

# *Uintah School District*

## *School Board Highlights*

*January 10, 2012 business meeting*

Approval of Out-of-State Travel: A motion was made by Dr. Rodney Anderson to approve the travel request for the Uintah High School Marching Band to travel to Hawaii, December 4-9, 2012, to participate in the Pearl Harbor Memorial Day Parade. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

Recognition of Shawn Richins and Donny Laws: Over the last six years, schools have been rebuilt or remodeled. Shawn Richins, Maintenance Coordinator, and Donny Laws, Assistant Maintenance Coordinator, were recognized and thanked for their many hours of work with the construction projects.

Superintendent's Report: Superintendent Dockins shared results of a survey recently conducted with the Uintah School District educators. The survey asked for opinions on PLC's. Out of 314 teachers surveyed, there were 206 respondents.

Business Administrator's Report: Randy Upton asked for input or ideas from the Board regarding the upcoming budget process and budget presentations.

Approval of New Policy 010.0605 Child Internet Protection Act: (2<sup>nd</sup> Reading) A motion was made by Dr. Rodney Anderson to approve Policy 010.0605 as presented on second reading. Shane Oaks seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Policy 002.0720 Public Appearances at Board Meetings: (1<sup>st</sup> Reading) A motion was made by Dr. Rodney Anderson to approve Policy 002.0720 with the noted changes to Section 2.4, and a directive for the policy to be networked to district employees and placed on the district web page for public review. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

Approval of Addendum to Vernal Jr. High School Trust Land Plans: A motion was made to approve the addendum to the Vernal Jr. High School Trust Land Plans as presented. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

Approval to Revisions to Maeser Elementary School Trust Land Plans: A motion was made by Mark Caldwell to approve the changes to the Maeser Elementary School Trust Land Plan as presented. Shane Oaks seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

Update on Eagle View School Improvement Plan: Jayme Leyba, Curriculum Director, reviewed and updated the Board of Education on the 2.5 million dollar grant which Eagle View Elementary received. This grant is for 3 years and is being used to implement extended day programs, implementation of a Pre-K class, and for technology purchases.

Approval of Policy 005.1000 Evaluation for Certificated Personnel: (2<sup>nd</sup> Reading) A motion was made by Dr. Rodney Anderson to approve Policy 005.1000 as presented on second reading. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

**Personnel:** Appointment of Personnel: The following individuals were approved for appointment by the Uintah School District Board of Education:

Charlie Paulsen – Food Services Worker @ Lapoint  
Jeff Hanberg – Part-time Building Use Supervisor @ Sports Complex  
Ron Litton – Part-time Building Use Supervisor @ VMS  
Darcy Soderstrom – Teaching Assistant @ Naples  
Chauntue Peterson – Music Specialist @ Ashley  
Dorothy Ross – Sweeper @ Eagle View  
Tarina Johnson – Sweeper @ Eagle View  
Shaylee Williams, Teacher @ Lapoint  
Jolene Canet – PE Specialist @ Davis  
Candace Shewmake – Special Ed. Teacher @ Ashley  
Marissa Row – In-School Suspension Aide @ VMS  
Neldon Seitz – Part-time Building Use Supervisor @ Sports Complex  
Thad Bainbridge – Asst. Boys' Soccer Coach

Resignation of Personnel: Letters of resignation have been received from the following:

Celia Emmons – Connections Specialist @ Ashley – effective 12/13/11  
Jessi Calder – YIC Mentor – effective 12/21/11  
Darrell Chun – Teacher @ Eagle View – effective 12/24/11  
Dani Harding – Teaching Assistant @ Lapoint – effective 12/21/11  
Julie May – Connections Site Facilitator @ Lapoint – effective 1/13/12  
Nelson Whiting – Asst. Boys' Tennis Coach – effective 1/5/12