

# eAgenda

February 3, 2011

## THE SCHOOL BOARD OF ST. LUCIE COUNTY

Special (Expulsion) School Board Meeting – February 3, 2011  
5:30 p.m.  
School Board Room  
4204 Okeechobee Road, Fort Pierce, FL 34947

### AGENDA

#### HEARING DISPOSITIONS - EXPULSION

1. [Expulsions \(Revised\)](#)

Attachment: FO 11-007 A.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-007 B.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-012 A.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-012 B.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 012 C.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-012 D.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-012 E.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-006 A.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-006 B.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-006 C.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-007 C.pdf (Confidential Item)  
Attachment: FO 11-007 D.pdf (Confidential Item)

#### Minutes:

Chairman Hensley called the February 3, 2011 Special (Expulsion) Meeting to order at approximately 5:00 p.m. with the following members being present: Chairman Kathryn Hensley (District 4), Vice Chairman Carol A. Hilson (District 2), Member Debbie Hawley (District 1), Member Troy Ingersoll (District 5), and Member Donna Mills (District 3).

Superintendent Michael Lannon read into the record that he was dismissing with prejudice, due to insufficient evidence, a petition for expulsion that pertained to Fort Pierce Westwood High student TM (student to return to FPWW campus) ; Mr. Lannon also stated he was dismissing with prejudice a petition for expulsion that pertained to Dale Cassens Educational Complex student CG (student was assigned to Delaware Avenue School).

Recommended Order #11007 pertained to a 15 year old (DOB/12-03-1995) student at Delaware Avenue School who was charged with a violation of the Code of Student Conduct, B3 - Battery of a Student. Student was given a due process hearing before a hearing officer on January 6, 2011. A written summary of this hearing was provided for the Board and the student's parents. The recommendation for expulsion was reviewed by the Placement Review Committee on which the Exceptional Student Education Department is represented. The Committee recommended that expulsion proceedings continue. The student and her mother were present during the Board's hearing and were given the opportunity to make a statement.

Action: The Superintendent recommended the Board expel the student for the remainder of the 2010-11 school year. (Hilson/Ingersoll/Carried 5-0).

Recommended Order #11-012 pertained to a 16 year old (DOB/04-10-1994) student at Fort Pierce Westwood High School who was charged with a violation of the Code of Student Conduct, G4 - Disruption on Campus. The student was given a due process hearing before a hearing officer on January 10, 2011. A written summary of this hearing was provided for the Board and the student's parents. The recommendation for expulsion was reviewed by the Placement Review Committee on which the Exceptional Student Education Department is represented. The Committee recommended the expulsion proceedings continue. The student and his mother were present during the Board's hearing and were given the opportunity to make a statement.

Action: The Superintendent recommended the Board expel the student for the remainder of the 2010-11 school year and the first semester of the 2011-12 school year (Hawley/Hilson/Carried 5-0).

Recommended Order #11-006 pertained to 15 year old (DOB/11-06-1994) student at Dale Cassens Educational Complex who was charged with a violation of the Code of Student Conduct, X4 - Drug Sale/Distribution. The student was given a due process hearing before a hearing officer on January 6, 2011. A written summary of this hearing was provided for the Board and the student's parents. The recommendation for expulsion was reviewed by the Placement Review Committee on which the Exceptional Student Education Department is represented. The Committee recommended the expulsion proceedings continue. The student and his father attended the Board's hearing and were given the opportunity to make a statement.

Action: The Superintendent recommended the Board expel the student for the remainder of the 2010-11 school year (Ingersoll/Hawley/Carried 5-0).

Following disposition of all recommended orders scheduled to come before the Board, Chairman Hensley adjourned the February 3, 2011 Special (Expulsion) Meeting at approximately 6:36 p.m.

## STUDENT WITHDRAWALS

2. [None](#)

Note: If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the School Board regarding any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he/she will need a record of the proceedings. For this purpose, an individual should ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, at his/her own expense, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based (Sec. 286.0105 F. S.). In compliance with ADA requirements, special needs can be reasonably accommodated by contacting the School Board of St. Lucie County at least ten (10) working days prior to the meeting. Contact the Board's Assistant by phone 772-429-3914, fax 772-429-7559., or harrisonc@stlucie.k12.fl.us. Telecommunication Device for the Deaf (TDD) is available at 772-429-3919. This agenda may be amended from time to time on an as needed basis.