

**Lynchburg City School Board/Lynchburg City Council
Joint Meeting
October 14, 2010**

**BOARD
MEMBERS
PRESENT:**

Mary Ann H. Barker, Chairman
Thomas H. Webb, Vice Chairman
Albert L. Billingsly
Keith R. Anderson
Regina T. Dolan-Sewell
Trenay L. Tweedy
J. Marie Waller
Charles B. White

**BOARD
MEMBERS
ABSENT:**

None

**COUNCIL
MEMBERS
PRESENT:**

The Honorable Joan F. Foster
The Honorable Ceasor T. Johnson
The Honorable Hunsdon Cary, III
The Honorable Michael A. Gillette
The Honorable Jeff S. Helgeson
The Honorable J. Randolph Nelson
The Honorable Edgar J. T. Perrow, Jr.

**COUNCIL
MEMBERS
ABSENT:**

None

**ADMINISTRATION
PRESENT:**

Paul McKendrick, Superintendent
William A. Coleman, Jr., Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction
Edward R. Witt, Jr., Assistant Superintendent of Operations and Administration
Leigh F. Farmer, Public Information Officer
Steven L. Gatzke, Director of Facilities and Transportation
Michael K. Rudder, Director of Elementary Education
Wyllys D. VanDerwerker, Director of Special Education
Billie Kay Wingfield, Director of Personnel
Pamela D. Smith-Johnson, Supervisor of Instruction
Wendie L. Sullivan, Recording Secretary/Clerk

**CITY
ADMINISTRATION
PRESENT:**

Donna Witt, Director of Finance
Margaret Schmitt, Director of Human Resources
JoAnn Martin, Public Information Officer

**MEDIA
PRESENT:**

Jesse Pounds, *The News & Advance*

**Agenda
Items:**

- A. Dedication of Sandusky Middle School and Open House
- B-1. Presentation: Lynchburg Beacon of Hope
- B-2. Briefing by City Attorney: Statutory Separation of Powers between City Council and the School Board
- B-3. Discussion: City/Schools Consolidation

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- B-4. Proposal: Benefits Programs Consolidation
- B-5. Dialogue: Heritage High School Community Discussion and Task Force
- B-6. Open Discussion
- C. Adjournment

The Lynchburg City School Board and the Lynchburg City Council conducted a formal dedication ceremony of the new Sandusky Middle School. Following the dedication ceremony, the city council and the school board conducted a joint meeting to receive information from members of the Lynchburg Beacon of Hope; receive a briefing from the city attorney about the statutory separation of powers between city council and the school board; discuss city/school consolidation efforts; discuss the benefits consolidation proposal; and to discuss the upcoming community meetings associated with Heritage High School.

The meeting adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

Mary Ann H. Barker, Chairman

Wendie L. Sullivan, Clerk