

**PROFESSIONAL TEACHING STANDARDS BOARD CONFERENCE CALL
JULY 17 AND JULY 21, 2003**

CALL TO ORDER

Present: Eric Stemle, Boyd Brown, Pat McClurg, Allen Trent, Bill Lee, Craig Beck, Ronda Peer, Pia Hansen-Powell, and Nancy Bailey. Staff: Linda Stowers, Adell VanPatten-Gorny, and Betsie Martinez.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY BOYD BROWN TO ADOPT THE AGENDA AS PRESENTED WITH FLEXIBILITY. MOTION CARRIED.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Page 3, under Exceptions, identify the originators of the motion to grant Trudy Howe an exception.

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY ALLEN TRENT TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE MAY 19, 2003 MEETING WITH EDITORIAL CHANGES. MOTION CARRIED.

WAIVERS

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY BILL LEE TO GRANT **PAULA ACORD** RENEWAL OF HER SPECIAL EDUCATION TRANSITIONAL PENDING EMPLOYMENT VERIFICATION AND RECEIPT OF TRANSCRIPT REELECTING COMPLETION OF REQUIRED COURSEWORK. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY BOYD BROWN TO GRANT **DARICK CHABOT** WAIVER OF THE INSTITUTIONAL RECOMMENDATION UNTIL 8-31-04. MOTION CARRIED. CRAIG BECK ABSTAINED.

MOVED BY BILL LEE AND SECONDED BY ALLEN TRENT TO WAIVE THE 2/3 REQUIREMENT FOR **MARNIE EARL'S** COUNSELOR TRANSITIONAL ENDORSEMENT. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY CRAIG BECK AND SECONDED BY RONDA PEER TO WAIVE COURSE COMPLETION REQUIREMENT AND RENEW THE TRANSITIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOL CERTIFICATE FOR **THERESA FOX**. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY BOYD BROWN TO DENY JULIETA JOHNSTON'S REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF THE STUDENT TEACHING REQUIREMENT. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY BOYD BROWN TO TABLE GAYNELL MUNDS' REQUEST FOR A WAIVER OF STUDENT TEACHING UNTIL SHE COMPLETES STUDENT TEACHING, OR PRESENTS EVIDENCE OF MENTORSHIP OR TEACHING EVALUATION. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY CRAIG BECK AND SECONDED BY BILL LEE TO WAIVE COURSE COMPLETION REQUIREMENT AND RENEW THE TRANSITIONAL SPECIAL EDUCATION CERTIFICATE FOR LINDA NEWTON VALID THROUGH 8-31-04. MOTION CARRIED.

EXCEPTIONS

MOVED BY BILL LEE AND SECONDED BY BOYD BROWN TO GRANT AN EXCEPTION CERTIFICATE TO BOBBIE CLARK VALID THROUGH 8/31/04. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY BILL LEE AND SECONDED BY CRAIG BECK TO DENY AN EXCEPTION CERTIFICATE IN SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY FOR KELLY ROWTON. MOTION CARRIED.

PORTFOLIO APPROVALS

MOVED BY BOYD BROWN AND SECONDED BY CRAIG BECK TO TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTION ON APPLICATIONS FOR ADDED ENDORSEMENTS BY PORTFOLIO:

DARCIE BEGER - Approved to add Exceptional Children Generalist with deficient standards.

MARY CARLSON - Approved to add full certification in Principal.

FRANK SYMINGTON - Approved full certification in Physics and Physical Science.

JAMIE TOLLE - Approved certification in Spanish K12 with deficient standards.

ANNE (PAT) WILLERT - Denied Educational Diagnostician certification.

MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY BOYD BROWN AND SECONDED BY BILL LEE TO ADVISE JODI IBACH TO

APPLY FOR A ONE-YEAR COLLABORATION; PORTFOLIO APPLICATION REQUEST Tabled to allow her time to work on deficient standards identified in her portfolio application. MOTION CARRIED.

COLLABORATIONS

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY CRAIG BECK TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING COLLABORATIONS FOR 2003-04 SCHOOL YEAR:

