

**UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT 223  
BARNES-HANOVER-LINN**

Regular Board Meeting, December 13, 2010 7:00 P.M.  
District Office, Barnes, Kansas

**These Minutes are unofficial until approved by the Board**

**PRESENT:** Sara Beikman  
Joel Hynek  
Jim Kruse  
Larry Nicholson  
Steve Ohlde

**ABSENT:** Daryl Bott  
Marge Schlabach

**ADMINISTRATION:** Rick Simoncic, Superintendent, Valeria Converse, Hanover Principal,  
Larry Wurtz, Transportation, Maintenance and Food Service Director

**CLERK:** Becky Bruna, Clerk

**STAFF:** Jennifer Dague, Jerry Howell, Robert Rut, Amber Sharpe

**The following motions were made seconded and approved:\***

The meeting was called to order by Vice President, Larry Nicholson with the Pledge of Allegiance and roll call conducted.

\*To approve the agenda as presented.

\*To approve the November 8<sup>th</sup> Regular Board Minutes.

\*To approve the payment of bills and financial reports.

The Board recognized Jennifer Dague, Rebecca Fischer and Richard Turner at the Linn Public School and Theresa Bruna at the Hanover Public School with certificates and pins for their 15 years of service and dedication to USD 223.

Larry Nicholson presented Hanover High School with the Governors' Achievement Award for the 2009-10 school year a very prestigious award that only 17 high schools in the state received.

Robert Rut, Hanover Industrial Arts presented his curriculum and standards for each class he teaches.

Jerry Howell, Hanover Agriculture Teacher and Amber Sharpe, Linn Agriculture Teacher discussed with the board their curriculum for each class they teach.

\*To approve the \$200 grant from the Lutheran Laymans League as presented.

\*To approve the insurance renewal form Blue Valley Insurance Agencies.

The board reviewed policy H and I.

\*To approve board policy sections H and I with the addition of IIA and IIBGB and the deletion of policies HAO, IAA, IDA, IHAA, IHC, and IHD.

The board tabled the approval of tuck pointing and waterproofing at Hanover till next meeting.

\*To approve W. Rex Woods for the financial audit for the year ending June 30, 2011.

Larry Wurtz reported on the maintenance, transportation and food service for the district.

Val Converse reported on activities at the Hanover School.

Rick Simoncic, Superintendent informed the board that students will have the opportunity for free dental screenings if they choose. Mr. Simoncic asked the board for permission to release students and staff at 12:30 p.m. on December 22<sup>nd</sup> and the board approved. The board discussed moving the January 10<sup>th</sup> board meeting to January 12<sup>th</sup> due to a conflict in schedules.

A thank you card from Theresa Bruna was read for her 15 years for service award. The board discussed options with the United Methodist Church that sits on the northwest corner of the Hanover school property. This will be discussed further next month.

\*To hold Executive Session for Non-Elected Personnel.

\*To approve Lori Nutsch as Linn High School Girls Basketball Assistant Coach for 2010-2011 school year.

\*To adjourn the meeting.