CITY OF DERBY  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE  
CURRICULUM COMMITTEE  
APRIL 17, 2012

Call to Order:  
The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. All rose and pledged allegiance.

Roll Call:  
Kim Kreiger and Rebecca O'Hara.

Absent:  
Laura Harris.

Also Present:  
Dr. Stephen Tracy - Superintendent of Schools and Dr. Lois Knapton - Director of Special Education.

Public Portion  
No one from the public spoke.

Summer Curriculum Writing Plans  
ACES Summer Curriculum Consortium - ACES is having pre summer workshops for faculty who will be involved in the July and August sessions.

Promoting Student Engagement  
Why Try is a curriculum for K-12 that is researched based, used in over 12,000 schools in the US, United Kingdom, Australia. It is multimedia, hand on activities, DVD’s, music, etc. There is an elementary version and a middle high school version. The program is based on helping kids understand that they’re headed somewhere in life.

Committee Plans Through June 2012  
High School World Language  
Transitioning classes  
Feedback on Why Try  
Elementary School Curriculum  
Standards Based Report Cards
Adjourn

A MOTION by Ms. O'Hara with a second by Ms. Kreiger to adjourn at 7:57 p.m., all in favor, roll call: Kim Kregler -yes and Rebecca O'Hara -yes, motion carries.

Respectfully Submitted,

[Signature]
Denise Cesaroni
Recording Secretary

****These minutes are subject to the approval by the Board of Education at their next regular meeting.