Special Board Meeting September 28, 2011

The Harmony Grove School Board met in special session on Wednesday, September 28, 2011 at 7:30 p.m. in the board room of the superintendent's office on the Harmony Grove School Campus.

Mr. Joe Rogers, Jr., president, called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. All board members were present and on time to include Todd Bearden; Marcus Ellis; Raymond Furlow; Jeremy Givens; Angel Pigott; Joe Rogers, Jr.; and Wayne Sharp. Also present were Walton Pigott, high school principal, and Harold Davidson, superintendent.

The only item of business was a student discipline hearing. At the parent's request the board entered executive session at 7:31 p.m. At 7:43 p.m. Mr. Rogers asked everyone except the board members to leave the session so the board could discuss the recommendation of the superintendent regarding the disposition of the case. At 7:50 p.m. the parent, principal, and superintendent were called back into the meeting. Mr. Rogers declared the board in open session. Mr. Sharp made a motion to expel the student about whom the hearing addressed for a period of 45 days beginning September 29, 2011 and to allow the student to receive four hours of weekly instruction under his IDEA plan until he is reinstated on December 8, 2011 in regular school sessions. Mr. Bearden seconded the motion. The motion carried 7-0.

Mr. Bearden moved to adjourn. Mr. Givens seconded the motion. The motion carried 7-0 and the meeting was adjourned at 7:51 p.m.