

WESTERN DUBUQUE COUNTY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES

Workshop Session

Monday, June 8, 2015, 5:30 p.m.

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 5:29 p.m. in the Conference Room – District Administration Office, Farley, Iowa.

Roll Call:

Present were Board members Mark Knuth, Jeanne Coppola, John Lembezeder, and Mark Tilson. Absent were Board member Chad Vaske and Superintendent Jeff Corkery.

Review of Tennis Courts Project:

Tennis Coach Ken Kurt presented a historical perspective of the tennis program at WDHS, including the struggle of having high participation numbers and very limited facilities. He noted that the girls program had over 60 participating this year, and they only had access to 2 courts. Mr. Kurt explained to the Board what a new 6-court facility near campus would mean for the boys and girls tennis program.

Project Engineer Jason Wenger of the Burrington Group gave a comprehensive overview of the project, including the site layout and contours. The project consists of 6 newly constructed concrete tennis courts near 5th Ave SW & Jacoby Drive in Epworth. The courts will be ADA compliant and will have a 20'-wide section dividing two sets of three courts for portable bleachers and possible future storage shed. Lights will not be installed with the initial project, but the electrical conduit & concrete pedestals will be put in place if the District should pursue lighting in the future. The project is expected to be completed before October.

Adjournment:

Motion by Coppola, second by Tilson to adjourn. Motion passed 5-0. The meeting adjourned at 6:05 p.m. on June 8, 2015.

Jeni Schindler
Board Secretary

Mark Knuth
President, Board of Education