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**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF LEE COUNTY**  
**Special School Board Meeting - MINUTES**  
(School Board Meeting Room, 2855 Colonial Blvd., Fort Myers, FL)  
**Wednesday, July 29, 2009**

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**Attending**

Mr. Steven K. Teuber, J.D., Vice Chair	Dr. James W. Browder, Secretary and District Superintendent
Mr. Robert D. Chilmonik, Member	Mr. Keith B. Martin, Board Attorney
Dr. Elinor C. Scricca, Member	Mr. Robert Dodig, Staff Attorney
	Mrs. Donna Lesansky, Recording Secretary

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**I. Opening Exercises**

**A. Call to Order**

The School Board of Lee County, Florida, met on Wednesday, July 29, 2009, in the School Board Meeting Room for a Special School Board Meeting. Board Vice Chairman Steven Teuber presided and called the meeting to order at 2:43 P.M.

Mr. Teuber stated that neither Dr. Kuckel nor Mrs. Dozier would be attending the meeting, as the former is out of town and the latter is tending to family matters.

***Motion** by Mr. Chilmonik, **seconded** by Dr. Scricca, and **carried 3-0** to adopt the agenda as the Order of Business.*

**II. Public Comment (None)**

**III. Consent Action Items (None)**

**IV. Unfinished Business/Tabled Items (None)**

**V. Superintendent's Recommendations**

**A. Good Cause (None)**

**B. Final Order on Administrative Law Judge's Recommendation—Christopher Rasmussen.**

Neither Mr. Rasmussen nor anyone else was present to speak on his behalf.

***Motion** by Mr. Chilmonik, **seconded** by Dr. Scricca, and **carried 3-0** to accept the Superintendent's recommendation that the Board adopt the Administrative Law Judge's Recommended Order and enter the Final Order upholding Christopher Rasmussen's suspension without pay from December 9, 2008 through July 31, 2009; dismiss the Petition for Termination of Employment; and return Christopher Rasmussen to his position as an electronic technician effective August 3, 2009.*

**C. Personnel Recommendations.**

<u>Appointments</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
*Pamela Rader	Lehigh Senior High	Assistant Principal	08/03/09
<u>Transfers</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
*Lynn Edward	Mariner High	River Hall Elementary	07/30/09
*Kimberly Verblauw	South Fort Myers High	Mariner High	07/30/09
<u>Transfer and Change Assignment</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
*Aida Saldivar	Heights Elementary, Assistant Principal	San Carlos Park Elem., Principal	07/30/09
*Edward Mathews	Lehigh Senior High, Teacher	Island Coast High, Assistant Principal	08/03/09
*Kimberly Molhem	River Hall Elementary, Assistant Principal	Exceptional Student Ed., Response to Intervention Teacher	08/03/09
*Benjamin Ausman	Veterans Park Academy, Teacher	Bayshore Elementary, Assistant Principal	08/10/09

\*Administrators and Instructional Staff appointed above will be working greater than a 196-day contract.

*Motion by Dr. Scricca, seconded by Mr. Chilmonik, and carried 3-0 to accept the Superintendent's recommendation that the Board approve the personnel recommendation as outlined above, which include one appointment, two transfers and four transfers/changes of assignment.*

**VI. Attorney's Recommendations – Mr. Keith Martin (None)****VII. Other Business****A. Board Members' Comments (None)****B. Board Attorney's Comments (None)****C. Superintendent's Comments (None)****D. Next Scheduled Meetings of the Board:**

- July 29, 2009, 2:30 p.m., School Board Briefing Meeting
- July 29, 2009, 5:05 p.m., Special Board Meeting to conduct the Public Hearing for the 2009-10 Tentative Budget
- July 29, 2009, 6:00 p.m., School Board Action Meeting

**VIII. Adjournment**

*Motion Mr. Chilmonik, seconded by Dr. Scricca, and carried 3-0 to adjourn the July 29, 2009, Special School Board Meeting.*

The meeting adjourned at 2:50 P.M.

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**Steven K. Teuber, J.D.**, Board Vice Chairman

ATTEST:

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**James W. Browder, Ed.D.**, Secretary and District Superintendent

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