

Poudre School District Board of Education 2407 Laporte Avenue, Fort Collins, CO 80521 • 970-490-3607 Meeting Minutes

Minutes from Board of Education Special Meeting May 24, 2022

SPECIAL MEETING – 5:00 PM Information Technology Center

PRESENT: President Rob Petterson; Vice President Kristen Draper; Directors DJ Anderson, Jim Brokish, Carolyn Reed, and Jessica Zamora; Legal and Policy Council Autumn Aspen, Attorneys Claire Poundstone, Coulter Bump and Hope Griffin, Principal Craig Woodall, Dean Russell Stapleton

ABSENT: Director Donovan LATE: None

1.0 CALL TO ORDER

President Petterson called the regular business meeting to order at 5:05 p.m.

2.0 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Vice President Draper moved that the Board approve the agenda.

Director Anderson seconded the motion.

The voting was as follows: Those voting AYE: Directors DJ Anderson, Jim Brokish, Kristen Draper, Rob Petterson, Carolyn Reed, and Jessica Zamora Those voting NO: None Motion passed: 6-0

3.0 EXECUTIVE SESSION

3.1 Student Expulsion Appeal Hearing

Vice President Draper moved that the Board enter into executive session for the purposes of:

- Discussing matters regarding an appeal of the decision to expel a student where public disclosure would adversely affect the persons involved as authorized by C.R.S. § 24-6-402(4)(h);
- Considering documents related to the student expulsion appeal that are protected under the mandatory nondisclosure provision of the Colorado Open Records Act, C.R.S. § 24-72-204(1)(b) and (3)(a)(I), and 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, as authorized by C.R.S. § 24-6-402(4)(g); and
- 3. Conferring with the attorney for the Board of Education to receive legal advice on the procedures and other considerations related to the appeal of the superintendent's expulsion of a student as authorized by C.R.S. § 24-6-402(4)(b).

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Individuals invited to join the Board in executive session are the student and the student's family, the student's attorney Claire Poundstone, attorneys for the Board Coulter Bump and Hope Griffin, Legal and Policy Counsel Autumn Aspen, Principal Craig Woodall, Dean Russell Stapleton

Director Anderson seconded the motion.

The voting was as follows: Those voting AYE: Directors DJ Anderson, Jim Brokish, Kristen Draper, Rob Petterson, Carolyn Reed, and Jessica Zamora Those voting NO: None Motion passed: 6-0

Executive session began at 5:09 p.m.

Legal and Policy Counsel Autumn Aspen, Principal Craig Woodall, Dean Russell Stapleton left the meeting at 5:27 p.m.

Executive session ended at 6:09 p.m.

4.0 ACTION ITEMS

4.1 Board Action on Student Expulsion Appeal

Vice President Draper moved that the Board affirm the Superintendent's April 28, 2022 decision that student 2022-1 be expelled from Poudre School District through December 21, 2022; that the Board adopt the Determination of Appeal and Order of Expulsion as presented; and that the Board Secretary be directed to serve the Determination and Order on the student, the student's parent, or the student's attorney via hand delivery or certified mail, return receipt requested.

Director Brokish seconded the motion.

The voting was as follows: Those voting AYE: Directors DJ Anderson, Jim Brokish, Kristen Draper, Rob Petterson, Carolyn Reed, and Jessica Zamora Those voting NO: None Motion passed: 6-0

5.0 ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill Brunner Assistant Secretary to the Board of Education