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August 24, 2006

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# Board Meeting Summary

## Regular Meeting . . .

The Unit 5 Board of Education, at its regular meeting on **August 23, 2006**, took the following action and received the following reports:

### Action items approved by the Board of Education included:

- Additional section each for kindergarten at Colene Hoose and Grove Elementary School and one additional section for 1<sup>st</sup> grade at Hudson.
- Revisions to the Unit 5 Diversity Plan.
- Unit 5 Strategic Plan for 2006-2007.

### Reports/Discussion

Focus on Students Reports – Kingsley Jr. High Principal Lynette Mehall recognized the following students: Ankit Patel, Rick Cranston, Aleigh Day, Johnathon Elam, Grant Jones, Steve Davis, Angelia Jiron, Sydney Lawrence, Jenna Ringer, Geoffrey Kohlhase, Dominique Lawson, and Josh McCoskey. The group of students, Dr. Mehall and KJHS teacher Rebert Harris participated in the McLean County Diversity Project June 4-9 in the Great Smoky Mountains Region. They took part in a variety of activities focusing on the environment, history and culture of the region.

### Other Reports

Board member reports on committees/councils/commissions/boards were presented.

John Pye provided the latest enrollment report and comparison figures. Total enrollment as of August 23 was reported at 12,079.

Alan Chapman presented the Elementary Classroom Needs Projections 2006-2012. Projections were based upon current enrollment data and will be used to provide a basis for comparison of projected classroom needs to a variety of potential construction scenarios.

### Consent Agenda

The following Consent Agenda items were approved:

- Minutes of the August 9 Closed and Regular Session Meetings.
- NCHS request for 34 students to attend the Illinois Theatre Association's State Festival Jan 4-7 at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
- KJHS request for Sunday use of their facility by the Maharashtra Mandal Cultural Group.

### Public Comments

There were no public comments.

### Closed Session

The Board met in closed session for one hour preceding the public session to review closed session minutes and personnel matters. No action was taken.

