

SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

March 1, 2014

Pursuant to the call and the notice thereof, the School Board of the Marion School District 60-3, Marion, Turner County, SD met in special session on the first day of March, 2014. Call to order was made by President of the School Board, Nicole Bartscher, at 1:00 pm.

Members Present: Nicole Bartscher, Dan Buse, Daryl Gortmaker, Larry Langerock, and Josh Luke

Absent: None

Officers Present: Terry Winegar, Superintendent; and Michelle Larson, Secondary Principal

Absent: Aaron Thompson, Business Manager

Guests Present: Todd Obele (Athletic Director), and 14 attendants from the public

Action 13/14-86: Agenda – On motion by Langerock, second by Gortmaker to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

The Board discussed the current coop situation, as Canistota voted 4-3 to wait until the 2015/2016 school year to begin a coop. Board President Nicole Bartscher asked for the public's input as well. Discussion continued as to why Canistota wants to wait a year.

The Board and Administration looked at what Marion's options are at this point. As Marion's boys' basketball numbers will be extremely low next year, we feel a basketball coop is necessary. The Board's decision was to approach Canistota as a full Board, and to ask Freeman Academy for the possibility of a coop.

Action 13/14-87: Adjourn – On motion by Buse, second by Luke to adjourn the school board meeting at 2:15 pm. Motion carried.

Nicole Bartscher,
School Board President

Aaron Thompson,
Business Manager