

# **THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION**

**PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15213  
Administration Building  
341 South Bellefield Avenue**

**February 16, 2011**

## **SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE AGENDA**

**Continued from  
February 8, 2011**

### **ROLL CALL**

#### **Committee on Education**

1. Leadership Academy for Math and Science Pittsburgh Charter School [Roll Call]
2. Three Rivers Charter School for Public Service [Roll Call]
3. Propel Charter School – Northside [Roll Call]
4. Urban Pathways K-5 College Charter School [Roll Call]

## RESOLUTION

RESOLVED, That the Board denies the Leadership Academy for Math and Science Pittsburgh Charter application.

Based upon the criteria described in section 1717-A(e)(2) of the Charter School Law, the review team's recommendation is to deny the application for reasons including, but not limited to:

- 1) Failure to demonstrate sustainable support by way of current petitions and letters of support from teachers, parents, students and the community.
- 2) Failure to demonstrate sustainable support at the public hearing.
- 3) Failure to provide the School District of Pittsburgh with expanded choices in the types of educational opportunities currently being offered.
- 4) Failure to consider all the information requested in section 1719-A and conform to the legislative intent outlined in section 1702-A.
- 5) Failure to describe a complete and comprehensive curriculum that is aligned to state standards.
- 6) Failure to provide a continuum of services to meet the needs of all students, including students with disabilities, English language learners and at-risk students.
- 7) Failure to identify and describe a location that can comply with all federal, state and local health and safety regulations.
- 8) Failure to demonstrate that the charter school can serve as a model for other schools in the District.

## RESOLUTION

RESOLVED, That the Board denies the Three Rivers Charter School for Public Service application.

Based upon the criteria described in section 1717-A(e)(2) of the Charter School Law, the review team's recommendation is to deny the application for reasons including, but not limited to:

- 1) Failure to provide the School District of Pittsburgh with expanded choices in the types of educational opportunities currently being offered.
- 2) Failure to consider all the information requested in section 1719-A and conform to the legislative intent outlined in section 1702-A.
- 3) Failure to describe a complete and comprehensive curriculum that is aligned to state standards.
- 4) Failure to provide a continuum of services to meet the needs of all students, including students with disabilities, English language learners and at-risk students.
- 5) Failure to demonstrate that the charter school can serve as a model for other schools in the District.

## **RESOLUTION**

RESOLVED, That the Board denies the Propel Charter School – Northside application.

Based upon the criteria described in section 1717-A(e)(2) of the Charter School Law, the review team's recommendation is to deny the application for reasons including, but not limited to:

- 1) Failure to provide the School District of Pittsburgh with expanded choices in the types of educational opportunities currently being offered.
- 2) Failure to consider all the information requested in section 1719-A and conform to the legislative intent outlined in section 1702-A.
- 3) Failure to describe a complete and comprehensive curriculum that is aligned to state standards.
- 4) Failure to provide a continuum of services to meet the needs of all students, including students with disabilities, English language learners and at-risk students.
- 5) Failure to demonstrate that the charter school can serve as a model for other schools in the District.

## **RESOLUTION**

RESOLVED, That the Board grants the charter for Urban Pathways K-5 College Charter School application pursuant to the Charter School Law, 24 P.S. § 17 – 1717 – A (e)(4), and in accordance with the Review Team’s February 7, 2011 report and presentation to the Board.

The administration is hereby directed to provide written notice of the Board’s action to the applicant, the Department of Education and the State Charter School Appeal Board. A written Charter Agreement shall be drafted by the Law Department to memorialize the terms of the charter.

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PITTSBURGH BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION  
SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE MEETING  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2011  
5:35 P.M.  
CONFERENCE ROOM A

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

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BEFORE:

SHERRY HAZUDA, BOARD PRESIDENT  
DR. DANA WARE ALLEN  
MARK BRENTLEY  
WILLIAM ISLER  
THOMAS SUMPTER, SECOND VICE PRESIDENT  
FLOYD McCREA

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MEMBERS ABSENT:

THERESA COLAIZZI  
JEAN FINK  
SHARENE SHEALEY, FIRST VICE PRESIDENT

ALSO PRESENT:

DR. LINDA LANE                      MR. IRA WEISS  
MR. MAX JUNKER                      DR. PAULETTE PONCELET  
MR. DERRICK LOPEZ                      DR. CHRISTIANA OTUWA  
MR. PETER CAMARDA                      MR. MARK CAMPBELL

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1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 MRS. HAZUDA: I call the special  
3 Legislative Meeting of the Pittsburgh Board of  
4 Education for Tuesday, February 8, 2011 to deal  
5 specifically with charter recommendations. I call to  
6 order. Okay.

