

WYOMING COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, October 5, 2018

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

COUNTY OF WYOMING, TO-WIT:

A call for a special meeting of the Wyoming County Board of Education was held on Friday, October 5, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. at the Wyoming County Board of Education Central Office Conference Room. Those in attendance were Michael R. Prichard, President; Allan R. Stiltner, Vice President; Morgan K. "Mike" Davis and Betty F. England, Members. Douglas E. Lester, Member, attended by phone. Deirdre A. Cline, Superintendent, was also in attendance. The agenda for the meeting was as follows:

1. Expulsion Hearing
2. Consent Agenda
 - A. Extracurricular, Special, and Bus Requests
3. Items for Future Agendas and Announcements

Mr. Prichard called the meeting to order, and asked Ms. Rebecca Cooke, Assistant Superintendent of Elementary and Middle Schools, to give the invocation.

The Board, along with those in attendance, then recited the Pledge of Allegiance, led by Ms. Robin Hall, Assistant Superintendent for Secondary Schools.

Expulsion Hearing: Mr. Prichard asked Mrs. Cline to present information regarding the Expulsion Hearing.

Mrs. Cline introduced the father of student # 980015068 and Mrs. Stacie Cook, with the probation office. She said Mrs. Cook was present at the parent's request. She also introduced Mrs. Kim Runion, Principal of the Wyoming County Career and Technical Center, and Luke Stevens, Assistant Principal of the Wyoming County Career and Technical Center.

An open hearing was held at the request of the father.

Mrs. Runion provided the Board Members with the information regarding reasoning for the expulsion request. Board Members were provided adequate time to review all of the documentation regarding the expulsion.

Mrs. Cline asked Mrs. Runion to provide an explanation of the series of events leading up to the expulsion request.

The student was asked to address the Board regarding the expulsion.

Mr. Prichard asked the father if he had any questions or concerns regarding the possibility of the expulsion.

The father did not have any questions.

There was a thorough discussion regarding the student expulsion.

Mr. Davis made a motion, seconded by Mr. Stiltner to approve the expulsion of student # 980015068 for 365 days, as presented and as recommended by Mrs. Cline, Superintendent. Passed with a 5-0 vote.

Consent Agenda: A. Extracurricular, Special, and Bus Requests: Mrs. Cline recommended the Extracurricular, Special, and Bus Requests as follows:

1) A bus request from Baileysville Elementary and Middle School to take 8th grade students to the WV State Capitol and Cultural Center in Charleston on November 15, 2018, with funding from County funds to cover the cost;

2) A bus request from Berlin McKinney Elementary School to take Kindergarten students to the pumpkin patch at Baileysville Community Center on October 12, 2018, with funding from extracurricular funds to cover the cost;

3) A bus request from Berlin McKinney Elementary School to take 1st grade students to the pumpkin patch at Baileysville Community Center on October 15, 2018, with funding from extracurricular funds to cover the cost;

4) A bus request from Herndon Consolidated Elementary and Middle School to take

Kindergarten through 4th grade students to watch The NED Show at Wyoming East High School on October 17, 2018, with funding from extracurricular funds to cover the cost;

5) A bus request from Herndon Consolidated Elementary and Middle School to take Pre-K and Kindergarten students to the Pumpkin Patch on October 30, 2018, with funding from extracurricular funds to cover the cost;

6) A bus request from Herndon Consolidated Elementary and Middle School to take 3rd - 8th grade students to the YMCA in Beckley on November 9, 2018, with funding from extracurricular funds to cover the cost;

7) A bus request from Herndon Consolidated Elementary and Middle School to take 8th grade students to the WV State Capitol and Cultural Center in Charleston on November 14, 2018, with funding from County funds to cover the cost;

8) A request from Lori Sizemore for her daughter to attend school out of district, transferring from Pineville Middle School to Mullens Middle School for the 2018-2019 school year;

9) A bus request from Pineville Elementary School to take Kindergarten students to Twin Falls State Park on October 19, 2018, with funding from school funds to cover the cost;

10) A bus request from Pineville Elementary School to take 4th grade students to Twin Falls State Park for an Earth Science trip on October 4, 2018, with funding from the 4th grade account to cover the cost. (This is a rescheduled event);

11) A bus request from Road Branch Elementary and Middle School to take 8th grade students to the WV State Capitol in Charleston on November 20, 2018, with funding from County funds to cover the cost;

12) A bus request from Westside High School to take 9th - 12th grade students on the boys' basketball team to the following games: Shady Spring on December 4, 2018, Oak

Hill on December 12, 2018, Mingo Central on December 29, 2018, Beckley Armory on January 2, 2019, Liberty on January 8, 2019, Williamson on January 11, 2019, and January 12, 2019, Pikeview on January 15, 2019, Beckley Armory on February 15, 2019, and February 16, 2019, with funding from the boys' basketball team funds to cover the cost;

13) A request from Westside High School to take 12th grade students to visit WVU Tech in Beckley for college campus experience on October 27, 2018, with funding from Gear Up to cover the cost;

14) A bus request from Mullens Elementary School to take Kindergarten through 4th grade students to watch The Ned Show at Wyoming East High School on October 17, 2018, with funding from the school's general fund to cover the cost;

15) A bus request from Oceana Middle School to take 8th grade students to watch the Golden Horseshoe Musical at the Tamarack in Beckley on October 17, 2018, with funding from the school's general fund to cover the cost;

16) A request from Jon R. McKinney for a professional day on October 19, 2018, to attend the WVDE Office of Technical Education and Governor's Economic Initiatives ELA Teachers in CTE Centers workshop in South Charleston;

17) A request from Donna Wikel for a professional day on October 18, 2018, to attend the WVDE Office of Technical Education and Governor's Economic Initiatives ELA Teachers in CTE Centers workshop in South Charleston;

18) A request from Susan Browning for a professional day on October 25, 2018, to attend a board meeting with the WV State Board of Examiners for LPNs in Charleston;

19) A request from Susan Browning for a professional day on October 19, 2018, to attend a meeting concerning the COE Accreditation and the changes to the LPN programs at the WVDE in Charleston;

20) A request from Luke Stevens for a professional day on November 1, 2018, to attend the Tech Centers that Work Networking Best Practices meeting in Charleston;

21) A request from Leoda Francis for a professional day on November 1, 2018, to attend the Tech Centers that Work Networking Best Practices meeting in Charleston;

22) A request from Kimberly Sibo-Runion for a professional day on November 1, 2018, to attend the Tech Centers that Work Networking Best Practices meeting in Charleston;

23) A request from Belinda Cook for a professional day on October 19, 2018, to attend the 2018 WV School Counselors' Association Annual Conference in Morgantown;

24) A bus request from Wyoming East High School to take 9th - 12th grade band students to two parades: Oceana's Veterans' Day Parade on November 11, 2018, and Welch's 100th Anniversary Veterans' Day Parade on November 12, 2018, with funding from band funds to cover the cost; and

25) A bus request from Wyoming East High School to take 9th - 12th grade art students to the playground in Mullens for a community service project on October 5, 2018, with funding from school funds to cover the cost.

Items for Future Agendas and Announcements: Mr. Prichard asked for any Items for Future Agendas and Announcements.

Mr. Prichard reminded members of the next Board meeting, which is to be held on Thursday, October 18, 2018, at 10:00 a.m., at Mullens Middle School. He said the next regularly scheduled Board meeting would be held on Thursday, October 18, 2018, at 10:00 a.m., at Mullens Middle School

Mr. Prichard made a motion, seconded by Mr. Stiltner, to adjourn. Passed with a 5-0 vote.