

**MINUTES
GOVERNING BOARD
ROLLING HILLS PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL
May 29, 2008
7:00 p.m.**

I. REGULAR MEETING PRELIMINARIES

- A. Meeting Called to Order: by Chairman Varie.
- B. Roll Call: Governing Board members Doug Varie, May Slaughter, Nicole Morris and Rick Hart were present as well as Administrator Scheuffele.
- C. Persons Wishing to Speak on an Agenda Item: No one.
- D. Persons Wishing to Speak on a Non-Agenda Item: No One.

II. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There was no Unfinished Business this evening.

III. NEW BUSINESS

Dress Code – Public Comment: Adria Young’s family is new to Rolling Hills and they are in favor of the dress code. It eliminates distraction and helps students to focus in the classroom. Maureen O’Toole agrees and stated it looks structured and benefits learning. Possibly some modifications for older students could be made.

E-mails that have been received are in favor of dress code. Administrator Scheuffele would like to see something enforceable that doesn’t take away from instruction time. No behavioral problems have been encountered on free dress days. The first 3 weeks of school are critical to setting the pattern for dress and dress code enforcement.

Suggested modifications to the dress code include adding the word button to the description of polo shirt and remove the collar wording. Sixth through eighth will be allowed to wear striped polo’s. Sweaters/sweatshirts can be solid color or patterned but no wording. Khaki pants shall encompass light through darker colors of khaki. The wording for leggings will be changed to leggings and tights may be worn. The makeup section will read makeup may not be worn. And lastly, variations on school dress code based on religious requirements may be made with the administrator’s approval, was added to the guidelines list.

It was also suggested that a contest be held at the beginning of the school year to design a school t-shirt for the middle school grades and a separate design for the elementary grades.

Board member Hart motioned to accept the above listed modifications and was seconded by Board member Slaughter. Motion passes 4-0.

IV. REPORTS & DISCUSSION

There was no Principal's Report this evening.

V. CONSENT AGENDA

There was no Consent Agenda this evening.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

After a full and complete discussion, the meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

The above minutes represent a true and accurate summary of this meeting.

Chairperson

Clerk