
Board of Trustees
Meeting #8 (Special) Summary
August 12, 2013
6:00 PM**

**Fremont Community Schools Board Room
1100 West Toledo Street
Fremont, Indiana**

Board Members Present: Peggy Bailey, Tim Knoblauch, Hope Korte, Laura McLatcher, Cindy Saltzman, Christine Seiler, Sheri Thomson

Representing Administration: Superintendent Lori Vaughn, Business Manager Richard Wirtz

Visitors: Shawn Caldwell, Curt Pletcher, Mark Sherbondy

Board President Sheri Thomson led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance and welcomed the visitors in the audience.

President Thomson called the meeting to order. Superintendent Lori Vaughn requested that an additional employment item be added to the agenda.

COMMUNICATIONS TO THE BOARD

Superintendent Vaughn shared that the Four County Area Vocational Cooperative's name has been changed to Impact Institute.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Employment Recommendations:

Resignations: Brenda Fisher, Cafeteria Cashier

Neal Frantz, Sophomore Class Sponsor

Melody Kain, Bus Driver

Leeland Shaw, Junior Varsity Baseball Coach

Hiring: Jessica Charlton, EL ¾ Library/Computer Lab Assistant

Roxanne Fisher, Bus Driver

Rachel Harmon, EL ¾ Art Teacher

Nichole Jaeger, EL 1 year Kindergarten Teacher

Chandra VanAken, HS Guidance Secretary/Registrar/Health Clinic Assistant

2. Policy Adoption

The following policies were adopted by the Board of Trustees and will be added to the FCS Policy Handbook – effective immediately:

- 1) Independent Consultants
- 2) Transfer Students
- 3) Worker's Compensation

3. Work Session on 2014 Budget

Business Manager Richard Wirtz presented the first of three working sessions on the proposed budget. Curt Pletcher from H. J. Umbaugh & Associates was present to answer questions and provided preliminary financial information in regards to our current and possibly future G. O. Bonds.

During the Regular Board Meeting on August 19, 2013, Mr. Wirtz will ask permission to advertise the Public Hearing that will take place during the regular September Board Meeting. The final hearing and voting to adopt the 2014 Budget will take place during the Regular October Board Meeting.