

**TOOELE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
WITH RESPECT TO THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS**

**92 S Lodestone Way – Tooele Utah 84074
Tuesday, October 20, 2015**

Public Session was held in the Board Room at the District Office.

Board Members Present:

Scott Bryan, Julia Holt, Carol Jensen, Maresa Manzione, Kathy Taylor. Matt Lawrence and Alan Mouritsen-excused.

Administration Present:

Superintendent Rogers, Deb Bushek, Terry Christensen, JoAn Coon, Doelene Pitt, Lark Reynolds, Diane Valdez. Mat Jackson and Hal Strain-excused.

President Manzione conducted the meeting. Notice of the time, place, and agenda had been given to the Transcript Bulletin and to each member of the governing body more than one week before the meeting. The agenda was also published on the Public Access Website.

1. Public Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

1.1 Welcome and Roll Call

President Manzione called the meeting to order at 7pm. Board Members that were not present included Matt Lawrence and Alan Mouritsen.

1.2 Pledge of Allegiance

2. Bond Election Presentation

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Superintendent Rogers informed the audience that the main purpose for this meeting is to hear from patrons. He reviewed and explained the “Argument in Favor of a Bond” that was required by law to be published.

3. Conduct a Public Meeting to Allow Interested Parties to Present Arguments in Favor of and Against the Ballot Proposition with Respect to the Issuance of General Obligation Bonds

3.1. Public Comments

President Manzione turned the meeting over to the patrons for comments.

- Dennis Seal: Mr. Seal inquired why Tooele High School and Stansbury High School were not built to accommodate the expected growth of the valley. If they had been, we would not be faced with having to build another new high school. It was explained that in prior years the public was clear that they preferred smaller schools, but ultimately, those decisions were made by a previous Board and we now work with what we have.

- John Hamilton: Mr. Hamilton had written a guest opinion in the local newspaper and he has since talked with Superintendent Rogers. The discussion was basically centered on the cost for the District to build a school opposed to a charter school.
- Kendal Thomas: Mr. Thomas said the District is doing a great job and they have earned his respect. I voted yes for children, teachers and families. The District has been so transparent and you will do what you say you will do. These new schools are needed. He demonstrated a banner supporting the bond with the cooperation of the Tooele Education Foundation, Tooele Education Support Professionals Association, Tooele Education Association and Parent-Teacher Association. Yard signs have also been purchased. The banner and signs were purchased independent of the District.

4. Adjourn (10:00 p.m. Curfew)

4.1 Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 8:17pm

MOTION:

Adjourn

Motion by Scott Bryan, second by Kathy Taylor.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: Kathy Taylor, Julia Holt, Maresa Manzione, Carol Jensen, Scott Bryan

Not Present at Vote: Alan Mouritsen, Matt Lawrence

**PUBLIC MEETING
PATRON COMMENTS
October 20, 2015**

Each patron is allowed three minutes.

PRINT NAME	PHONE NUMBER
Dennis Seal	882-8200
John Hamilton	840-1154