I. CALL THE SPECIAL SESSION TO ORDER: Chairman Ericson called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m.

Additional Staff in Attendance: Many teachers, administrators and district employees.

A. APPROVE AGENDA: Chairman Ericson asked for a motion to approve the agenda.

Vice Chairman Anderson motioned to approve the agenda. Trustee Greger seconded the motion. Vote held: Carl Ericson, yes; Royleen Anderson, yes; and Ginny Greger, yes; Michael Law, yes; Sallie McArthur, yes. Motion Passed.

B. COMMUNICATIONS:

1. Budget Information – Business Manager Bryan Fletcher presented a year over year revenue picture (Exhibit B)
   a. Chairman Ericson explained Kuna ranks in the bottom 2% of funding per student in the State. The reason for the high tax base in Kuna is because it is 90% residential.

2. Timeline – Superintendent Wendy Johnson presented a Timeline of important dates, a History of KSD Budget Reductions, and a Position Status Report of positions not being filled (Exhibit C, D, E)

3. Budget Reduction Committee Process – Assistant Superintendent Devan DeLashmutt reviewed the Budget Reduction Committee Process (Exhibit F)

4. Levy Scenarios – Superintendent Wendy Johnson reviewed the following Levy Options and pros and cons of each (Exhibit G)
a. Don’t run a levy  
b. Run a Levy in May  
c. Run a Levy in August

C. DELEGATIONS (Exhibit H, I)

Chairman Ericson explained the purpose for Delegations is to discover the feeling among KSD patrons about running another levy and when. Chairman Ericson also explained the website is available for budget reduction ideas and/or to leave a message for the Board of Trustees.

1. Steve Ackerman – Political scientist and community member – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
2. Jen Wright – Crimson Point Principal – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
3. Amber Abercrombie – Community member – Agenda Item: Levy Petition (Exhibit J).
4. Laurie Rice – KMS Teacher – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
7. Emily Hardy – 6th grade student and Vice President of Crimson Point Honor Society – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
8. Cindy Berg – Kuna Education Foundation President – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
9. Amy Harder – Community member – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
10. James Kidd – Kuna homeowner – Agenda Item: Levy Election and suggestion to include synthetic turf in the levy amount (Exhibit K).
13. Matt Williams – Community member – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
14. Wally Vanantwerp – Community member and Kuna Football Booster President – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
15. Jen Leuck – Community member – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
17. Sharon Fisher – Community member – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
18. Lori Blattner – Community member – Agenda Item: Levy Election.
19. Lauri Allen – did not wish to speak.
20. Brenda Blitman – Community member – Agenda Item: Class size and days. Strong schools equal stable property values.
21. Kevin Gifford – Reed Principal and community member – Agenda Item: Will of the community.
D. GOOD OF THE ORDER
1. April 8th Work Session 6:00 p.m. with City Council
2. Emergency meeting 7:30 a.m. Friday, March 21 at the Kuna School District Office to vote on the levy.

II. ADJOURNMENT

Vice Chairman Anderson motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:13 p.m. Trustee Greger seconded the motion. Vote held: Carl Ericson, yes; Royleen Anderson, yes; Ginny Greger, yes; Michael Law, yes; Sallie McArthur, yes. Motion Passed.

Chairman

Royleen Anderson
Vice-chairman

Ginny Greger
Trustee

Michael Law
Trustee

Sallie McArthur
Clerk