Rochester Board of Education Special Meeting March 31, 2009 5:00 p.m.

Attendance: President Evans, Commissioners Brennan, Elliott, White and Williams

President Evans called the meeting to order at 5:06 p.m.

Motion to waive the 48 Hour Rule was made by Commissioner Elliott. Seconded by Commissioner White. **Adopted 5-0** Commissioners Campos and Powell were not present.

Motion to substitute new language with old language in Resolution 2008-09: No 694, naming the new school Dr. Walter Cooper Academy, was made by Commissioner Elliott. Seconded by Commissioner Brennan. **Adopted 5-0** Commissioners Campos and Powell were not present.

Dr. Cooper was given an opportunity to speak and he stated that he was grateful, moved and honored at having the school named after him.

Commissioner Elliott stated that she hoped the students attending the school will come out prepared for the 21st century workforce.

Motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Williams at 5:13 p.m. Seconded by Commissioner White. **Adopted 5-0** Commissioners Campos and Powell were not present.