

Edwards-Knox Central School
Board of Education
Special Meeting
February 17, 2010

The Special meeting of the Edwards-Knox Central School Board of Education was called to order at 8:30 p.m. by President Wheeler Maynard, Jr. on February 17, 2010 at the Edwards-Knox Central School Library.

Members of the Board of Education present were: Rick Brewer, Amanda Fuller, Bryan Gotham, Malissa Hale, Teresa Hogle, Wheeler Maynard, Jr., Tom O'Brien, and Andrea Webb. Also present were: Sue Kelly, Kay Amo, Ron Burke, and several district residents and students.

Mr. Maynard noted that he understood we were here to discuss the suspended cheerleading season. He stated ground rules for public participation regarding decorum and speaking one at a time. He indicated that he would open the meeting with asking Ms. Kelly to give a brief history of the events leading to her decision.

Ms. Kelly noted the history of this cheerleading season and various issues she has discussed with the cheerleading advisor throughout the season. Following this, Mrs. Stevens, Cheerleading Advisor, and several district residents, including Mrs. Tammy Mackin, Mrs. Michelle Davison, Mrs. Vicky Manning, Mrs. Julie Bullock, Mr. Vernon Davison, Mrs. Cindy Cutway, Mrs. Mary Jo Rulffes, Mr. Maracle, Mr. Fred Foster, Mrs. Lori Brewer, Athletic Director, Mrs. Audrey Pearson, Mr. David Bullock, Mr. Rick Cutway, Mrs. Sarah Manning, and Mr. Simon White all made statements, comments and asked questions about the many incidents throughout the season. Many of the parents comments were in support of the cheerleading squad and asking that the Board of Education reconsider Ms. Kelly's, Mrs. Brewer's, and Mrs. Stevens' decision to suspend the season.

After much discussion, Mr. Maynard noted that the board would enter into executive session and that anyone wanting to know the outcome of the meeting could leave their telephone numbers or contact information and someone would call them after the meeting.

RESOLUTION: A motion was made by Rick Brewer, seconded by Teresa Hogle to enter into executive session for discussion of individual participants and CSE at 9:45 p.m.

Brewer - Yes	Fuller - Yes	Gotham - Yes	Hogle - Yes
Hale - Yes	O'Brien - Yes	Maynard - Yes	Webb - Yes
Wood - Absent			Motion Carried

The Board reentered regular session at 11:08 p.m.

ADJOURN: A motion was made by Teresa Hogle, seconded by Amanda Fuller to adjourn the meeting at 11:09 p.m.

Brewer - Yes	Fuller - Yes	Gotham - Yes	Hogle - Yes
Hale - Yes	O'Brien - Yes	Maynard - Yes	Webb - Yes
Wood - Absent			Motion Carried

Respectfully Submitted,

Kay C. Amo
Board Clerk