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Fairfax County School Board

Jackson Middle School

Special Meeting No. 2/Teacher of the Year

May 5, 2010

2.01 Call to Order and Announcements

Chairman Smith convened the meeting at 7:05 p.m. with the following Board members present:

Elizabeth T. Bradsher (Springfield)
Brad Center (Lee; arr 7:14 p.m.)
Sandra S. Evans (Mason)
Stuart D. Gibson (Hunter Mill)
Martina A. Hone (At Large; ABSENT)
Ilryong Moon (At Large)

James L. Raney (At Large)
Patricia S. Reed (Providence)
Kathy L. Smith (Sully)
Daniel G. Storck (Mount Vernon)
Jane K. Strauss (Dranesville)
Tessie Wilson (Braddock)

Also present were Division Superintendent Jack Dale; Deputy Superintendent Richard Moniuszko; Executive Administrative Assistant Joann Kinney; and Leadership Team members. The Student Representative to the School Board Shawn Ghuman was absent.

2.02 2010 Teacher of the Year (Exhibit A)

- Chairman Smith made opening remarks, thanked student musicians who entertained during the reception, and introduced Division Superintendent Jack Dale;
- Dr. Dale gave brief remarks, recognized members of the Leadership Team, and acknowledged principals and assistant principals, those who nominated the evening's honorees, PTA officers, families and friends, members of the screening committee, 2010 Support Employees of the Year, and former Teachers of the Year;
- Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources Kevin North described the processes by which the Outstanding First Year Teacher and the Teacher of the Year are nominated and selected, presented the nominees and finalists for the two awards while Leadership Team members read brief statements about each, and introduced 2010 Outstanding First Year Teacher Jennifer Fier;
- Mrs. Strauss read the Resolution of Commendation for 2010 Teacher of the Year Brigitte Lavey.

Mrs. Strauss moved, and Mr. Gibson seconded, that the Board adopt the Resolution of Commendation for Brigitte Lavey 2010 Fairfax County Public Schools Teacher of the Year. The motion **passed 11-0**: Ms. Bradsher, Mr. Center, Ms. Evans, Mr. Gibson, Mr. Moon, Dr. Raney, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Smith, Mr. Storck, Mrs. Strauss, and Mrs. Wilson voted "aye"; Ms. Hone was absent.

Mrs. Lavey gave an acceptance speech, and Mrs. Smith thanked everyone for attending.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:33 p.m.