

Richmond Community Schools

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BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

6:30 PM, MARCH 27, 2019 IN THE MEDIA CENTER OF RICHMOND HIGH SCHOOL

1. CALL TO ORDER

S. Gillies Call the Meeting to Order at 6:30pm

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Lead by the Board of Education.

3. MISSION STATEMENT

A. Pacitto, Secretary read the District's Mission Statement, *"At Richmond Community Schools, we provide a quality education that empowers students to be successful in a global community."*

4. ROLL CALL

A. Pacitto, Secretary took Roll Call

Present: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, M. Teltow, S. Zube (Late with notice: K. Simmons)

Quorum: 6-0

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motioned by M. Teltow seconded by K. Furtaw to approve the Agenda as presented.

Ayes: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, M. Teltow, S. Zube

Motion Carries: 6 to 0

6. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

Non-Discrimination Statement

In compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education amendments of 1972, Section 504 of Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title II of the Americans with Disability Act of 1990, and Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act of 1977, it is the policy of the Richmond Community School District that no person shall, on the basis of race, color, religion, military status, national origin or ancestry, sex (including sexual orientation), disability, age (except as authorized by law,) height, weight, or marital status be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to, discrimination during any program, activity, service or employment. Inquiries related to any nondiscrimination policies should be directed to the Superintendent, 35276 Division Road, Richmond, MI 48062, (586) 727-3565.

7. CLOSED SESSION FOR 032719 – A STUDENT DISCIPLINE HEARING PURSUANT TO SECTION 8(B) OF THE MICHIGAN OPEN MEETINGS ACT

Motioned by J. Sexton seconded by A. Pacitto to move that the Board of Education go into Closed Session for the purposes of a Student Disciplinary Hearing for Student 032719 –A pursuant to Section 8(b) of the Michigan Open Meetings Act.

Ayes: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, M. Teltow, S. Zube
Motion Carries: 6 to 0
Entered: 6:34pm
Exited: 7:36pm

8. CLOSED SESSION FOR 032719 – B STUDENT DISCIPLINE HEARING PURSUANT TO SECTION 8(B) OF THE MICHIGAN OPEN MEETINGS ACT

Motioned by K. Furtaw seconded by S. Zube to move that the Board of Education go into Closed Session for the purposes of a Student Disciplinary Hearing for Student 032719 – B pursuant to Section 8(b) of the Michigan Open Meetings Act.

Ayes: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, M. Teltow, S. Zube
Motion Carries: 6 to 0
Entered: 7:40pm
Exited: 8:23pm

9. CLOSED SESSION FOR 032719 – C STUDENT DISCIPLINE HEARING PURSUANT TO SECTION 8(B) OF THE MICHIGAN OPEN MEETINGS ACT

Motioned K. Furtaw seconded by M. Teltow to move that the Board of Education go into Closed Session for the purposes of a Student Disciplinary Hearing for Student 032719 – C pursuant to Section 8(b) of the Michigan Open Meetings Act.

Ayes: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, K. Simmons, M. Teltow, S. Zube
Motion Carries: 7 to 0
Entered: 8:29pm
Exited: 9:21pm

10. ACTION ITEM(S)

A. 032719 – A Student Discipline Hearing Resolution

Motioned by J. Sexton seconded by K. Furtaw to suspend Student 032719–A, consistent with the attached resolution following a Closed Session Hearing.

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Ayes: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, M. Teltow, S. Zube
Abstain: K. Simmons
Motion Carries: 6 to 0

B. 032719 – B Student Discipline Hearing Resolution

Motioned by K. Furtaw seconded by S. Zube to suspend Student 032719–B, consistent with the attached resolution following a Closed Session Hearing.

Ayes: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, M. Teltow, S. Zube
Abstain: K. Simmons
Motion Carries: 6 to 0

C. 032719 – C Student Discipline Hearing Resolution

Motioned by J. Sexton seconded by K. Simmons to suspend Student 032719–C, consistent with the attached resolution following a Closed Session Hearing.

Ayes: S. Gillies, A. Pacitto, K. Furtaw, J. Sexton, K. Simmons, M. Teltow, S. Zube
Motion Carries: 7 to 0

11. ADJOURNMENT

S. Gillies adjourned the meeting at 9:34pm

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