

**Minutes**  
**McLean County Unit District No. 5**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Special Session**  
**January 30, 2008**

The Board of Education of Community Unit School District No. 5, McLean and Woodford Counties, Illinois met in special session on January 30, 2008 at 4:07 p.m. at the District Office, 1809 W. Hovey Avenue, Normal, Illinois.

**Roll Call**

Members present: Gail Ann Briggs, Wendy Cannell, Meta Mickens-Baker (entered at 4:12 p.m.) John Puzauskas, Scott Lay, Mark Pritchett, and Board President Jay Reece. Members absent: None.

Also present: Superintendent Dr. Gary Niehaus, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum/Instruction Jim Braksick, Director of Elementary Education Kurt Swearingen, Director of Secondary Education Dawn Green and others.

**Textbook/Curriculum Heating**

A public hearing was held regarding curriculum changes and textbooks and materials to support the curriculum.

**Board Policies 1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

Briggs presented one new board policy and two board policies for revision. She highlighted and commented on the proposed changes. Any comments and/or suggestions should be addressed to Briggs. The policies will be scheduled for 2<sup>nd</sup> reading and approval at the February 13, 2008 meeting.

**Adjournment**

The special meeting was adjourned at 6:19 p.m.

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**Jay Reece, Board of Education President**  
**Community Unit School District No. 5**  
**McLean and Woodford Counties, Illinois**

**ATTEST:**

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**John Puzauskas, Board of Education Secretary**

**Approved Date: February 13, 2008**