MINUTES

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES SCHOOL NAME COMMITTEE EDWARD A. GREER EDUCATION CENTER, BOARD ROOM 2832 E. FLAMINGO ROAD, LAS VEGAS, NV 89121

Tuesday, January 8, 2013

6:00 p.m.

Members Present
Carolyn Edwards, Chair
Deanna Wright, Member
Bev Patton, Member
Sandy Miller, Member
Celese Rayford, Member

Members Absent
Tony Sanchez, Member
Jo Mitchell, Member

WELCOME

Carolyn Edwards, President of the School Board of Trustees, Welcomed members of the Committee and audience to the School Name Committee meeting.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Trustee Edwards made one change to the posted agenda moving 3.09 to before 3.01.

Adoption of the agenda for January 8, 2013.

Motion: Wright Second: Miller Vote: Unanimous

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of the minutes of March 31, 2011.

Motion: Miller Second: Rayford Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the gymnasium at Virgin Valley High School, the Kirk Brotherson Gymnasium

Clifford Hughes, principal of Virgin Valley High School, spoke on behalf of naming the gymnasium at Virgin Valley High School, the Kirk Brotherson Gymnasium. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees the naming of the gymnasium at Virgin Valley High School, the Kirk Brotherson Gymnasium.

Motion: Miller Second: Patton Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the baseball field at Arbor View High School, Pat Hayden Field

Kevin McPartlin, principal of Arbor View High School, spoke on behalf of naming the baseball field at Arbor View High School, Pat Hayden Field. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees the naming of the baseball field at Arbor View High School, the Pat Hayden Field.

Motion: Wright Second: Miller Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the activity center at Basic High School, the Maestas Activity Center Laura Bowers and David Bechtel spoke on behalf of naming the Activity Center at Basic High School the Maestas Activity Center. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the Activity Center located at Basic High School, the Maestas Activity Center.

Motion: Miller Second: Patton Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the multipurpose room/cafeteria at Kit Carson Elementary School, the Pastor Almary Gaston Multipurpose Room

Jessie Gaston Robinson and Grace Gaston spoke on behalf of naming the multipurpose room at Kit Carson Elementary School the Pastor Almary Gaston Multipurpose Room. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the multipurpose room located at Kit Carson Elementary School, the Pastor Almary Gaston Multipurpose Room.

Motion: Rayford Second: Patton Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the football field at Clark High School, the Larry Barnson Field
Joe Bravo spoke on behalf of naming the football field at Clark High School the Collis Stadium at Barnson Field. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the football field located at Clark High School, the Collis Stadium at Barnson Field.

Motion: Wright Second: Rayford Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the Technology Center at Clark High School, the Jimmy Kimmel Technology Center

Jillyn Pendleton, principal of Clark High School, spoke on behalf of naming the Technology Center at Clark High School the Jimmy Kimmel Technology Center. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the Technology Center located at Clark High School the Jimmy Kimmel Technology Center.

Motion: Rayford Second: Wright Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the library at Lomie Heard Elementary School, the Bessie Parrish Library Sherry Opendyk spoke on behalf of naming the library at Lomie Heard Elementary School the Bessie Parrish Memorial Library. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the library located at Lomie Heard Elementary School, the Bessie Parrish Memorial Library.

Motion: Miller Second: Rayford Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the library at C. C. Ronnow Elementary School, the Louis G. Denoncourt Memorial Library

Dale Ouellette spoke on behalf of naming the library at C.C. Ronnow Elementary School the Louis G. Denoncourt Memorial Library. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the library located at C.C. Ronnow Elementary School, the Louis G. Denoncourt Memorial Library.

Motion: Wright Second: Patton Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the track and field at Helen J. Stewart School, the Gordie Hill Track and Field

Dr. Patricia Schultz, principal of Helen J. Stewart School, spoke on behalf of naming the track and field at Helen J. Stewart the Gordie Hill Track and Field. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the track and field located at Helen J. Stewart School, the Gordie Hill Track and Field.

Motion: Patton Second: Wright Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF PORTIONS OF FACILITIES. Discussion and possible action to forward a recommendation to name the library at the Sandy Valley School, the Frank and Edith Williams Memorial Library

Leanne Ferdig spoke on behalf of naming the library at Sandy Valley School the Frank and Edith Williams Memorial Library. Motion to recommend to the Board of School Trustees naming the library located at the Sandy Valley School, the Frank and Edith Williams Memorial Library.

Motion: Miller Second: Patton Vote: Unanimous

NAMING OF THE NEW NORTHWEST TRANSPORTATION CENTER L LOCATED AT 10902 W. WASHBURN ROAD, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

Frank Giordano and Jon Howard spoke on behalf of naming the Northwest Transportation Center the Billy S. Key Northwest Transportation Center. Motion to name the Northwest Transportation Center located at 10902 W. Washburn Road, Las Vegas, Nevada, the Billy S. Key Northwest Transportation Center.

Motion: Wright Second: Miller Vote: Unanimous

POSSIBLE CHANGES TO POLICY 7223

Trustee Edwards spoke on possible changes to the current school naming policy. The following ideas were suggested:

- The Superintendent of Schools will appoint one member of the School Name Committee. The Board of Trustees will appoint the remainder of the members of the School Name Committee.
- The name of a school or portion of a facility will not have to be rescinded before another name is approved by the School Name Committee. An application may be submitted with the understanding that the old name will be rescinded upon approval of a new school name. Rescinding of a school name would be approved by School Board of Trustees after coming before the School Name Committee. Something egregious must happen to rescind a name, such as a felony conviction. The School Name Committee will vote to rescind a name and then the School Board of Trustees would approve the rescinding.
- All former Clark County School District employees must no longer be employed by the Clark County School District for two years before they can be considered for school naming.
- Elementary schools may be named for educators, prominent citizens, etc.
- Require approval of current principal of facility for recommending a part of a school for naming.
- Person to be named should have some connection to the school.

POSSIBLE CHANGES TO SCHOOL NAME APPLICATION

Trustee Edwards asked that staff make changes to the current school name application to ensure the application reflects changes in the policy.

APPROVE AGENDA PLANNING AND FUTURE MEETINGS

The next School Name Committee meeting will be scheduled for January, 2014.

PUBLIC HEARINGS/RESPONSE TO PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ADJOURN: 7:50 p.m.

Motion: Miller Second: Wright Vote: Unanimous