7 Mr. Weiss, will you do a roll call,  
8 please?

9 MR. WEISS: Dr. Allen?

10 DR. ALLEN: Present.

11 MR. WEISS: Mr. Brentley?

12 MR. BRENTLEY: Here.

13 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi?

14 Mrs. Fink?

15 Mr. Isler?

16 Mr. McCrea?

17 MR. McCREA: Here.

18 MR. WEISS: Ms. Shealey?

19 Mr. Sumpter?

20 MR. SUMPTER: Present.

21 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Hazuda?

22 MRS. HAZUDA: Here.

23 MR. WEISS: There are five members present.

24 Mrs. Hazuda, the Charter School Law requires that a  
25 vote, an affirmative vote of the entire Board is

1 necessary to take action either to approve or  
2 disapprove a charter application.

3           Given the fact that we have a bare majority  
4 here this evening, it is perhaps unlikely that this  
5 Board will reach that point.

6           So it is my recommendation that the Board  
7 consider recessing this meeting until next Wednesday,  
8 which would be the 16th of February at 6:30 p.m. in  
9 this room for the purpose of considering these  
10 applications.

11           MRS. HAZUDA: Do I have a motion?

12           MR. SUMPTER: So moved.

13           MR. McCREA: Second.

14           MRS. HAZUDA: Motion made by Mr. Sumpter.  
15 Seconded by Skip McCrea.

16           Mr. Brentley?

17           MR. BRENTLEY: I just want to ask at what  
18 point -- I mean does this change at all? Is there a  
19 minimum required for the Board to vote? Or does it  
20 have to be before the entire Board? We have a quorum  
21 now.

22           MR. WEISS: It does not have to be before  
23 the entire Board. But the problem is that I don't  
24 know what the results of the vote will be.

25           But if a vote on any of these applications



1 to affirm or to approve or deny them, has less than 5,  
2 which is the statutory number needed, which is a  
3 majority of 9, then there is effectively no action  
4 taken.

5           And at that point the Board would have to  
6 come up with a way to reconsider this at a later time  
7 before the deadline imposed by the Charter School Law.

8           My thought is to make this as simple as  
9 possible, that the Board would consider simply  
10 deferring this until next Wednesday in the hopes that  
11 there would be a larger number of members.

12           If the motion to recess does not pass, it  
13 only requires a majority of those here to do that,  
14 then, of course, the Board would consider these four  
15 applications and we would just deal with the results  
16 as they come in.

17           MR. BRENTLEY: Okay. Well, I will of  
18 course, we would have to go with whatever the majority  
19 decides to. I just wanted to make a note for the  
20 record this is a perfect example as to why the rules  
21 need to be clarified as to what districts can and  
22 can't do, accepting or by rejecting applications.

23           This is a new maneuver here. This one is  
24 new. I've seen this with some other things since I've  
25 been here. But this one is pretty interesting and

1 it's new.

2           My concern with in the past, I think a year  
3 or so ago, we had an applicant, late application. And  
4 we sent this particular applicant through some  
5 changes, eventually denied his application. Denied  
6 anything he wanted to do in the District, with the  
7 purchase of a building and so on.

8           So I want to point that out to show that we  
9 are all over the board in terms of how we treat  
10 applications.

11           This is not necessarily for you, Mr. Weiss,  
12 to respond. I just want to just put this for the  
13 record.

14           This is why some raised concerns about the  
15 process being highly political and highly slanted for  
16 certain individuals who have influence in the District  
17 or within the Board's structure.

18           So I want to make my comments for the  
19 record. I will abide by whatever the majority.

20           Also, just to state for the record the date  
21 that we actually set, Dr. Lane, I didn't set it, I  
22 don't know anything about the date to vote, was set by  
23 you or set by the committee? It was your  
24 recommendations to actually have the vote today? Who  
25 set the date?

