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Wheaton, Maryland March 2, 1983

The Board of Education of Montgomery County met in special session at Wheaton High School, Wheaton, Maryland, on Wednesday, March 2, 1983, at 7 p.m.

ROLL CALL Present: Mr. Blair G. Ewing, President in the Chair

Dr. James E. Cronin Dr. Marian L. Greenblatt

Mr. Kurt Hirsch

Mrs. Suzanne K. Peyser Mrs. Marilyn J. Praisner Mrs. Odessa M. Shannon Dr. Robert E. Shoenberg

Absent: None

Others Present: Dr. Edward Andrews, Superintendent of

Schools

Dr. Harry Pitt, Deputy Superintendent Mr. Thomas S. Fess, Parliamentarian

Re: Public Hearing for Blair High

School

The following individuals appeared before the Board of Education:

1. Dr. E. H. Herman

- 2. Dr. Tom Broadwater
- 3. Mrs. Barbara Cantor

Re: Dialogue with the Board of Education

Mr. Ewing asked that staff develop a numbering or lettering system for the various plans involving Blair/Einstein/Northwood. He asked that the staff develop as much information on the other two options in the February 17 paper as he gave to the Board on the third option. Mrs. Praisner requested information on whether the Blair renovation could be accomplished during the summers.

Re: Public Hearing for Takoma Park Junior High School and the City of Takoma Park

The following individuals appeared before the Board of Education:

- 1. Jacqueline Byers
- 2. Kay Meek
- 3. Nancy Perry
- 4. The Honorable Samuel Abbott

Re: Dialogue with the Board of Education

Mr. Ewing requested that the Takoma Park video tape be set up on March 8 in the late afternoon so that Board members could see it if they wished.

Re: Public Hearing for East Silver Spring Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Michele Simka
- 2. Patricia Paredes Fitzpatrick
- 3. Tony Hausner

Re: Public Hearing for Rolling Terrace Elementary School

Sally Weiss appeared before the Board.

Re: Public Hearing for Piney Branch Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Ann Couture
- 2. Jean Narayanan
- 3. David Bernal

Re: Public Hearing for Takoma Park Elementary School

Dr. Arthur Karpas appeared before the Board.

Re: Dialogue with the Board

There were no follow-up questions during the dialogue.

Re: Public Hearing for Eastern Intermediate School

Dr. David Moran appeared before the Board.

Re: Dialogue with the Board

Dr. Greenblatt asked for information on whether Blair could be relocated in a closed Northwood building during the renovation and whether it could be a four-year high school.

Re: Public Hearing for Highland View Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Irene McGhee
- 2. Sue Collins

Re: Public Hearing for Montgomery Knolls/Pine Crest Elementary School

Bob Cunningham appeared before the Board.

Re: Public Hearing for New Hampshire Estates Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Amy Backus
- 2. Janine Reid
- 3. Elena Hutchinson

Re: Oak View Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Joan Wolf, Sligo-Branview Citizens Association
- 2. Gwen Davis
- 3. Lynn Berkeley

Re: Dialogue with the Board

Dr. Shoenberg asked that copies of the middle school evaluation report be available to the public during the March 7 hearing. Mr. Hirsch asked that the superintendent provide a written report of the impact of a magnet program at Blair on the regular classes. He asked how much time would these students be in regular classes and how much time would they be in "magnet" classes.

Re: Public Hearing for Einstein High School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Ricardo Elbo
- 2. Patricia Lawson
- 3. Cordie Goldstein
- 4. Ellen Durigg

Re: Dialogue with the Board

There were no follow-up questions raised by the Board.

Re: Public Hearing for Sligo Intermediate School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Rosemary Miller
- 2. Nicole Oeschger

Re: Dialogue with the Board

There were no follow-up questions raised by the Board.

Re: Public Hearing for Forest Knolls

Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Norman Goldstein
- 2. Margaret Donnelly

Re: Public Hearing for Oakland Terrace Elementary School

The following individuals appeared before the Board:

- 1. Carole McClure
- 2. Dianne Smith

Re: Public Hearing for Woodlin Elementary School

Lois Antos appeared before the Board.

Re: Dialogue with the Board

Dr. Cronin requested a written report about the possible movement of the Area 1 office into Sligo and the impact on the Phoenix School.

Re: Adjournment

The president adjourned the meeting at 11:55 p.m.

President

Secretary

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