

West Geauga Board of Education  
Special Meeting  
Wednesday, September 26, 2012  
4:00 p.m.  
West Geauga Superintendent's Conference Room

**Roll Call**

Board President Beers called the meeting to order with the following members present: Mr. Beers, Mrs. Dottore, Mrs. Gillmore, Mr. Kilroy and Mr. Kotowski

**Approval of Agenda**

**2012-335**

**A motion was made by Mr. Beers and was seconded by Mrs. Dottore, to approve the agenda**

**Roll call: Yes: Beers, Dottore, Gillmore, Kilroy, Kotowski**

**Motion carried**

**Discussion Items**

**Levy Campaign Update**

Mrs. Finnick told the Board she had met with local businesses on Tuesday and they were supportive of the levy and urged that it go forward. A number of people (10-12) have stepped up and offered to help with the campaign. Mr. Palmer noted he had attended a meeting of Kiwanis and Rotary and several people voiced strong support of the levy. The importance of getting the facts out to the public was discussed. Mr. Beers and Mr. Palmer will be meeting with Jill Arslanian and Mallory Taylor to discuss communication issues. They have been very helpful to the District in that area previously. Mr. Palmer thanked Mrs. Finnick and her husband for their continued work on the campaign. Board consensus is the levy will move forward.

Mr. Palmer expressed his belief that the next step in moving the District forward is to do a formalized strategic planning process built along the three goals the Board has established for the District.

**A motion was made by Mr. Kilroy and was seconded by Mr. Kotowski, to adjourn the meeting at 4:20 p.m.**

**Roll call: Yes: Beers, Dottore, Gillmore, Kilroy, Kotowski**

**Motion carried**

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Board President

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Treasurer