

MINUTES
Community Unit School District #205
Board of Education
March 17, 2008

Call To Order/Roll Call

The Community Unit School District #205 Board of Education met in a special meeting on Monday, March 17, 2008 at 6:00 PM at 932 Harrison Street, Galesburg, IL. The meeting was called to order by President Panther. A closed session will be held for the purpose of personnel and three (3) expulsion hearings. The roll was read and the following Members responded: Strauch, Swanson, Panther, Lindstrom, Harrison, Nelson (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Roll Call #1

Closed Session

It was moved by Member Strauch and seconded by Member Swanson that the special meeting be adjourned to a closed session—6:02 PM. Action will be taken in open session. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Lindstrom, Panther, Strauch, Swanson, Nelson, Harrison (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #2

Following the closed session, it was moved by Member Harrison and seconded by Member Swanson that the special meeting be re-convened—6:04 PM. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Nelson, Panther, Strauch, Swanson, Lindstrom, Harrison (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #3

Recommendations on Personnel

It was moved by Member Strauch and seconded by Member Nelson to accept the resignation and settlement agreement of Mr. Ray Sykes effective immediately. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Panther, Strauch, Swanson, Harrison, Lindstrom, Nelson (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #4

Closed Session

It was moved by Member Swanson and seconded by Member Harrison that the special meeting be adjourned to a closed session—6:06 PM. Action will be taken in open session. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Lindstrom, Panther, Strauch, Swanson, Nelson, Harrison (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #5

Following the closed session, it was moved by Member Swanson and seconded by Member Harrison that the special meeting be re-convened—6:54 PM. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Nelson, Panther, Strauch, Swanson, Lindstrom, Harrison (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #6

Recommendations on Expulsion

Considering the information presented at the discipline hearing, it was recommended that a Galesburg High School student (Case #08-06), be expelled for the 2007-2008 school year and 2008-2009 school year. Student may return on probationary status to Galesburg High School Term 1 of the 2008-2009 school year. Home Study per mandate of IEP. Credit Recovery as approved by building principal.

It was moved by Member Strauch and seconded by Member Nelson that the Board of Education approved the above recommendation as stated. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Panther, Harrison, Swanson, Strauch, Lindstrom, Nelson (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #7

Recommendations on Expulsion

Considering the information presented at the discipline hearing, it was recommended that a Galesburg High School student (Case #08-07), be expelled for the 2007-2008 school year and 2008-2009 school year. Student may return on probationary status to Galesburg High School Term 1 of the 2008-2009 school year. Home Study per mandate of IEP. Credit Recovery as approved by building principal.

It was moved by Member Harrison and seconded by Member Swanson that the Board of Education approve the above recommendation as stated. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Panther, Harrison, Swanson, Strauch, Lindstrom, Nelson (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #8

Recommendations on Expulsion

Considering the information presented at the discipline hearing, it was recommended that a Galesburg High School student (Case #08-08), be expelled for the 2007-2008 school year and 2008-2009 school year. Expelled through March 17, 2010. Student may return on probationary status to Galesburg High School Term 1 of the 2009-2010 school year. A stipulation of the probation will be, prior to re-admittance, the school's receipt of documentation of student's successful

participation in an approved anger management program is provided to GHS by August 14, 2009. Credit Recovery as approved by building principal.

It was moved by Member Nelson and seconded by Member Harrison that the Board of Education approve the above recommendation as stated. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Panther, Harrison, Swanson, Strauch, Lindstrom, Nelson (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #9

Adjournment

It was moved by Member Strauch and seconded by Member Swanson that the special meeting be adjourned—7:20 PM. On roll call the following Members voted AYE: Harrison, Lindstrom, Nelson, Panther, Strauch, Swanson (6) Absent: Osborn (1) Motion carried. Roll Call #10

Michael D. Panther, President

ATTEST:

Mike Nelson, Secretary