# SANTEE SCHOOL DISTRICT SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

April 30, 2018 MINUTES

Douglas E. Giles Educational Resource Center 9619 Cuyamaca Street Santee, California

#### A. OPENING PROCEDURES

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President El-Hajj.

### B. PUBLIC COMMUNICATION

There was no public communication.

### C. CLOSED SESSION

Consideration of Student Matter (Ed. Code § 48918) Student #: 9-1718

The Board entered closed session at 6:10 p.m. to discuss student discipline hearings for student #: 9-1718. This matter was heard by the Santee School Board Members Dianne El-Hajj, Ken Fox, Dustin Burns, Barbara Ryan, and Elana Levens-Craig in closed session. Oral and documentary evidence was received. Following the presentation of evidence, President El-Hajj announced the Board members would deliberate and all other persons were asked to leave the room.

## D. RECONVENE TO PUBLIC SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT

The Board reconvened to public session at 6:55 p.m.

## **ACTION TAKEN BY BOARD**

It was motioned by Member Burns to expel student #9-1718 from the Santee School District for violation of California Education Code Sections 48900 (c) Possessed, used, sold, furnished or been under the influence of alcohol, intoxicant, or controlled substance, 48900 (j) Possessed, offered, arranged or negotiated to sell drug paraphernalia, and Santee School District Board Policies 5144.1: Pupil Discipline: Suspension and Expulsion 5144.4: Administrative Review, and related Administrative Regulations.

The expulsion shall be immediately suspended herewith, and the student shall complete the following elements in a Rehabilitation Plan:

- Transfer to a comprehensive campus now. Student may not return to his previous school.
- Maintain a 2.5 (or better) GPA for scholarship, effort and citizenship performance.
- Receive no new suspensions.
- Attend school regularly with no unexcused absences or tardies.
- Complete a counseling program by November 2, 2018, for decision-making/peer pressure, and drug/alcohol abuse/prevention.
- Perform 20 hours of community service by November 2, 2018.
- Write reports on the effects of vaping and bicycle safety.
- Remain free of illegal substances and participate in a drug-testing program.
- Complete all elements of this Rehabilitation Plan by November 2, 2018, and present documentation to verify completion.

A parent must meet with the Coordinator of Pupil Services by May 4, 2018, to review and sign the Rehabilitation Plan. If the parent fails to meet within the designated time and/or does not sign the Rehabilitation Plan, the student may be expelled without further Board action. Upon satisfactory completion of all activities in this rehabilitation Plan, the student record will be expunged of this expulsion order.

Motion:BurnsEl-HajjAyeRyanAyeSecondFoxFoxAyeLevens-CraigAyeVote:5-0BurnsAye

E. ADJOURNMENT

The April 30, 2018 special meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

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The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President El-Hajj.

### B. PUBLIC COMMUNICATION

There was no public communication.

### C. CLOSED SESSION

Consideration of Student Matter (Ed. Code § 48918) Student #: 8-1718

The Board entered closed session at 7:05 p.m. to discuss student discipline hearings for student #: 8-1718. This matter was heard by the Santee School Board Members Dianne El-Hajj, Ken Fox, Dustin Burns, Barbara Ryan, and Elana Levens-Craig in closed session. Oral and documentary evidence was received. Following the presentation of evidence, President El-Hajj announced the Board members would deliberate and all other persons were asked to leave the room.

### D. RECONVENE TO PUBLIC SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT

The Board reconvened to public session at 8:35 p.m.

## **ACTION TAKEN BY BOARD**

It was motioned by Member Fox to expel student #8-1718 from the Santee School District for violation of California Education Code Sections 48900 (b) Possessed, sold or otherwise furnished a weapon of no reasonable use to the pupil at school, 48900 (c) Possessed, used, sold, furnished or been under the influence of a controlled substance, 48900 (h) Use of tobacco or possession of tobacco on school property, 48900 (j) Possessed, offered, arranged or negotiated to sell drug paraphernalia, and Santee School District Board Policies 5144.1: Pupil Discipline: Suspension and Expulsion 5144.4: Administrative Review, and related Administrative Regulations.

The expulsion shall be immediately suspended herewith, and the student shall complete the following elements in a Rehabilitation Plan:

- Remain at the Santee Success Program through 11/2/18. At that time student may, with recommendation of SSP teacher, transfer to a comprehensive campus. Student may not return to his previous school.
- Maintain a 3.0 (or better) GPA for scholarship, effort and citizenship performance.
- Receive no new suspensions.
- Attend school regularly with no unexcused absences or tardies.
- Complete a counseling program by 12/21/18 for decision-making/peer pressure, and drug/alcohol abuse/prevention.
- Perform 20 hours of community service by 9/30/18 and provide verification.
- Remain free of illegal substances and participate in a drug-testing program.
- Complete all elements of this Rehabilitation Plan by February 26, 2019 and present documentation to verify completion.

A parent must meet with the Coordinator of Pupil Services by May 4, 2018, to review and sign the Rehabilitation Plan. If the parent fails to meet within the designated time and/or does not sign the Rehabilitation Plan, the student may be expelled without further Board action. Upon satisfactory completion of all activities in this rehabilitation Plan, the student record will be expunged of this expulsion order.

Motion:FoxEl-HajjAyeRyanAyeSecondLevens-CraigFoxAyeLevens-CraigAyeVote:5-0BurnsAye

E. ADJQURNMENT

Dustin Burns, Clerk

The April 36, 2018 special meeting was adjourned at 9:06 p.m.

Kristin Baranski, Secretary