

UNISERV DIRECTOR'S REPORT

FEBRUARY 2006

VAN COLLINS, UNISERV DIRECTOR

Saginaw County Education Association, MEA/NEA

BARGAINING

Birch Run EA Still working without a contract.

Reese ESP Serious budget cuts may lead to some tough bargaining.

Other contracts open this year:

Carrollton Parapro
Carrollton Custodial & Food Service
Swan Valley EA
Swan Valley ESP

Freeland ESP Has filed a demand to bargain over providing health care services including diapering and catheterization to special ed students.

GRIEVANCES

Saginaw Twp EA Katie Alderton's grievance has not been rescheduled at this point.

ON THE CALENDAR

Feb 9-11	Bargaining Conference	Dearborn Hyatt Regency
Feb 22	Lobby Day	Lansing
Feb 20	Legislative Council Dinner with Roger Kahn	Sullivans at 5:30 pm
Feb 21	Retirement Workshop	TBA
March 2	SCEA Meeting	11B/E Office at 4:30 pm
Mar 3-4	Unity Conference	Lansing
Mar 24-25	ESP Statewide Conf	Grand Traverse Resort



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ATTENDANCE: Van Collins (MEA), Cheryl Revard (STEAM), Carolyn Nikolai (SVESP), Dave Adams (SVEA), Peter Tyson (STEAM), Kirk Bascom (MESSA), John Matuzak (RESP), Kathy Kurtis Daniels (MEA Bd), Sean Williamson (CEA), TJPeters (BREA), Helen Schrems (SVEA)

- I. Meeting called to order at 4:33 PM
- II. Adoption of Agenda - Approved
- III. Approval of Minutes – Carried
- IV. Reports
 - A. Secretary – No report
 - B. Treasurer - Checking - \$153.50. Savings \$1130.15.
 - C. President – No report
 - D. MEA Board – Meeting 2-2-06 – Voting on new Executive Director
Delinquency report: 50% needs to be paid by 2-28-06
BREA STEAM SVEA
Freeland EA STEOP
 - E. MESSA – Presentation for tune up for bargaining teams to update information offered to locals. Scheduled for 3-1-06 at 5:00 pm. Place is to be determined.
 - F. Locals STEAM – Ratified contract. 2% wage increase. Community Blue PPO.
SVEA – No reports from other locals
SVESP –
CEA –
Freeland –
 - G. MEA Retired – No report
 - H. Uniserv Director – 7 contracts open
Retirement Workshop 2-21-06 Place TBA – encourage new mbrs to come as well.
- V. SCPAC
 - A. Lobby Day – Locals please ask someone to represent your local at Lobby Day 2-22-06.
 - B. Legislative Council Meeting – 2-20-06 meeting with Roger Kahn at Sullivans at 5:30 pm.
Please have your local represented.
 - C. 94th State Representative Race:
Interview candidates in April
Endorse after primary motion made to set up candidate interview – approved.
- VI. Old Business
 - A. OPIE planning: May 10, 2006. Arrowwood Conference Center. Lasagna Dinner w/Heritage High School string quartet.
 - B. David Hernden – Carrollton EA OPIE award winner.
- VII. New Business – Bargaining Conference – February 9-11. Reimbursements will be discussed at next meeting.
- VIII. Good & Welfare – Dave Adams running for State Senate. 2-16-06 Fundraiser at Coast Restaurant in Shields 4-7 pm
- IX. Adjournment: 5:25 pm.