Board Vice President Jude Kiah opened the hearing at 7:00 p.m. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, roll was taken with the following members present: Duncan, Adams, Kiah, and Thompson. Members Myers, Bierman and La Prad were absent.

Dr. Twomey explained the necessity for the hearing to request a modification of School Code. The request is for a five year waiver of the code addressing use of school improvement days. The waiver would allow the option to use two full days for school improvement instead of the six half days required by code. This modification requires the District to bank extra minutes to accumulate the time needed for two full days of school improvement. This is a waiver the District has maintained for the past five years and renewal of the waiver would give the District the flexibility to schedule school improvement days as required by School Code or to use two full days.

Mr. Kiah called for discussion of the request by the Board and comment from those in attendance. Hearing none, he declared the hearing closed at 7:03 p.m.