

**NEBRASKA SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC and NON-PUBLIC COMPETITION**

Minutes of May 4, 2016

The Committee on Public and Non-Public Competition met on Wednesday May 4, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. in Grand Island. Dr. Bob Reznicek, NSAA District II Board of Director, chaired the meeting. The purpose of the committee was to re-cap previous committee discussion and review additional information presented.

Committee members present were Tim Aylward, Lincoln Pius X; Ryan Ruhl, Norris; Dr. Bob Reznicek, Boys Town; Greg Lamberty, Bennington; Mike Lenihan, Wayne; Jason Dolliver, Pender; Jason Alexander, Ord; Dr. Dennis Shipp, Bertrand; Robert Drews, Holdrege; Glen Koski, Gering, NSAA Staff, Dr. Jim Tenopir, Debra Velder, Jennifer Schwartz, Jon Dolliver, Nate Neuhaus, Dan Masters, and Jeff Stauss. Stu Pospisil from the Omaha World-Herald was also in attendance.

Dr. Tenopir presented information on NDE free and reduced price meal percentages; NDE special education percentages respective to public schools; current boys basketball classifications; boys basketball classifications using a 1.35 multiplier for non-public schools; and boys basketball classifications using a 1.50 multiplier.

Greg Mays, Hastings, presented to the committee results of a success factor study he conducted.

The committee discussed what modifications might be necessary and where we go from here. The majority agreed that a case study be conducted focusing on football, boys basketball, girls basketball and volleyball to explore issues that impact success such as prior successes, economic disadvantage, proximity to population centers and special education students.

A follow-up meeting will be scheduled at a later date.

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Debra Velder, Associate Director