The Grinnell-Newburg Board of Education met in Special Session on April 14, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in the New Horizons classroom, Third Floor Community Center, 927 4th Avenue, Grinnell, Iowa 50112.

Members Present:

President Jeff Smith, Vice-President Doug Cameron, Lynn Cavanagh, Barbara

Brown, Jeannette Budding, Leo Lease, and Carol Wilhelm. Also in attendance at

the table: Board Secretary J.T. Anderson

Members Absent:

None

Administrators Present:

None

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

President Smith called the special meeting to order at 7:05 a.m. and the Secretary called the roll. Wilhelm arrived at 7:20 p.m.

II. Approval of Consent Agenda

President Smith noted that the only item on the agenda was closed session. No motion taken.

III. Closed Session Under Iowa Code 21.5(1)(i)- To evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose appointment, hiring, performance or discharge is being considered when necessary to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual's reputation and that individual requests a closed session.

Motion by Budding, seconded by Cameron, to move into closed session as provided by Iowa Code 21.5(1)(i). Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Cameron, seconded by Budding, to leave closed session and return to open session. Motion carried 7-0.

The board came out of closed session at 8:36 p.m.

No action taken as a result of closed session.

V. Adjourn

Motion by Cameron, seconded by Brown, to adjourn meeting at 8:38 p.m. Motion carried 7-0.