1 DR. LANE: Well, I know that several people  
2 were engaged in deciding on the vote for today. So it  
3 wasn't solely my decision. I did confer with others.  
4 I know, I think actually Lisa Fischetti contacted the  
5 Board office. Mrs. Hazuda talked to whoever she may  
6 have talked with, I'm not sure about that. But she  
7 can speak to that.

8 MR. BRENTLEY: I just want to just make my  
9 comment for the record. Just also to once again just  
10 thank the panel, the committee for their hard work,  
11 what an excellent opportunity to see politics at its  
12 best here. Not in terms of how these decisions are  
13 made.

14 So we will wait til next week and I guess  
15 that's what the plans are. So thank you.

16 MRS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Mr. Brentley.  
17 Actually when we were talking before the meeting  
18 started, we were trying to figure out how late we  
19 could wait to see if any other Board Members showed up  
20 and Mr. Isler has arrived.

21 So that does give us six. So at this time  
22 we have a motion to recess. So I think we need to  
23 take a vote, either withdraw the motion or take a vote  
24 on that motion.

25 MR. ISLER: Point of order, has a motion

1 been made and seconded?

2 MRS. HAZUDA: Yes.

3 MR. ISLER: Thank you.

4 MR. WEISS: Roll call on the motion to  
5 recess.

6 Dr. Allen?

7 DR. ALLEN: No.

8 MR. WEISS: Mr. Brentley?

9 MR. BRENTLEY: No.

10 MR. WEISS: Mr. Isler?

11 MR. ISLER: Yes.

12 MR. WEISS: Mr. McCrea?

13 MR. MCCREA: Yes.

14 MR. WEISS: Mr. Sumpter?

15 MR. SUMPTER: Yes.

16 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Hazuda?

17 MRS. HAZUDA: Yes.

18 MR. WEISS: The motion carries 4 to 2, the  
19 meeting is recessed until next Wednesday, February  
20 16th, 2011 at 6:30 in this room for the purpose of  
21 considering the four applications. It will be a  
22 continuation of this meeting.

23 MR. ISLER: Mrs. Hazuda, I know that this  
24 is an unusual request, but I would hope that that  
25 meeting is advertised.

1 MR. WEISS: It will be advertised.

2 MR. ISLER: We have enough time to get in  
3 to be totally transparent and visible to everybody  
4 concerned, all the individuals who are in this room,  
5 representing the charters and anybody else.

6 MR. WEISS: When this was discussed with  
7 Dr. Lane prior to the meeting, we said it would be  
8 advertised.

9 MR. ISLER: Thank you.

10 MRS. HAZUDA: I want to apologize for all  
11 those who came out this evening for us to vote. It's  
12 in the best interests that we have a full discussion  
13 of the Board and the opportunity to vote.

14 So again, I apologize for the time and hope  
15 we see you next Wednesday.

16 (THEREUPON, at 5:45 o'clock p.m. the  
17 hearing was adjourned.)

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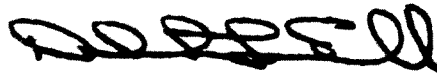
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I, Deborah L. Endler, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the foregoing eight (8) pages are a true and correct transcript of my stenotypy notes taken at the Special Legislative Meeting held at the Pittsburgh Public Schools, Board of Education, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, January 8, 2011.



Deborah L. Endler, Court Reporter

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PITTSBURGH BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION  
SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2011  
6:43 P.M.  
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING - BOARD COMMITTEE ROOM

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BEFORE:

SHERRY HAZUDA, BOARD PRESIDENT  
SHARENE SHEALEY, FIRST VICE PRESIDENT  
THOMAS SUMPTER, SECOND VICE PRESIDENT  
MARK BRENTLEY  
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1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 MS. HAZUDA: Good evening, ladies and  
3 gentlemen. Welcome to the continuation of  
4 February 16, 2011 Special Legislative Agenda.

5 I ask that everyone please turn off your  
6 cell phones or put them on vibrate.

7 Would you all please stand for the Pledge  
8 of Allegiance.

9 (Flat saluted.)

10 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you.

11 Mr. Weiss, could we have a roll call,  
12 please.

13 MR. WEISS: Dr. Allen.

14 DR. ALLEN: Present.

15 MR. WEISS: Mr. Brentley.

16 MR. BRENTLEY: Here.

17 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi.

