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The Simpson County Board of Education met in regular session on Thursday, January 15, 2009, with all members present. The following business was transacted.

1. The agenda was approved.
2. Dr. Gary Houchens, Teacher Quality Coordinator, gave a presentation called "Simpson County Schools: Journey to Excellence" which explained the goals and plan for the schools to reach a relationship with a common vision through trust, risk and communication.
3. Tom Stewart, Instructional Program Support Coordinator, continued with a presentation on the three sessions of the Professional Learning Community process (curriculum, assessment and instruction).
4. Shelia Baugh, Director of Special Education/State and Federal Programs, gave a presentation on "Current State of Special Education Systems of Intervention K-5 Assessment and other Federal and State Programs". She also gave an overview of the CATS (Commonwealth Accountability Testing System).
5. The Board formally adjourned.

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