

MALVERN SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Special School Board Meeting  
MAY 7, 2015

MEMBERS PRESENT: Don Rash, Deborah Smith, Connie Bane, Brian Coston, and Vonda Cranford  
MEMBERS ABSENT: Jesse Clark and Kevin Carr

The Malvern School District Board of Education met in special session Thursday, May 7, 2015, at 2:00 p.m., in the administration office. Those present other than the board members included Brian Golden, Jace Roberts, Gloria Wright, and others.

President Don Rash called the meeting to order at 2:00.

#### EXPLUSION – MLA

Superintendent Brian Golden recommended the board uphold the decision of Gloria Wright, MLA Dean of Students, to expel an 11th grade student for the remainder of the 2014/15 school year for violation of policy 19.24 in the student handbook: Drugs and Alcohol. Proof of counseling will be required before the student is permitted to return to school for the August 2015 fall semester. Neither the student nor parent/guardian was present for the open hearing. Due to the student's IEP, the Malvern School District will continue to make homebound services available to the student during the expulsion. Brian Coston made a motion, seconded by Vonda Cranford, to uphold the expulsion. Vote 5-0

Superintendent Brian Golden recommended the board uphold the decision of Gloria Wright, MLA Dean of Students, to expel a 10th grade student for the remainder of the 2014/15 school year for violation of policy 19.24 in the student handbook: Drugs and Alcohol. Proof of counseling will be required before the student is permitted to return to school for the August 2015 fall semester. Neither the student nor parent/guardian was present for the open hearing. Connie Bane made a motion, seconded by Vonda Cranford, to uphold the expulsion. Vote 5-0

#### EXECUTIVE SESSION – PERSONNEL

Deborah Smith made a motion, seconded by Connie Bane, to adjourn to executive session at 2:21.  
Vote 5-0

The board reconvened at 2:25 on a motion by Deborah Smith, seconded by Connie Bane. Vote 5-0

#### PERSONNEL

##### RESIGNATIONS

Superintendent Golden recommended the board accept the following resignations effective the end of the 2014/15 school year:

- Greene, Angela – Tennis (Stipend only)
- Jones, Bryan – Head Baseball Coach
- Leamons, Natalie – WIS Classroom Teacher

Brian Coston made a motion, seconded by Connie Bane, to accept the superintendent's recommendation. Vote 5-0

##### NON-RENEWAL

Superintendent Golden recommended the board non-renew the following individuals:

- Hall, Jeremy – MES Physical Education Teacher/MHS Assistant Basketball Coach
- Tedford, Linda – Special Education Aide

Vonda Cranford made a motion, seconded by Connie Bane, to accept the superintendent's recommendation. Vote 5-0

#### NEW BUSINESS FROM THE BOARD

The next regular meeting of the Malvern School District Board of Education is Monday, October 18, 2015, at 6:30, in the administration building.

There being no further business, Deborah Smith made a motion, seconded by Connie Bane, to adjourn at 2:30. Vote 5-0

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