

**LEBANON BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL MEETING - STUDENT DISCIPLINARY MATTER
THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2015**

Call to Order: 2:02 p.m. by James Mello for the purpose of conducting a student expulsion hearing.

Present: James Mello, Sandra Tremblay, Bert Bosse, Albert Vertefeuille

Also Present: Janet Tyler, Superintendent, Atty. Gary Brochu, LES Principal Andrew Gonzalez, the student who is the subject of the expulsion proceedings, and parents of the student who is the subject of the expulsion proceedings.

It is the intention of the Board to conduct the expulsion hearing in Executive Session.

Motion: B. Bosse – Move that the Board of Education enter Executive Session for the purpose of conducting a student expulsion hearing, during which matters of personal privacy of the student involved are likely to be discussed. Further, I move that the following persons are to be invited into Executive Session to assist in either giving testimony of evidence, or representation of the various parties to the proceedings: Janet Tyler, Superintendent of Schools; Attorney Gary Brochu, Principal Andrew Gonzalez, the student who is the subject of the expulsion proceedings, and parents of the student who is the subject of the expulsion proceedings. Second: S. Tremblay, Vote: Unanimous. Entered Executive Session at 2:10 p.m.

Motion: A. Vertefeuille – Move that the Lebanon Board of Education finds, based on the evidence in the record, that the student who is the subject of this hearing did, on May 11, 2015 possess a deadly weapon on school grounds, which violated a publicized policy of the Board.

As a result of the above findings, the Lebanon Board of Education concludes that the student who is the subject of this hearing did commit an expellable offense and shall be expelled from the Lebanon Public Schools until May 21, 2016. And further that the student may be permitted to re-enter school effective June 1, 2015 on a probationary status, if he satisfies all of the following conditions, as determined by the Administration:

1. Comply with all Board of Education policies, rules and regulations concerning student conduct;
2. Allow the administration to inspect the student's backpack and belongings.

If the student is readmitted to the Lebanon Public Schools on a probationary status, he will be on disciplinary probation for the rest of the full expulsion period. If the Administration determines, in its sole discretion, that the student has failed to satisfy the conditions set forth in this motion or has committed any suspendable or expellable offense during the expulsion period, the probation period shall cease and the Administration shall reinstate the student's expulsion for the remainder of the expulsion period. During the period of expulsion the student shall not be allowed to enter any school property and/or participate in any school-sponsored events and activities.

If the student satisfactory completes all of the conditions described above, the record of this expulsion shall be expunged from the student's records upon completion of the expulsion period. Second: J. Mello. Vote: Unanimous

Adjournment: Motion: S. Tremblay– Move to adjourn at 2:20 p.m.
Second: S. Tremblay
Vote: Unanimous

Respectfully submitted,
James Mello