Mr. Stanek called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m. and introductions were made.

1. To consider and act upon the recommendation from the administration regarding student expulsion

MOTION: (Ms. Magri/sec., Ms. Harmeling) move that the Seymour Board of Education enter into Executive Session to discuss a matter that would result in the disclosure of public records or the information contained therein as described in Connecticut General Statutes Sections 1-210(b)(2), (11) and (17). Further, that the following individuals be invited to attend the executive session:

1. Student who is the subject of this hearing
2. Student's Parents
3. Student's Grandmother
4. Christine Syriac, Superintendent
5. Lee Ann Dauerty, Recording Secretary
6. Rich Kearns, Director of Security
7. Paul Lucke, Assistant Principal, SHS
8. Fred Dorsey, Board Attorney

AFFIRMATIVE: Ms. Harmeling, Ms. Magri, Mr. Stanek

Mr. Dorsey explained the procedures of the meeting.
Into Executive Session: 6:35 pm
Out of Executive Session: 8:24 pm

In addition to the Board members, all those mentioned in the above motion met in Executive Session starting at 6:35 p.m. The Board members entered into deliberations at 7:55 p.m. The Board entered into Regular Session at 8:24 p.m.

MOTION: (Ms. Harmeling/sec., Ms. Magri) move that pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 10-233d, the Seymour Board of Education shall expel the Student discussed in executive session from attendance at Seymour High School for the period from May 16, 2016 until May 15, 2017 for the reasons presented by the administration in this hearing.

Further, the Board directs the administration to establish and offer an alternative educational opportunity to the Student for the period of this expulsion, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 10-233d(d) in the form of tutoring as established by the Administration.

The Board further directs the administration, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 10-233d(f), to record this expulsion on the Student's cumulative educational record, to be expunged from such record if the Student graduates from high school.

Finally, the Board authorizes Fred Stanek and Fred Dorsey to communicate in writing to the Student and/or his/her parents, as appropriate, the Board's decision and the reasons therefor, consistent with the Board's executive session discussion.

AFFIRMATIVE: Ms. Harmeling, Ms. Magri, Mr. Stanek

MOTION: (Ms. Harmeling/sec., Ms. Magri) to adjourn the meeting

AFFIRMATIVE: Ms. Harmeling, Ms. Magri, Mr. Stanek

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

SO VOTED

Submitted by:
Lee-Ann Dauerty
Board Clerk

May 26, 2016