

Cooper River Constituent District 4 Board of Trustees

Regular Meeting Minutes

District 4 Boardroom

4720 Jenkins Avenue, North Charleston

February 3, 2020

Board Members Present: J. Wilson, E. Smith, M. Garnett, L. Jordan, A. Erb

Absent: L. Fyall, C. Gadson

Proceedings:

I. Call to Order, Invocation/Moment of Silence, and Pledge of Allegiance:

The board meeting was called to order at 5:49 p.m. by Michael Garnett, Board Chair.

II. Adoption of Agenda:

A. Erb moved, seconded by J. Wilson, to adopt the agenda. The motion passed 5-0.

III. Approval of Minutes:

L. Jordan moved, seconded by A. Erb, to approve the January 2020 minutes. The motion passed 5-0.

IV. Public Comments/Visitors:

N/A

V. Executive Session:

J. Wilson moved, seconded by A. Erb, to go into Executive Session. The motion passed 5-0.

VI. Open Session Reconvened:

J. Wilson moved, seconded by A. Erb, to return to Open Session. The motion passed 5-0.

VII. Vote on Executive Session Items

Discipline Hearings

A motion was made M. Garnett, seconded by J. Wilson, that student 5.1's case will be deferred until the next meeting pending further information to be provided by the school. The motion passed 5-0.

A motion was made by L. Jordan, seconded by J. Wilson, that student 5.2 will be placed on long-term removal with services provided for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year. The motion passed 5-0.

A motion was made by J. Wilson, seconded by A. Erb, to have student 5.3 return to school on strict Board probation for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year. The motion passed 5 – 0.

A motion was made by E. Smith, seconded by J. Wilson, to have student 5.4 return to school on strict Board probation for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year. The motion passed 5 – 0.

A motion was made by E. Smith, seconded by M. Garnett, to have student 5.5 return to school on strict Board probation for the remainder of the school year. A second motion was made by A. Erb, seconded by L. Jordan, that student 5.5 will be placed at Turning Point Academy for a minimum stay of 45 days. Student will also be on strict Board probation for the remainder of the school year. The motion passed 3-2 (Smith and Garnett opposed).

A motion was made by E. Smith, seconded by A. Erb, that student 5.6 be expelled for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year. The motion passed 5-0.

A motion was made by A. Erb, seconded by, L. Jordan, that student 5.7 be expelled for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year. The motion passed 5-0.

A motion was made by A. Erb, seconded by, L. Jordan, that student 5.8 be expelled for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year. The motion passed 5-0.

A motion was made by E. Smith, seconded by, L. Jordan, that student 5.9 be expelled for the remainder of the 2019 – 2020 school year. The motion passed 5-0.

VIII. New Business:

N/A

IX. Motion to Adjourn:

A. Erb moved, with a second by M. Garnett, to adjourn the meeting at 9:23 p.m. The motion passed 5-0.

Approved 3.2.20