

Minutes

The Barbour County Board of Education met in special session at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 3, 2018 at the Board of Education Office, 45 School Street, Philippi, WV 26416.

Joanne McConnell, Eric Ruf, Ron Phillips, Members, and David Neff, acting as Secretary, were present. David Everson and Adam Starks, Members, were absent. Also in attendance were: Daniel Ice, Student, Ron Keener and Jeff Kittle.

Mr. Ruf called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

Mr. Ruf, led the pledge to flag.

Invocation by Mr. Ruf

The board entered into closed session at 6:04 p.m. for the purpose of conducting a student hearing (EXP 1-19).

Mr. Kittle read the superintendent's recommendation to expel the student through October 4, 2019, Alternative school services will be provided in the form of Home Bound Instruction during this time, they may return to school on October 7, 2019 provided that the following stipulations have been satisfied:

- Receive a complete psychiatric evaluation from a licensed psychiatrist
 - A copy of the evaluation must be provided to Barbour County Schools from the psychiatrist
- Receive counseling in appropriate decision making/anger management and attend a minimum of twelve (12) sessions
 - A letter must be provided to Barbour County Schools from the provider showing completion of the twelve (12) counseling sessions
- Provide a letter from a psychiatrist stating that the student "is not a threat to himself or others" prior to returning to school
- Student is forbidden to trespass upon Barbour County Schools property without first obtaining consent from the Superintendent during the expulsion

The board adjourned into executive session at 7:57 p.m. for the purposes of deliberation.

The board returned to closed session at 8:22 p.m. (No votes or decisions were made in executive session)

A motion was made by Mr. Ruf to modify the superintendent's recommendation as follows:

Expel the student through the end of the 2018-2019 school year, Alternative school services will be provided in the form of Home Bound Instruction during this time, they may return to school at the beginning of the 2019-2020 school year, provided that the following stipulations have been satisfied:

- Receive a complete psychiatric evaluation from a licensed psychiatrist
 - A copy of the evaluation must be provided to Barbour County Schools from the psychiatrist and evaluated for I.E.P. by Barbour County Schools
- Receive counseling in appropriate decision making/anger management and attend a minimum of twelve (12) sessions
 - A letter must be provided to Barbour County Schools from the provider showing completion of the twelve (12) counseling sessions
- Provide a letter from a psychiatrist stating that the student "is not a threat to himself or others" prior to returning to school
- Student is forbidden to trespass upon Barbour County Schools property without first obtaining consent from the Superintendent during the expulsion

The motion was seconded by Mrs. McConnell. After discussion the motion passed three (3) to zero (0).

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

President

Secretary