

September 21, 2006

A special meeting of the Board of Education of the Oak Park and River Forest High School was held on Thursday, September 21, 2006, in the Board Room of the high school.

Call to Order President Greenwald called the meeting to order at 9:55 a.m. The following members were present: Jacques A. Conway, Barbara P. Fernandez, Valerie J. Fisher, Dr. Barry S. Greenwald, Dr. Dietra D. Millard, and Yasmin A. Ranney. Also present were: Susan J. Bridge, Superintendent/Principal; Jason Edgecombe, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources; Rich Perna, Coordinator of Student Safety; and Gail Kalmerton, Executive Assistant/Clerk of the Board of Education.

Visitor Comments None

Closed Session Ms. Ranney moved to enter closed session at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 21, 2006, for the purpose of discussing Student disciplinary cases 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(10); seconded by Ms. Fernandez. A roll call vote resulted in all ayes. Motion carried.

The Board of Education resumed its open session at 11:30 a.m.

Student Discipline Ms. Ranney moved to deny admission of Student RES #09/21/06-01 to O.P.R.F.H.S. due to non-residency effective 09/21/06; seconded by Ms. Fisher. A roll call vote resulted in all ayes. Motion carried.

Ms. Fernandez moved to rescind held-in-abeyance contract status of Student EXP 05/16/06-25 as of September 21, 2006, seconded by Ms. Fisher. A roll call vote resulted in all ayes. Motion carried.

Ms. Fernandez moved to expel student EXP 09/21/06-09, as of September 19, 2006, for the remainder of the 2006-07 school year, but to hold the expulsion in abeyance contingent upon completion of enrollment and regular attendance at an alternative school for the remainder of the 2006-07 school year, ongoing counseling, and verification and maintenance of residency in district; seconded by Mr. Conway. A roll call vote resulted in all ayes. Motion carried.

Ms. Kalmerton was asked to set up a Special Board Meeting for the purpose of discussing discipline in closed session.

Adjournment

Ms. Ranney moved to adjourn the Special Board Meeting at 11:35 a.m. on Thursday, September 21, 2006; seconded by Ms. Fisher. A roll call vote resulted in all ayes. Motion carried.

Dr. Barry S. Greenwald
President

Barbara P. Fernandez
Secretary