

LOUISIANA STUDENT STANDARDS SCIENCE REVIEW COMMITTEE

Wednesday, August 31, 2016

9:00 a.m.

Minutes

The Louisiana Student Standards Science Review Committee met on Wednesday, August 31, 2016, at Pineville High School in Pineville, Louisiana. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Ms. Cathi Cox-Boniol, Chair. Members present were Dr. Jeanne Burns, Ms. Regina Chustz, Ms. Bridget Corley, Mr. Josh Dahlem, Mr. Joseph David, Ms. Bianca Deliberto, Mr. Andre Deshotel, Mr. Scott Devillier, Mr. Brian Fontenot, Mr. Jeff Holcomb, Ms. Heather Howle, Dr. Michelle Joubert, Ms. Latrenda Knighten, Mr. Troy Lawson, Dr. Keith Leger, Dr. Rhonda Matthews, Ms. Jean May-Brett, Dr. Brenda Nixon, Ms. Karen Parrino, Mr. Danny Pennington, Dr. Paulette Perrin, Ms. Donna Reyes, Dr. Michelle Sanchez, Ms. Joni Smith, Dr. Susan Sullivan, Ms. Krystal Swain, Mr. Patrick Turk, Dr. Wade Warren, and Dr. Chad Young.

Members not in attendance were Ms. Bonita Crawford, Mr. Akhundov Elkhan, Ms. Lydia Hill, Dr. RaeNell Houston, Dr. Calvin Mackie, Dr. Michael McCoy, Ms. Patrice Mire, Dr. John Oller, and Ms. Michelle Savoy.

Representing the LDE staff were Ms. Jill Cowart and Ms. Alicja Witkowski.

Representing the Board staff was Ms. Shannon Rawson, who recorded the minutes.

Public comments were received from Ms. Susan Testroet-Bergeron, Barataria-Terrebonne National Estuary Program.

Ms. Cox-Boniol, Louisiana Student Standards Science Review Committee Chair, provided a welcome and introductory presentation including the purpose of committee meetings and the schedule.

**Agenda
Item I**

Ms. Cox-Boniol provided an overview of information on the following topics:

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Item II**

- Law and policy,
- Standards review process, and
- Louisiana student standards.

The Chair conducted an activity with the Committee concerning the standards.

The Committee members recessed briefly at 10:15 a.m.

The Committee members reconvened at 10:30 a.m. and public comments were received.

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Item III**

Ms. Cox-Boniol provided directives to the workgroup members and reviewed next steps for both the workgroup and committee. At this point the floor was opened to committee members who shared thoughts and ideas with workgroup members.

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Item IV**

With no further business to come before the Louisiana Student Standards Science Review Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 10:55 a.m.

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