

**Bloomsburg Area School District
Board of School Directors
Special Meeting
Thursday, 24 April 2014
5:00 p.m.
District Office Board Room**

MINUTES

Attendance

A special meeting of the Bloomsburg Area School District Board of Directors was called to order at 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, 24 April 2014, in the district office board room, followed by the pledge to the flag. Directors in attendance were: Mr. David Cantore, Mr. Brent Hock, Mrs. Tina Howell, Mr. Joshua Klingerman, Mr. Terry Kramarz, and Mrs. Sandra Rupp. Mr. Justin Hummel, Ms. Marianne Kreisher, and Mr. Thomas Tobin were absent from the meeting.

Bloomsburg Area School District administrators in attendance were: Dr. Cosmas Curry and Mr. Marc Freeman.

Others present were: Student A, Student A's mother, Student B, Student B's mother, Student C, Student C's father and grandparents, Student D, and Student D's mother and father.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS & PERSONS WISHING TO SPEAK

There were no guests wishing to address the board at this point in the meeting.

EXPULSION HEARING FOR BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT A

A private expulsion hearing was held regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student A from 5:00 – 5:17 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 5:17 p.m., Mr. Cantore made the motion to move into executive session to discuss confidential matters regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student A. Mr. Klingerman seconded this motion, which then passed by a unanimous voice vote. At 5:30 p.m., Mr. Cantore made the motion, which Mr. Hock seconded, to move back into open session. The motion passed by a unanimous voice vote.

EXPULSION HEARING FOR BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT B

A private expulsion hearing was held regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student B from 5:30 – 5:45 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 5:45 p.m., Mr. Kramarz made the motion to move into executive session to discuss confidential matters regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student B. Mrs. Rupp seconded this motion, which then passed by

a unanimous voice vote. At 5:56 p.m., Mr. Cantore made the motion, which Mrs. Rupp seconded, to move back into open session. The motion passed by a unanimous voice vote.

EXPULSION HEARING FOR BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT C

A private expulsion hearing was held regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student C from 6:00 – 6:25 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 6:25 p.m., Mr. Cantore made the motion to move into executive session to discuss confidential matters regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student C. Mrs. Rupp seconded this motion, which then passed by a unanimous voice vote. At 6:30 p.m., Mr. Kramarz made the motion, which Mr. Cantore seconded, to move back into open session. The motion passed by a unanimous voice vote.

EXPULSION HEARING FOR BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT D

A private expulsion hearing was held regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student D from 6:30 – 6:57 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 6:57 p.m., Mr. Cantore made the motion to move into executive session to discuss confidential matters regarding Bloomsburg Middle School Student D. Mrs. Rupp seconded this motion, which then passed by a unanimous voice vote. At 7:38 p.m., Mr. Cantore made the motion, which Mr. Kramarz seconded, to move back into open session. The motion passed by a unanimous voice vote.

EXPULSION OF BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT A

Mr. Hock made the motion, which Mrs. Rupp seconded, to expel Bloomsburg Middle School Student A to the Bloomsburg-Central Columbia Alternative Education program for the minimum of 30 school days, as per Policy 227, effective 25 April 2014, and to provide documentation of counseling prior to reinstatement to Bloomsburg Middle School effective 19 August 2014, and to complete BASE Team recommendations upon return. The motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote.

EXPULSION OF BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT B

Mr. Klingerman made the motion, which Mrs. Howell seconded, to expel Bloomsburg Middle School Student B to the Bloomsburg-Central Columbia Alternative Education program for 45 school days, effective 25 April 2014, and to provide documentation of counseling prior to reinstatement to Bloomsburg Middle School on 8 September 2014, and to complete BASE Team recommendations upon return. The motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote.

EXPULSION OF BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT C

Mrs. Howell made the motion, which was seconded by Mr. Klingerman, to expel Bloomsburg Middle School Student C to the Bloomsburg-Central Columbia Alternative Education program for 45 school days, effective 25 April 2014, and to provide documentation of counseling prior to reinstatement to Bloomsburg

Middle School on 8 September 2014, and to complete BASE Team recommendations upon return. The motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote.

EXPULSION OF BLOOMSBURG MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT D

Mr. Klingerman made the motion, which Mrs. Rupp seconded, to expel Bloomsburg Middle School Student D to the Bloomsburg-Central Columbia Alternative Education program for the minimum of 30 school days, as per Policy 227, effective 25 April 2014, and to provide documentation of counseling prior to reinstatement to Bloomsburg Middle School effective 19 August 2014, and to complete BASE Team recommendations upon return. The motion passed by a unanimous roll call vote.

APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT TO VAN PURCHASE

Mr. Klingerman made the motion, which was seconded by Mrs. Rupp, to approve amending the purchase of a 1-ton passenger van through Bob Fisher Chevrolet through Costars for \$22,733.00 to now purchasing this van through Hondru Chevrolet through Costars for \$25,948.23. The motion passed by a unanimous voice vote.

ADJOURNMENT

At 7:53 p.m., Mrs. Rupp made the motion to adjourn the meeting, and Mrs. Howell seconded this motion. The motion then passed by a unanimous voice vote and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Stephanie Kessler
Recording Secretary

(compiled by notes from
Dr. Curry)