

SAUK VALLEY COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ADJOURNED MEETING

March 2, 1970

The Board of Trustees of Sauk Valley College met in an adjourned meeting at 7:30 p.m. on March 2, 1970 in the President's office at Sauk Valley College, Rural Route #1, Dixon, Illinois. Chairman Schuneman called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and the following members answered roll call: Orval DeWeerth, Peter Dillon, Catherine Perkins, Kenneth Reuter, Gerald Stuff, Warren Walder and Clayton Schuneman.

Discussion was held on the need for a referendum to increase the tax rates in the Educational and Building Funds. Chairman Schuneman noted that the important points to consider were...when the election should be held, and how much increase should be considered in each fund.

Mr. Gelander reported on a staff meeting held the previous Friday in which discussion was held on the main points to be covered in the campaign:

1. Publicity on Building Fund should emphasize the fact that this is a maintenance fund for upkeep of the building.
2. The college should solicit all community organizations for their support.
3. The college should solicit coverage from the local radio stations and newspapers.
4. Special emphasis should be placed on the community college concept.. and how we can make the community understand this concept.
5. Find out what the college means to the community.
6. Make it clear to the community that this increase in tax money does not relate in any way to the new building.
7. Develop and maintain a citizens general advisory committee.

Mr. Gelander also reported that the majority of the group at this meeting favored April 11, 1970 for the referendum.

Adjourned Meeting

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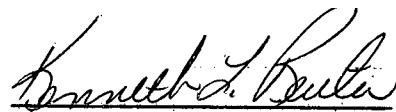
After discussion, it was moved and seconded that a referendum be held on April 11, 1970 in conjunction with the regular school election and that an increase of 9¢ in the Educational Fund and 5¢ in the Building Fund be requested. It was then moved and seconded that the above motion be amended to read "7¢ in the Educational Fund". The following vote was recorded on the amendment: Ayes Members DeWeerth, Reuter, and Schuneman. Nays Members Dillon, Perkins, Stuff and Walder. Ayes-3 and Nays-4. Motion defeated. A vote was then taken on the original motion and the following was recorded: Ayes Members DeWeerth, Dillon, Perkins, Reuter, Stuff, Walder and Schuneman. Nays-0. Motion carried.

Discussion was then held on a tuition raise. It was the consensus of the Board that this matter should be deferred for further study.

In regard to the April 11, 1970 election, it was moved and seconded that the Board approve the payment of \$10.00 for each election judge. Motion voted and carried.

Since there was no further business, it was moved and seconded that the Board adjourn. The next meeting to be Monday, March 9, 1970. The following vote was recorded: Ayes Members DeWeerth, Dillon, Perkins, Reuter, Stuff, Walder and Schuneman. Nays-0. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 p.m.



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