18 MRS. COLAIZZI: Here.

19 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Fink.

20 MRS. FINK: Here.

21 MR. WEISS: Mr. Isler.

22 MR. ISLER: Present.

23 MR. WEISS: Mr. McCrea.

24 MR. McCREA: Here.

25 MR. WEISS: Ms. Shealey.



1 MS. SHEALEY: Here.

2 MR. WEISS: Mr. Sumpter.

3 MR. SUMPTER: Present.

4 MR. WEISS: Ms. Hazuda.

5 MS. HAZUDA: Here.

6 MR. WEISS: All members present.

7 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Mr. Weiss.

8 We'll begin with a resolution that the  
9 Board denies the Leadership Academy for Math and  
10 Science Pittsburgh Charter application.

11 You all have the resolution in front of  
12 you. I ask if there are any questions, we'll  
13 address them now.

14 We'll start with Dr. Ware Allen.

15 DR. ALLEN: No.

16 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Brentley.

17 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes. I just wanted to ask  
18 Dr. Lane has there been any additions or  
19 deletions in terms of the recommendation by the  
20 panel that was made a couple weeks ago.

21 And so in other words, are all the  
22 recommendations still the same as that was made  
23 by the committee?

24 DR. LANE: Yes, Mr. Brentley, they are.

25 MR. BRENTLEY: Thank you. That's all.

1 MRS. COLAIZZI: Thank you, Madame Chair.

2 Dr. Lane, I'm assuming that each of  
3 these charters that we'll be voting on are the  
4 recommendations, so a yes vote is what the  
5 recommendation of the staff is. Am I correct?

6 DR. LANE: Yes. An affirmative vote  
7 confirms the resolution, which is either to deny  
8 or to grant the charter.

9 MRS. COLAIZZI: Okay. And we're doing  
10 these as separate roll calls. Am I correct?

11 MR. WEISS: Yes.

12 MRS. COLAIZZI: Okay. Thank you.

13 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Fink.

14 MRS. FINK: No. I'm good.

15 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. McCrea.

16 MRS. FINK: Mr. Isler.

17 MS. HAZUDA: Sorry, Mr. Isler. Mr. Isler,  
18 do you have any questions?

19 MR. ISLER: No, ma'am. Thank you,  
20 Ms. Hazuda.

21 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. McCrea.

22 MR. MCCREA: I just want to note that they  
23 pretty much failed to do anything right, so I'm  
24 definitely going to support this.

25 MS. HAZUDA: Ms. Shealey.

1 MS. SHEALEY: No thank you.

2 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Sumpter.

3 MR. SUMPTER: No.

4 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Weiss, can we have a roll  
5 call -- no. We need a motion first --

6 Wait. We're back to Mr. Brentley.

7 MR. BRENTLEY: Just one other question, and  
8 I just wanted to say once again publicly thank  
9 the committee for all their hard work and extra  
10 time they put in for this, so we really  
11 appreciate that. Thank you so much.

12 MS. HAZUDA: I need a motion and a second  
13 to vote on this resolution.

14 MR. McCREA: Motion.

15 MRS. COLAIZZI: So moved.

16 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Colaizzi and Mr. McCrea.  
17 Mr. Weiss, roll call.

18 MR. WEISS: This is a roll call on the  
19 Leadership Academy for Math and Science. The  
20 recommendation is to deny it, so an affirmative  
21 vote denies the charter.

22 Dr. Allen.

23 DR. ALLEN: Yes.

24 MR. WEISS: Mr. Brentley.

25 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.

1 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi.

2 MRS. COLAIZZI: Yes.

3 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Fink.

4 MRS. FINK: Yes.

5 MR. WEISS: Mr. Isler.

6 MR. ISLER: Yes.

7 MR. WEISS: Mr. McCrea.

8 MR. McCREA: Yes.

9 MR. WEISS: Ms. Shealey.

10 MS. SHEALEY: Yes.

11 MR. WEISS: Mr. Sumpter.

12 MR. SUMPTER: Yes.

13 MR. WEISS: Ms. Hazuda.

14 MS. HAZUDA: Yes.

15 MR. WEISS: The resolution is approved.

16 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Mr. Weiss.

