



Fruitport Community Schools
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
Monday, June 24, 2024 – 6:00 p.m.

Location:

Fruitport Community Schools Central Office
Board of Education Meeting Room
3255 E. Pontaluna Rd.
Fruitport, MI 49415

MINUTES

I. CALL to ORDER

The Special Meeting of the Board of Education was called to order at 6:02 p.m. by Board President, Dave Hazekamp.

II. ROLL CALL

Present – Elroy Buckner, Tim Burgess, Kris Cole, Susan Franklin, Dave Hazekamp, Steve Kelly, JB Meeuwenberg.

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Item 24-82. MOTION by Buckner, SECOND by Franklin to approve the agenda, as presented.

MOTION CARRIED: 7-0.

IV. REMARKS FROM THE PUBLIC: None

V. GENERAL BOARD BUSINESS

A. Special Meeting Minutes - May 20, 2024

Item 24-83. MOTION by Franklin, SECOND by Kelly to approve the Special Meeting Minutes of May 20, 2024, as presented.

MOTION CARRIED: 7-0

B. Regular Meeting Minutes - May 20, 2024

Item 24-84. MOTION by Buckner, SECOND by Franklin to approve the Regular Meeting Minutes of May 20, 2024, as presented.

MOTION CARRIED: 7-0

C. Closed Session Student Discipline Hearing Pursuant to Michigan Open Meetings Act Section 8(b) - Student: 61806449

Item 24-85. MOTION by Cole, SECOND by Buckner to enter into closed session at 6:04 p.m. pursuant to Section 8(b) of the Michigan Open Meetings Act, and upon the written request of the student's parent, for the purpose of conducting a hearing to consider the discipline of a student whose identity is known to the Board as Student 61806449.

Roll call: Buckner - yes, Burgess - yes, Cole - yes, Franklin - yes, Hazekamp - yes, Kelly - yes, Meeuwenberg - yes.

MOTION CARRIED: 7-0.

D. Return to Open Session

Item 24-86. MOTION by Franklin, SECOND by Cole to return to open session at 6:34 p.m.

Roll call: Buckner - yes, Burgess - yes, Cole - yes, Franklin - yes, Hazekamp - yes, Kelly - yes, Meeuwenberg - yes.

MOTION CARRIED: 7-0.

E. Board Resolution for Student Discipline: Student 61806449

Item 24-87. MOTION by Kelly, SECOND by Meeuwenberg to approve the Board resolution for student discipline for a student whose identity is known to the

Board as Student 61806449. The student shall be expelled for 180 school days from Fruitport Community Schools, but may apply for reinstatement to the Board of Education after 150 school days (April 1, 2025). The student shall meet all conditions of reinstatement, as outlined in the resolution, at the time of application for reinstatement. The student will remain expelled from Fruitport Community Schools until such time as the Board of Education reinstates the student.

Roll call: Buckner - yes, Burgess - yes, Cole - yes, Franklin - yes, Hazekamp - yes, Kelly - yes, Meeuwenberg - yes.

MOTION CARRIED: 7-0.

VI. **ADJOURNMENT**

Item 24-88. MOTION by Buckner, SECOND by Franklin to adjourn.

MOTION CARRIED: 7-0.

The meeting adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Franklin, Board Secretary

Jason Kennedy, Acting Recording Board Secretary