YOLAND VIGIL - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
LISA ESQUIBEL - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
JIM PRATHER - English - Big Horn #3;
SUZANNE ANDERSON - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
JENNIFER KAUFMAN - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
MARILEE CHILDS - Library/Media - Goshen #1;
LESLIE VOXLAND - Library/Media - Fremont #14;
SHARON WEBB - Reading - Uinta #6;
JENNIFER BABIONE - Social Studies - Sheridan #3;
MOLLY MARSO - Family & Consumer Science - Converse #1;
JEFFREY KITTERMAN - Library/Media - Converse #1;
MICCA HORNBuckle - Special Education - Converse #1;
GERI NELSON - ½ Kindergarten - Uinta #4;
LINDA KLESER - ESL - Goshen #1;
PHILLIP THATCHER - PE - Lincoln #1;
HEIDI RAUM - Special Ed 7-12 - Converse #1;
HEATHER ROYBAL - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
KATHRYN HAMER-SMITH - English - Goshen #1;
AMY LINDEMANN - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
KAREN MARIN-KOCUREK - Educational Diagnostician - Johnson #1;
SHARON CHRISTENSEN - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
OLIVE BAUM - Special Education - Converse #1;
JENNIFER HUNTER - Music - Sublette #9;
LINSEY KLEMAN - Early Childhood/Special Ed - Fremont Region 6 Child Development;
TIM GONZALES - English & Social Studies - Uinta #4;
MIKEN HARNISH - Social Studies - Platte #1;
REBECCA WIBLEMO - Art - Fremont #6;
SUSAN NEVES - Music - Big Horn #4;
JILL JOHANSEN - Early Childhood - Laramie #1;
VALERIE PRICE - Special Education - Campbell #1; and
TERRI STEAGELMAN - Special Education - Park #6.

MOTION CARRIED.

TEMPORARY PERMITS

MOVED BY BOYD BROWN AND SECONDED BY RONDA PEER TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING TEMPORARY PERMITS FOR 2003-04 SCHOOL YEAR:

SUSAN MICK - math - Teton #1;
DIAN BRETONES - music - Albany #1;
KELLY VAZIS - French - Laramie #1;
SUSAN WAGNER - music - Laramie #1;
JAYNE WINGATE - math - Laramie# 1;
SUZANNE COOK- ESL - Sweetwater 1;
MITCHELL CRAFT - English - Sheridan #1; and
HEATHER STRUEMPF - science & math - Albany #1.

MOTION CARRIED.

DISTRICT STAFF DEVELOPMENT PLANS

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY NANCY BAILEY TO APPROVE THE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLANS FOR 2003-04 SCHOOL YEAR FOR BIG HORN #4, CROOK #1, CAMPBELL #1, UINTA #1, AND ALBANY #1. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY BOYD BROWN AND SECONDED BY CRAIG BECK TO APPROVE THE NATRONA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #1 INSERVICE REQUESTS. MOTION CARRIED.

MOVED BY NANCY BAILEY AND SECONDED BY RONDA PEER TO APPROVE RENEWAL OF THE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR THE 2002-03 SCHOOL YEAR FOR UINTA #6, WASHAKIE #1, AND WESTON #7. MOTION CARRIED.

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

MOVED BY BOYD BROWN AND SECONDED BY PAT MCCLURG TO DISMISS THE CASE AGAINST MICHAEL UTE. MOTION CARRIED.

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH CREDIT

MOVED BY RONDA PEER AND SECONDED BY NANCY BAILEY TO GRANT ELIZABETH WATERS PRIOR APPROVAL FOR HER INVOLVEMENT WITH GERMAN AMERICAN PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM IN GERMANY THIS YEAR. MOTION CARRIED.

TESTING UPDATE

MOVED BY CRAIG BECK AND SECONDED BY RONDA PEER TO REQUIRE INITIAL ELEMENTARY TEACHERS TO TAKE PRAXIS II, ELEMENTARY TEST 011 BEGINNING FALL 2004 WITH A 1-YEAR NO FAULT PROVISION. MOTION CARRIED. PAT MCCLURG

ABSTAINED.

MOVED BY CRAIG BECK AND SECONDED BY NANCY BAILEY TO REQUIRE ALL OTHER APPLICANTS TAKE THE APPLICABLE LEVEL OF PRAXIS II, PRINCIPLES OF LEARNING AND TEACHING TEST BEGINNING FALL 2004 WITH A ONE-YEAR NO-FAULT PROVISION. MOTION CARRIED.

HIGHLY QUALIFIED DATE

Linda Stowers reported that she tested the Kansas Rubric for Highly Qualified definition on middle school teachers. Out of 226 letters, she received 109 returned. Only 24 did not meet the 100 point rubric, which represents 14% of Wyoming's middle grade/junior high teachers as not meeting a highly qualified definition.

WESTERN GOVERNOR'S UNIVERSITY

Linda Stowers reported that Western Governor's University has submitted an intent to withdraw its request for an on-site visitation for the purpose of evaluating their teacher licensure programs.

NEXT MEETINGS

Subsequent meetings of the Professional Teaching Standards Board have been scheduled as follows:

August 18, 2003 - Conference Call - 4:00 pm

October 27, 2003 - Casper

NEW PTSB MEMBERS

Joyce Tyrrell - representing elementary school teachers

Christine Frude - representing elementary school principals

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 4:50 pm.