

**MORTON UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 709**

**November 8, 2012**

Minutes of the Committee of the Whole Meeting of the Board of Education of Morton Unit School District 709 held November 8, 2012, at the Morton Education and Administration Center.

**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING –**

President Tom Neeley called the committee of the whole meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

Members present: Mr. Tom Neeley, Mrs. Michelle Bernier

State Representative Michael Unes was present to meet with board members, Dr. Hall, Mrs. Getz, Mrs. Jankowski, and Mr. Wellenreiter.

Issues discussed included school funding, unfunded mandates, pension reform/cost shift, political issues in Springfield and the mutual desire to keep the lines of communication open so that the students and families of the Morton 709 School District can best be served.

The discussion was followed by a tour of Grundy Elementary School, specifically the four new classrooms.

**Adjournment -**

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Thomas Neeley, President