

Board of Education Special Meeting Minutes

DATE: Thursday, April 18, 2019
TIME: 5:00 PM
LOCATION: Gravenstein Elementary, Superintendent's Office

I. CALL TO ORDER:

Steve Schwartz, President
Gregory Appling, Clerk - Not present
Jim Horn, Trustee
Alexander Kahn, Trustee
Jennifer Koelemeijer, Trustee - Not present

Meeting called to order 5:05 p.m.

In attendance Steve Schwartz, Jim Horn and Alexander Kahn.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS IN CLOSED SESSION:

At this time the public may address the Board on any item listed in the Closed Session agenda. Presentations are limited to three minutes per person per topic. The Board may not respond to presentations.

A parent of a Hillcrest Middle School student read a prepared statement asking the Board to consider the other students while considering these discipline matters.

III. CLOSED SESSION:

- 1.1 Student Matter - Expulsion Hearing (Cal. Educ. Code section 35146) [Case #3]
The Board heard from Mr. Deeths and from the student and family in this case. The Board deliberated and declared that the student had committed an expellable act.
- 1.2 Board deliberation regarding student expulsion (Cal. Educ. Code section 35146)
The Board then made the decision to Expel the student, but to Suspend the Expulsion. They provided a rehab plan and offered the family the opportunity to enroll in the Community Day School.
- 3.1 Student Matter - Appeal of decision to remove student from Charter School (Cal. Educ. Code section 35146) [Case #5]
The Board heard from Mr. Deeths and from the student and family in this case regrading this appeal of the decision to remove the student from the Charter School.

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3.2 Board deliberation regarding student removal (Cal. Educ. Code section 35146)
The Board denied the appeal and provided a rehab plan and offered the family the opportunity to enroll in the Community Day School.

IV. **OPEN SESSION:**

A. Report of any action taken during closed session. The Board reported the above actions in open session.

V. **FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS:**

Next Regular Board Meeting: Tuesday, May 14, 2019—5:00 PM.

VI. **ADJOURNMENT:**

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