

MINUTES
MONT VERNON SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
April 6, 2010
MONT VERNON VILLAGE SCHOOL LIBRARY

Present:

Mont Vernon School Board: Trevor Girard, Kim Roberge,
and Bruce Schmidt

Administrative Team: Dr. Mary Jennings

Minutes Recorder: Bruce Schmidt

ATTENDANCE

Kim Roberge called the board meeting to order at 6:08
p.m.

I. CALL TO ORDER

A. Recommendation for Making Up School Days -
Superintendent Jennings presented to the board a
recommendation for making up cancelled school days. The
recommendation was to extend the school day by 30
minutes beginning April 19th. Barring further school
closure this will make the last day of school June 21st.
Discussion followed.

II. BUSINESS

In responding to general board member questions,
Superintendent Jennings stated this meets state education
requirements and fulfils teacher contractual obligations. It
also allows for any further unforeseen closures. The
proposal has been approved by the Amherst School Board
and agreed to by the Amherst Education Association.
Superintendent Jennings stated the proposal has been
presented to the Mont Vernon Education Association but
she not received any word as to their concurrence on the
change. Concern was expressed by board members of the
effectiveness of the added time.

**A motion was made by Trevor Girard to adopt the
modified school day as proposed. Bruce Schmidt
seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.
(3-0-0)**

Superintendent Jennings told board members they received
two letters of interest for the two open school board
positions. The nominees are Mont Vernon residents John
Quinlan and Janet Gramatges.

A motion was made by Bruce Schmidt to enter into

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non-public session at 6:21 p.m. for the purpose of conducting interviews for the two open school board positions. Trevor Girard seconded the motion. All board members voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously. (3-0-0)

A motion was made by Trevor Girard to exit non-public session. Bruce Schmidt seconded the motion. The board exited non-public at 6:52 p.m. All board members voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously. (3-0-0)

A motion was made by Bruce Schmidt to accept the nomination of John Quinlan to fulfill one school board position until the next general election. Trevor Girard seconded the motion. All board members voted in favor of the motion and the motion passed unanimously. (3-0-0)

A motion was made by Bruce Schmidt to accept the nomination of Janet Gramatges to fulfill one school board position until the next general election. Trevor Girard seconded the motion. All board members voted in favor of the motion and the motion passed unanimously. (3-0-0)

A motion was made by Trevor Girard to adjourn the meeting. Bruce Schmidt seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. (3-0-0) The meeting adjourned at 6:56 p.m.

II. REVIEW OF MEETING/ADJOURN