Lynchburg City School Board Student Discipline Committee Meeting December 13, 2016

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Regina T. Dolan-Sewell, Vice Chairman Charleta F. Mason Susan D. Morrison

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

None

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT:

Scott S. Brabrand, Superintendent LaTonya D. Brown, Director of Student Support, Behavior, and Alternative Education

Agenda Items:

A. Opening Comments

B-1. Notice of Closed Meeting

B-2. Certification of Closed Meeting

B-3. Student Suspension Appeal

B-4. Student Suspension Appeal

B-5. Student Suspension Appeal

B-6. Student Suspension Appeal

C. Adjournment

A. Opening Comments

The Lynchburg City School Board met for a Student Discipline Committee meeting beginning at 5:01 p.m. in the Board Room at the School Administration Building. Dr. Dolan-Sewell opened the meeting.

B-1. Notice of Closed Meeting

Upon MOTION by Mrs. Morrison, SECONDED by Ms. Mason, the Student Discipline Committee of the Lynchburg City School Board convened a closed meeting beginning at 5:01 p.m. pursuant to the Code of Virginia §2.2-3711 (A) (2) to discuss student suspension appeals.

Yes Votes: Dr. Dolan-Sewell, Ms. Mason, Mrs. Morrison

No Votes: None
Abstentions: None

B-2. Certification of Closed Meeting

Upon MOTION by Ms. Mason, SECONDED by Mrs. Morrison, the Student Discipline Committee reconvened in open session at 7:28 p.m.

Yes Votes: Dr. Dolan-Sewell, Ms. Mason, Mrs. Morrison

No Votes: None
Abstentions: None

Upon MOTION by Mrs. Morrison, SECONDED by Ms. Mason, the school board approved by roll call vote the following Certification of Closed Meeting:

The Lynchburg City School Board certifies that, in the closed meeting just concluded, nothing was discussed except the matters specifically identified in the motion to convene in a closed meeting and lawfully permitted to be so discussed under the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act cited in that motion.

Yes Votes: Dr. Dolan-Sewell, Ms. Mason, Mrs. Morrison

No Votes: None

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Abstentions: None

B-3. Student Suspension Appeal

Upon MOTION by Ms. Mason, SECONDED by Mrs. Morrison, the school board approved the superintendent's recommendation to suspend the student 16/17.12-13-020 for 364-calendar-days and place in alternative education in accordance with Policy JGD/JGE Student Suspension/Expulsion effective November 28, 2016.

Yes Votes: Dr. Dolan-Sewell, Ms. Mason, Mrs. Morrison

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

B-4. Student Suspension Appeal

Upon MOTION by Ms. Mason, SECONDED by Mrs. Morrison, the school board approved the superintendent's recommendation to suspend the student 16/17.12-03-021 for 364-calendar-days and for placement in alternative education with review at the end of the 2016-17 school year for possible return to the base school at the beginning of the 2017-18 school year effective December 6, 2016.

Yes Votes: Dr. Dolan-Sewell, Ms. Mason, Mrs. Morrison

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

B-5. Student Suspension Appeal

Upon MOTION by Mrs. Morrison, SECONDED by Ms. Mason, the school board approved the superintendent's recommendation to suspend the student 16/17.12-13-022 for 364-calendar-days and for placement in alternative education with review at the end of the 2016-17 school year for possible return to the base school at the beginning of the 2017-18 school year effective December 6, 2016.

Yes Votes: Dr. Dolan-Sewell, Ms. Mason, Mrs. Morrison

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

B-6. Student Suspension Appeal

Upon MOTION by Mrs. Morrison, SECONDED by Ms. Mason, the school board approved the superintendent's recommendation to suspend the student 16/17.12-13-023 for 364-calendar-days and for placement in alternative education with review at the end of the 2016-17 school year for possible return to the base school at the beginning of the 2017-18 school year effective December 6, 2016.

Yes Votes: Dr. Dolan-Sewell, Ms. Mason, Mrs. Morrison

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

C. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

Regina T. Dolan-Sewell, Vice Chairman