

Moundsville  
West Virginia  
January 28, 2020

The Marshall County Board of Education met in special session Tuesday, January 28, 2020, 6:00 p.m., at the Marshall County Board Office, all members having been notified of business to be considered.

Present were: President John Miller, Vice President Christie Robison, Members Brenda Coffield, Lori E. Kestner, Dr. Duane Miller; Secretary Dr. Shelby Haines and Members of the County Administrative Staff.

A student expulsion hearing for student SDA 19/20-06 was conducted.

Meagan Kirchner, In-House Counsel, presented the case.

President Miller acted as Hearing Officer.

Grandmother/Guardian was present. A closed hearing was requested. A waiver of right for a full expulsion hearing was signed by the guardian, which serves as an admission of guilt. It was explained by in-house counsel, that because of this waiver, the Board will hear statements of character to aid in determining disciplinary action handed down by the Board.

The administration's recommendation to the Board is that SDA 19/20-06 be expelled from Sherrard Middle School for a period not to exceed one school year.

Motion by Mrs. Kestner, and seconded by Dr. Miller, that SDA 19/20-06 will be expelled for a period not to exceed one school year, in addition to 45 hours of community service and attend counseling with a review at the end of the school year.

This falls under the violating school rules and policies - West Virginia Code §18A-5-1a and WV Policy 4373.

Motion by Mrs. Coffield, and seconded by Vice President Robison, that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

President Miller adjourned the meeting at 6:25 p.m.

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President

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Secretary

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