

**MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL ON TEACHER EDUCATION**

**09/28/2004**

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The Council on Teacher Education met at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 28, 2004, in the Arcola/Tuscola Room.

Members present: Ms. Aldrich, Dr. Barbour, Dr. Belleville, Dr. Campanis, Ms. Chuang, Dr. Edwards, Dr. Hooser, Dr. McKirahan, Dr. McNitt, Dr. Murray, Dr. Powell, Mr. Snyders, Dr. Wolf, and Dean Rohn

Guests present: None

Staff present: Ms. B. Wilson

**I. Minutes**

The minutes from the September 14, 2004 meeting were approved as published.

**II. Communications**

- 1. Enrollment Management Committee. Dr. McNitt has agreed to serve on this committee.

**III. Informational Items**

- 1. Introduction of new members. Two new members, Dr. McKirahan (School of Technology) and Mr. Snyders (Early Childhood, Elementary, and Middle Level Education student representative), were introduced to the Council.

(Dr. Edwards entered the meeting at this point)

- 2. Unit Assessment System. Dr. Hooser and Dean Rohn gave a brief overview of the Unit Assessment System. Discussion and questions followed.

**IV. Items to be added to the Agenda**

Dr. Hooser moved and Dr. Murray seconded the motion to remove the Unit Assessment System from "Informational Items" and add it to "Items to be added to the Agenda". The motion passed unanimously. Dr. Hooser moved and Dr. McNitt seconded the motion to add the following item to the agenda. The motion passed unanimously.

- 1. **04-06, Unit Assessment System and Implementation.**

**V. Executive Director's Report**

- 1. ISBE staffing changes. The Governor has appointed 7 new members to the ISBE. Randy Dunn has been appointed as the Interim State Superintendent.
- 2. EIU is heading up a state-wide effort to survey all first-year teachers and their immediate supervisors. The Joyce Foundation will contribute money to fund this project.

The meeting adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Bonnie Wilson, Recorder

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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING**  
**Tuesday, October 12 at 2 p.m.**  
**Arcola/Tuscola Room**

**Agenda:**

04-06, Unit Assessment System and Implementation