17 We'll move onto the second resolution that  
18 the Board denies the Three Rivers Charter School  
19 for Public Service application.

20 Mr. Sumpter, we'll begin with you.

21 MR. SUMPTER: No questions or comments.

22 Thank you.

23 MS. HAZUDA: Ms. Shealey.

24 MS. SHEALEY: No thank you.

25 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. McCrea.

1 MR. MCCREA: Thank you.

2 I just want to note that our Junior ROTC  
3 program at Oliver cannot be beat. We get --  
4 they're getting -- as a matter of fact, this  
5 month they're coming up for an award at the  
6 Legislative Meeting, so we do provide that aspect  
7 that this school is alleging that they can do  
8 better. I don't -- you definitely can't do  
9 better than we're doing at Oliver.

10 Also, I want to make note that we had a  
11 public safety academy, but it failed because we  
12 could not get enough children to come into it.  
13 Believe me, I know that one well. So I agree  
14 with the staff on this one again.

15 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Mr. McCrea.

16 Mr. Isler.

17 MR. ISLER: No thank you, Ms. Hazuda.

18 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Fink.

19 MRS. FINK: No. I'm good.

20 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Colaizzi.

21 MRS. COLAIZZI: No.

22 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Brentley.

23 MR. BRENTLEY: No.

24 MS. HAZUDA: Dr. Allen.

25 DR. ALLEN: No.

1 MS. HAZUDA: Can I have a --

2 MRS. COLAIZZI: So moved.

3 MR. McCREA: Second.

4 MS. HAZUDA: Colaizzi and McCrea.

5 We'll take a roll call, Mr. Weiss.

6 MR. WEISS: This is a -- again, a  
7 resolution in an affirmative vote will deny the  
8 charter.

9 Dr. Allen.

10 DR. ALLEN: Yes.

11 MR. WEISS: Mr. Brentley.

12 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.

13 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi.

14 MRS. COLAIZZI: Yes.

15 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Fink.

16 MRS. FINK: Yes.

17 MR. WEISS: Mr. Isler.

18 MR. ISLER: Yes.

19 MR. WEISS: Mr. McCrea.

20 MR. McCREA: Yes.

21 MR. WEISS: Ms. Shealey.

22 MS. SHEALEY: Yes.

23 MR. WEISS: Mr. Sumpter.

24 MR. SUMPTER: Yes.

25 MR. WEISS: Ms. Hazuda.

1 MS. HAZUDA: Yes.

2 MR. WEISS: The resolution is approved.

3 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you.

4 And I've been doing things a little  
5 backwards. We should be having the motion prior  
6 to the discussion, so on this one, I'll read it.  
7 We'll do the motion and then --

8 MR. SUMPTER: You do the motion. Then --

9 MS. HAZUDA: Right. Okay.

10 So the third one is resolved that the  
11 Board denies the Propel Charter School Northside  
12 application.

13 Is there a motion?

14 MRS. COLAIZZI: So moved.

15 MS. SHEALEY: Second.

16 MS. HAZUDA: Okay. Colaizzi and Shealey.

17 All right. Now, we'll go for questions.

18 DR. ALLEN: I am abstaining from voting and  
19 participating in the deliberations of the Propel  
20 application under provisions of the Ethics Act  
21 whereby my employer, Youth Works, has a business  
22 relationship with Propel.

23 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Dr. Ware Allen.

24 Mr. Brentley.

25 MR. BRENTLEY: No thanks.

1 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Colaizzi.

2 MRS. COLAIZZI: No.

3 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Fink.

4 MRS. FINK: No.

5 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Isler.

6 MR. ISLER: No thank you.

7 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. McCrea.

8 MR. MCCREA: I'm ready. I drove by  
9 901 Pennsylvania Avenue. It's a warehouse. They  
10 want to put our children into a warehouse and try  
11 to educate them. It's next to the rail road  
12 track. It's an industrial area.

13 I do not like it, and I haven't seen a tree  
14 there either. So I will definitely agree with  
15 the District.

16 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you.

17 Ms. Shealey.

18 MS. SHEALEY: I guess my drive by was  
19 actually to a Propel school, and they deliver a  
20 type of education that I don't see happening in  
21 the District.

