

**NEW TRIER TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 203
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
May 9, 2011
New Trier Township High School
7 Happ Road, Room A201A
Northfield, IL 60093**

A **Special Meeting** of the Board of Education of New Trier Township High School District 203, Cook County, Illinois was held at New Trier High School – Northfield Campus, 7 Happ Road, Room A201A on Monday, May 9, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present

Ms. Carol F. Ducommun, Vice President
Mr. Peter Fischer
Ms. Lori Goldstein
Mr. Patrick O’Donoghue

Administrator Present

Dr. Linda L. Yonke, Superintendent
Dr. Timothy Dohrer, Principal – Winnetka Campus
Mr. Timothy Hayes, Assistant Superintendent
for Student Services
Mr. Paul Sally, Assistant Superintendent
for Curriculum & Instruction
Mr. Paul Waechtler, Assistant Principal –
Northfield Campus

Members Absent

Mr. Alan Dolinko
Mr. F. Malcolm Harris
Mr. John Myefski

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Ducommun called the Special Meeting of the Board of Education to Order at 6:10 p.m. Roll call was taken.

I. BOARD ORIENTATION

The purpose of the meeting was to continue with new Board member orientation. Dr. Yonke began the meeting by reviewing the organizational chart, and explaining the concept of shared leadership between the campus principals and assistant superintendents. Winnetka Campus Principal Tim Dohrer, Northfield Campus Assistant Principal (assuming the Northfield Principal role starting July 1) Paul Waechtler, Assistant Superintendent Tim Hayes, and Assistant Superintendent Paul Sally presented information about their roles and responsibilities. Two videos that had been shared with the Board this year, “Teaching and Learning at New Trier,” and “Support Services for Students at New Trier,” were viewed, and discussion followed about the role of each administrator and the various programs presented in the videos. Also discussed were the roles of department chair, department coordinator, adviser, and adviser chair. The integration of curricular and student services was discussed, and the adviser system was reviewed. Questions from Board members about the Class of 2010 Profile Report, School Report Card, and Extracurricular Participation Report were addressed. Administrators also discussed elements of the Strategic Plan that are manifested in the academic and student services programs.

ADJOURN

Ms. Ducommun thanked everyone for attending. Mr. Fischer moved to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Goldstein seconded the motion. Upon a voice vote, all Board members voted in favor.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lou Anne Kelly, Secretary

John Myefski, President