

**SBCJC
EVENING MEETING
BOARD WORK SESSION
JUNE 19, 1996**

MINUTES

The Board met at 6:00 p.m. at The House of Wong, 1424 Old Square Road, Jackson, Mississippi on April 17, 1996. Members present included: Paul Breazeale, Alton Bankston, Yvonne Brown, John Junkin, Patricia Puckett, Perrin Purvis, Nell Rogers, William Seal, Hazel Terry, and George Walker. Others present were Joanna Heidel, Henry Hudspeth, Elizabeth Seal, Voncile Breazeale, Jay Dorris, Becky Cade, Deborah Gilbert, Curtis Kynerd, Robert McClellan, Olon Ray, Ed Schneider, and Frankie Walton-White.

Mr. Curtis Kynerd provided an overview of the history and current operations of the compressed video network administered through the State Board for Community and Junior Colleges. This network, known as the Community College Network or the CCN, presently consists of twenty-one sites and has been in operation since 1994. The presentation included a review of the network's usage and types of courses and training opportunities offered over the network. Members were reminded that the SBCJC recently initiated a taskforce to explore various avenues to increase usage and better utilize the network in the future.

General discussion followed the presentation and questions pertaining to standards were raised. Dr. Ray reminded the members that the Board approved distance learning standards at their March 1995 meeting. He promised to provide copies of the standards during the regular meeting on June 20, 1996.

Members and guests then entered into an informal recognition of the two board members, Nell Rogers and Paul Breazeale, who will be rotating off the SBCJC in July 1996.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.