

**NEBRASKA SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION
OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The Board of Directors met in special session on May 8, 2012 via teleconference call, with members present as follows.

District I	-- Mark Norvell, Fillmore Central
District I	-- Wendy Henrichs, Lincoln East
District II	-- Dr. Bob Reznicek, Boys Town
District II	-- Dr. Jerry Barte, Omaha Public Schools
District III	-- Jay Bellar, Battle Creek
District IV	-- Dr. Brian Maher, Kearney
District V	-- Dr. Dallas Watkins, Dundy County-Stratton
District VI	-- Kent Halley, Mitchell

Dr. Steve Shanahan, Executive Director; Debra Velder, Associate Director; Dr. Paula Sissel, Superintendent, Garden County Schools; Jason Spady, Principal, Garden County Schools; Bill Leonard and Deann Beard, parents were also in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m.

The purpose of the hearing was Garden County High School's appeal of an ineligibility ruling for J.D. Leonard. Following a presentation of the evidence, those representing the student provided clarifying information and answers to the Board members' questions.

On a motion by Jerry Barte, seconded by Dallas Watkins, the Board adopted findings of fact and determination to overturn the Executive Director's ineligibility ruling. **Motion Carried, 8-0.**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 2:50 p.m.

Debra Velder
Associate Director