March 21, 2019

A special meeting of the Coloma Board of Education was held at the Coloma Intermediate School Media Center, in the district, on March 21, 2019. President Heidi Ishmael called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The following members were present:

Heidi Ishmael	Doug LeClear
Apryl Watson	Nicole Hickmon
Doug Kraemer	

William Stowers and Robert Hirsch were absent

The following school administrators were present:

David Ehlers Wendy Tremblay

It was moved by Ms. Watson and supported by Mr. LeClear to adopt the agenda of March 21, 2019.

Ayes: Apryl Watson, Doug Kraemer, Doug LeClear, Nicole Hickmon, Heidi Ishmael

Nays: None

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Mrs. Hickmon and supported by Ms. Watson to adopt the consent agenda as follows:

A. Minutes of the regular meeting held on March 11, 2019

Ayes: Doug Kraemer, Doug LeClear, Nicole Hickmon, Heidi Ishmael, Apryl Watson

Nays: None

Motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Mr. LeClear and supported by Mrs. Hickmon to meet in closed session, as provided for under the Open Meetings Act, for the purpose of a student hearing.

Ayes: Doug LeClear, Nicole Hickmon, Heidi Ishmael, Apryl Watson, Doug Kraemer

Nays: None

Motion carried unanimously.

The Board went into closed session at 6:02 p.m. and returned to open session at 6:34 p.m.

It was moved by Ms. Watson and supported by Mr. LeClear to suspend student #1 from Coloma Community Schools for an additional 49 school days (remainder of 2nd Semester). The following factors were considered during the hearing and deliberation:

A. the students age
B. the student's disciplinary history
C. whether the student has a disability
D. the seriousness of the violation or behavior
E. whether the violation or behavior committed by the student threatened the safety of any student or staff member
F. whether restorative practices will be used to address the violation or behavior
G. whether a lesser intervention would properly address the violation or behavior

Ayes: Nicole Hickmon, Heidi Ishmael, Apryl Watson, Doug Kreamer, Doug LeClear

Nays: None

Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Kraemer
Secretary, Board of Education