

Moundsville
West Virginia
March 17, 2015

The Marshall County Board of Education met in special session Tuesday, March 17, 2015, 7:00 p.m., at Cameron High School, all members having been notified of business to be considered.

Present were: President Beth A. Phillips, Vice President Thomas E. Gilbert, Jr., Members Lori E. Kestner, John Miller, Dr. Duane Miller; Secretary Michael Hince, Members of the County Administrative Staff.

This special meeting was to conduct a Public Hearing for the 2015-16 School Calendar.

Superintendent Michael Hince presented an explanation of the process, mandatory changes, the results of the Online Calendar Survey, and an open forum for public comment. Mr. Hince highlighted some of the important legislative regulations regarding the calendar that includes 48 weeks to complete the school year: all instructional time missed due to cancellations or delays must be made up, must have 180 separate instruction days, no ISE days, must provide faculty senates 2 hours time to meet, and other Non-Instructional Days must be scheduled (including CE time), seven (7) Legal Holidays, and Election Day.

There were 589 respondents to the Online Survey, and 242 comments were made.

Mr. Hince fielded questions from the audience regarding the calendar, such as the start and end dates of school.

Motion by Mr. Miller, and seconded by Mrs. Kestner, that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

President Phillips adjourned the meeting at 7:20 p.m.

President

Secretary

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