22 So if the recommendation of the team  
23 carries tonight, I would like to encourage Propel  
24 to resubmit an application to the District that  
25 addresses these issues because their schools and



1 their results are something that we should model,  
2 and I'm one who believes a little competition  
3 doesn't hurt anything.

4 Thank you, Ms. Hazuda.

5 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Ms. Shealey.

6 Mr. Sumpter.

7 MR. SUMPTER: No thank you.

8 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Weiss, can we have a roll  
9 call, please.

10 MR. WEISS: Dr. Allen.

11 DR. ALLEN: Abstain.

12 MR. WEISS: Mr. Brentley.

13 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.

14 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi.

15 MRS. COLAIZZI: Yes.

16 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Fink.

17 MRS. FINK: Yes.

18 MR. WEISS: Mr. Isler.

19 MR. ISLER: Yes.

20 MR. WEISS: Mr. McCrea.

21 MR. McCREA: Yes.

22 MR. WEISS: Ms. Shealey.

23 MS. SHEALEY: No.

24 MR. WEISS: Mr. Sumpter.

25 MR. SUMPTER: Yes.

1 MR. WEISS: Ms. Hazuda.

2 MS. HAZUDA: Yes.

3 MR. WEISS: The motion carries seven, one,  
4 one.

5 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Mr. Weiss.

6 And the final resolution is resolved that  
7 the Board grants the charter for Urban Pathways  
8 K-5 College Charter School application pursuant  
9 to the Charter School Law 24 PS-17-1717-AE4. And  
10 in accordance with the review team's February 7,  
11 2011 report and presentation to the Board.

12 MRS. COLAIZZI: So moved.

13 MS. SHEALEY: Second.

14 MS. HAZUDA: Colaizzi and Shealey.

15 Discussion on it, we'll start with  
16 Mr. Sumpter.

17 MR. SUMPTER: No comments.

18 MS. HAZUDA: Ms. Shealey.

19 MS. SHEALEY: No thanks.

20 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. McCrea.

21 MR. MCCREA: I'll be consistent and agree  
22 with the District's findings.

23 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Isler.

24 MR. ISLER: No, ma'am.

25 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Fink.

1 MRS. FINK: No.

2 MS. HAZUDA: Mrs. Colaizzi.

3 MRS. COLAIZZI: No.

4 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Brentley.

5 MR. BRENTLEY: No.

6 MS. HAZUDA: Dr. Ware Allen.

7 DR. ALLEN: No.

8 MS. HAZUDA: Mr. Weiss, a roll call,  
9 please.

10 MR. WEISS: Dr. Ware Allen.

11 DR. ALLEN: Yes.

12 MR. WEISS: Mr. Brentley.

13 MR. BRENTLEY: Yes.

14 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Colaizzi.

15 MRS. COLAIZZI: Yes.

16 MR. WEISS: Mrs. Fink.

17 MRS. FINK: No.

18 MR. WEISS: Excuse me?

19 MRS. FINK: No.

20 MR. WEISS: Mr. Isler.

21 MR. ISLER: Yes.

22 MR. WEISS: Mr. McCrea.

23 MR. MCCREA: Yes.

24 MR. WEISS: Ms. Shealey.

25 MS. SHEALEY: Yes.

1 MR. WEISS: Mr. Sumpster.

2 MR. SUMPTER: Yes.

3 MR. WEISS: Ms. Hazuda.

4 MS. HAZUDA: Yes.

5 MR. WEISS: Motion carries eight to one.

6 That completes the business subject that called  
7 the meeting.

8 MS. HAZUDA: Thank you, Mr. Weiss.

9 Is there a motion to adjourn?

10 MS. SHEALEY: So moved.

11 MRS. FINK: Second.

12 MS. SHEALEY: We'll go with Shealey and  
13 Fink.

14 This meeting is adjourned. Thank you.

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16 (Thereupon, at 6:53 p.m., the Special  
17 Legislative Meeting was concluded.)

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I, Melissa L. Fenster, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the foregoing fourteen (14) pages are a true and correct transcript of my stenotypy notes taken of the Special Legislative Meeting held in the Pittsburgh Board of Public Education, Administration Building, Board Committee Room, on Wednesday, February 16, 2011.



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Melissa L. Fenster, Court Reporter

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