ESSEX COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD SPECIAL CALLED MEETING

The Essex County School Board met in the Essex County School Board Room on June 26, 2012 at 8:00 a.m.

CALL TO ORDER

Present: Ray Whitaker

Keren Ellis

Kim Hodges, Clerk

Joseph Melvin, Superintendent

Annette Thompson

CLOSED SESSION

On a motion by Mrs. Ellis seconded by Mr. Slaughter, the Board went into closed session for the following purposes:

2.1-344.3 Personnel

2.1-344.4 Pupil Personnel

2.1-344.7.1 Legal

REGULAR SESSION

On a motion by Mrs. Ellis and seconded by Mr. Slaughter, the Board returned to regular session.

CERTIFICATION OF CLOSED SESSION

WHEREAS, the Essex County School Board had convened a closed meeting of this pursuant to an affirmative record vote and in accordance with the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of information Act and

WHEREAS, Section 2.1-344(D) of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by this School Board that such closed meeting was conducted with Virginia Law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Essex County School Board hereby certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from closed meeting to which this certification applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed meeting were heard, discussed or considered.

<u>vote</u>		
AYES	3	
NAY	0	
		Clerk/Deputy Clerk (or Supt.) of Essex County

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CONSENT AGENDA

On a motion by Mrs. Ellis, seconded by Mr. Slaughter, the Board approved the monthly claims and gave the superintendent the authorization to approve additional invoices until June 30th after notifying the Board of the amounts.

INTERNET SAFETY POLICY

On a motion by Mr. Slaughter, seconded by Mrs. Ellis, the Board approved the internet safety policy (see attached).

On a motion by Mrs. Ellis, seconded by Mr. Slaughter, the Board adjourned.

Chairman
 Clerk/Deputy Clerk