

Minutes of the Board of Education Work Session of the Berea City School District held on Monday, November 7, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. at the Berea-Midpark High School, ATLAS room 165 E. Bagley Rd., Berea, OH 44017, and shown remotely on YouTube at the following address:

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### A. Opening Meeting

Opening Meeting Open. Mtg. A-1

Members present: Chapman ☒ Farris ☒ Mack ☒ Postel ☒ Zirke ☒ Roll Call A-2  
Time in: 7:00 p.m. [Minute 2:39](#)

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Pledge of  
Allegiance A-3  
[Minute 2:50](#)

### B. Public Participation

The names and topics of participating community members are as listed: Bruna Galati, school library books, James Grosh, fire Tracy, Ed Dean, public participation. Public  
Participation  
B-1

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### C. Executive Session

Postel moved and Farris seconded the recommendation to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of considering matters required to be kept confidential by federal law or regulation or state statutes. Executive  
Session C-1  
**22-1107-1776**  
Ayes: Chapman ☒ Farris ☒ Mack ☒ Postel ☒ Zirke ☒ [Minute 12:13](#)  
Nays: None

### D. Regular Business

Farris moved and Zirke seconded the recommendation to uphold the Superintendent's expulsion decision. Expulsion  
Appeal D-1  
**22-1107-1777**  
Ayes: Chapman ☒ Farris ☒ Mack ☒ Postel ☒ Zirke ☒ [Minute 2:04:56](#)  
Nays: None

Mrs. Chapman updated the board on a recent resolution being discussed by the State Board of Education. Legislative  
Update D-2  
[Minute 2:05:53](#)

None BOE Comm.  
Rpts. D-3  
[Minute 2:06:39](#)

Mrs. Chapman spoke about the first Listening Leaders meeting. Mr. Mack gave a shout-out to Brooke Bechtel on her Track state qualifier accomplishment. He also gave a shout-out to the BMHS Art Dept. for participating in the Big Ink workshop held at Baldwin Wallace. Mrs. Farris' shout-out went to BMMS for their brand new Positive Peeps group. Mrs. Zirke gave a shout-out to Kristen Johnson, GS School Counselor for hosting a book talk for families. Mr. Postel recognized Grindstone Elementary for creating a rain garden to help students learn about the Lake Erie watershed. They worked with students from the high school on this project. Mrs. Chapman gave a shout-out to Liz Adkins, BMMS teacher, for taking 8 girls to BW for the Stem Goes Red for Girls Day event. A second shout out was given to the high school for featuring the 5th annual Immigration: This is My Story, for families to share their immigration stories. BOE  
Comments  
D-4  
[Minute 2:06:45](#)

**E. Presentation**

Mrs. Rowe presented the five year forecast.

Presentation  
E-1  
[Minute 2:14:42](#)

**F. Adjournment**

Zirke moved and Farris seconded the recommendation to adjourn the meeting.

Ayes: Chapman  Farris  Mack  Postel  Zirke

Nays: None

Adjournment  
F-1  
**22-1107-1778**  
[Minute 2:34:46](#)

Time adjourned: 9:32 p.m.

Date of Approval: Nov 22, 2022 Approved: Ana Chapman Attest: Jul A Rowe