## SEYMOUR BOARD OF EDUCATION **Transportation Committee**

## **Minutes**

August 14, 2008 Central Office 6:30 p.m.

**THOSE IN ATTENDANCE**: Rhonda Geffert, MaryAnne Mascolo, Rick Belden

**ABSENT:** Judy Flood, Jim Garofolo

The meeting was called to order at 6:37 p.m.

Rick Belden reviewed the transportation consultant report prepared by Mark Walsh. A number of recommendations have been completed.

Mr. Belden meets and/or talks with All-Star's terminal manager at least on a monthly basis regarding operating and terminal issues.

The negotiated change in school times have greatly improved arrival and departure time of the bus runs.

Discussion took place regarding the situation of a bus arriving late to a school and notification to the parents. Rick said that each school now has a radio where the drivers can communicate directly to the school. Also, the secretaries will create bus lists to put into Connect Ed in the event of a bus that is running 15 minutes late.

Rick reviewed the update and progress of Transfinder/bus routes. Rhonda Geffert wanted us to ensure that bus route information would be communicated in a timely manner.

The meeting adjourned 7:58 p.m.

Submitted by: MaryAnne Mascolo