

Summers County Board of Education
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
October 27, 2011
5:00 p.m.

1. Roll Call

The Summers County Board of Education met in a special meeting on October 27, 2011, 5:00 p.m. in the board office conference room with Ms. Sue Angell, board president, presiding over the meeting with the following board members present: Mr. David Ballard, Dr. Deborah Clark, Mrs. Jean Gore, and Mr. James Withrow.

Other staff members present: Mrs. Vicki Hinerman, *Superintendent*; Dr. Sarah Brown, *Director of Curriculum*; Mr. David Quisenberry, *Director of Attendance*; Ms. Kimberly J. Rodes, *Director of Student Services*; and Mrs. Jennifer Farley, *Business Manager*

Principal attending: Mr. Joshua Houchins, Principal, Summers County High School

Others attending: Student, ID# 100008567; student's brother and friend

2. Invocation/Pledge of Allegiance

The invocation was given by Mr. Ballard and followed by the "Pledge of Allegiance."

3. Approval of Agenda

Upon a motion by Mr. Ballard seconded by Mr. Withrow and by unanimous vote, the agenda was approved.

4. Expulsion Hearing

This was a closed hearing.

Mr. Ballard made a motion to go into executive session for the purpose of deliberation, pursuant to 6-9A-4 Mr. Withrow seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Upon returning to the public session, Mrs. Hinerman and Mr. Houchins recommended that one Summers County High School male student #100008567 be expelled for 365 days for a violation of 18A-5-1a, the School Laws of West Virginia, the Summers County Safe and Orderly Schools Student Conduct Policy, and the State Code of Conduct. During this expulsion, this student will either attend alternative school or be provided homebound services. A reinstatement hearing can be held next summer to determine if this student is allowed to return to school in the fall of 2012 if requested by the brother, who is the legal guardian. An IEP meeting will be scheduled concerning this student. This student is not permitted to be on school property unless authorized by the principal.

Mr. Ballard made a motion to approve the superintendent's recommendation. Mr. Withrow seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

5. Adjournment

Upon a motion by Dr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Ballard and by unanimous vote, the meeting was adjourned.