

Minutes

Joint Hearing Regarding Opting out of the Summer Meals Program

The following Districts will be represented:

**Arcola CUSD 306**  
**Eastern Illinois Area Special Education**  
**Marshall CUSD C-2**  
**Neoga CUSD 3**

January 25, 2024

8:45AM

Regional Office of Education #11

730 7<sup>th</sup> St.

Charleston, IL 61920

1. Call to order at 8:45am In attendance were Tom Mulligan – Arcola, Rachel Beever - EIASE, Kevin Ross – Marshall, Kevin Haarman – Neoga, Jon Julius – ROE #11, Kyle Thompson – ROE #11.
2. Public Comment (each person from the public wishing to speak is allowed 2 minutes)
  - No members from the public body were at the meeting and no comments were made.
3. Presentation of evidence by all districts regarding opting out of the summer food service program
  - All districts represented presented written evidence to ROE #11 for consideration
  - There were no further comments from the district representatives
  - Jon Julius advised that if the requests to opt out were granted, districts should post on their websites alternate locations that members from the community can go to get meals through the summer lunch program elsewhere. Also, districts would be notified with a written letter as to the decision made on the opt out requests.
4. Adjourn at 8:48