

COLUSA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
745 Tenth Street
Colusa, CA 95932

UNOFFICIAL MINUTES
Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees
Board/Leadership Team Workshop
1115 Clay St., Colusa

June 25, 2012

CALL TO ORDER The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m. and established that a quorum was present. Attending were Board Members Terry Bressler, Charles Yerxa, Don Bransford, Lincoln Forry, Cindy Steidlmayer and new Superintendent Dwayne Newman.

HEARING OF PUBLIC FOR
MATTERS ON CLOSED SESSION
AGENDA None

BOARD AND SUPERINTENDENT
WORK SESSION The Board and Superintendent Newman reviewed and discussed the following: the District's Mission Statement; Board expectations of the new Superintendent; Board communication frequency, i.e. weekly email updates, concerns and complaints; and the Superintendent's communication with the public.
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM Also discussed were assessment of the District's strengths and weaknesses and student achievement data; the development of Core Values for CUSD; and future steps in determining goals for the 2012-2013 school year

BOARD, SUPERINTENDENT &
LEADERSHIP TEAM WORK
SESSION At 4 p.m. the Leadership Team arrived to be included in the remainder of the workshop. The Leadership Team members in attendance were: Darren Brown, Mike West, Lori Tanner, Jody Johnston, Erika Lemenager, Kathy Aplanalp, Dave Tarr, Sheryl Bailey, Jim LaGrone, Shannon Laux and Mary Lyttle.
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM The discussions that followed included setting Norms for leadership team interactions and clarification of professional expectations; setting priorities; effective school practices through dispersed leadership; developing Core Values of CUSD; identification of leverage points for increasing student achievement; and drafting ideas for a goal setting work session to be held at a later date.

ADJOURNMENT The meeting was adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

Submitted by Mary Lyttle, Executive Administrative Assistant

APPROVED BY:
