

Old McKendree Board of Trustees

Minutes: July 21, 2009

A special called meeting of the Old McKendree Board of Trustees was held at 9 a.m., July 21, 2009 in Cox Hall of New McKendree UMC, Jackson.

Jack Byrd presided and Jerry Willer gave the opening prayer. Other members in attendance were Alice Lewis, Jim Englehart, Walter Joe Ford, Terri Tomlin, Marybelle Mueller, Lynn Cotner, Weldon Macke, and Betty Henry.

Discussion was held concerning a letter to be sent to the City of Jackson supporting the new proposed access road from Old Orchard to East Main. Concerns about the safety of the intersection of Old Orchard and Chapel Lane were emphasized. Representatives from Jackson had assured the Board at a meeting held June 4, 2009, that this would be taken care of when the final plans are drawn. Marybelle moved that the letter of support be signed by Jack and sent to the city representative. The motion was seconded by Lynn and passed.

Weldon reported that the District was no longer considering building an office on the Chapel grounds.

Lynn and a helper have been clearing fence rows and areas of growth at the Chapel and cemetery. Members of the Board expressed appreciation for all the work that Lynn does for Old McKendree.

Jack offered to use his sprayer to treat the weed growth by the cemetery. Weldon moved that Jack take care of this problem. The motion was seconded by Alice and it passed.

It was decided that members who have not participated in Board of Trustees activities for some time be contacted. There has been some interest expressed for future membership on the board and at this time the 20 openings are filled.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:35.

Respectfully submitted,
Betty Poe Henry, secretary