

**SANTEE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SPECIAL MEETING  
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

October 24, 2018  
**MINUTES**

Douglas E. Giles  
Educational Resource Center  
9619 Cuyamaca Street  
Santee, California

**A. OPENING PROCEDURES**

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President El-Hajj.

**B. PUBLIC COMMUNICATION**

There was no public communication.

**C. CLOSED SESSION**

1. Consideration of Student Matter (Ed. Code § 48918) Student #: 1-1819

The Board entered closed session at 6:10 p.m. to discuss student discipline hearings for student #: 1-1819. This matter was heard by the Santee School Board Members Dianne El-Hajj, Ken Fox, Barbara Ryan, and Elana Levens-Craig, in closed session. Oral and documentary evidence was received. Following the presentation of evidence, President El-Hajj announced the Board members would deliberate and all other persons were asked to leave the room.

**D. RECONVENE TO PUBLIC SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT**

The Board reconvened to public session at 6:45 p.m.

**ACTION TAKEN BY BOARD**

It was motioned by Member Levens-Craig to expel student #1-1819 from the Santee School District for violation of California Education Code Section 48900(b) Possessed, sold, or otherwise furnished a weapon of no reasonable use to the pupil at school, and Santee School District Board Policy 5144.1: Students: Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process and Administrative Regulations 5144.1.

The expulsion shall be immediately suspended herewith, and the student shall complete the following elements in a Rehabilitation Plan:

- Transfer to another school as determine by administration, Student may not return to Carlton Oaks School.
- Maintain a 2.0 GPA for scholarship, effort and citizenship performance.
- Receive no new suspensions.
- Attend school regularly with no unexcused absences or tardies.
- Adhere to a student behavior plan as developed by school administration.
- Complete a counseling program by 2/22/19 for decision-making/peer pressure
- Complete all elements of this Rehabilitation Plan by 2/22/19 and present documentation to verify completion.

A parent must meet with the Director of Pupil Services by October 30, 2018, to review and sign the Rehabilitation Plan. If the parent fails to meet within the designated time and/or does not sign the Rehabilitation Plan, the student may be expelled without further Board action.

Upon satisfactory completion of all activities in this rehabilitation Plan, the student record will be expunged of this expulsion order.

<b>Motion:</b> <u>Levens-Craig</u>	<b>El-Hajj</b> <u>Aye</u>	<b>Ryan</b> <u>Aye</u>
<b>Second</b> <u>Fox</u>	<b>Fox</b> <u>Aye</u>	<b>Levens-Craig</b> <u>Aye</u>
<b>Vote:</b> <u>4-0</u>	<b>Burns</b> <u>Not Present</u>	

**E. ADJOURNMENT**

The October 24, 2018 special meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

  
Dustin Burns, Clerk

  
Dr. Kristin Baranski, Secretary

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**B. PUBLIC COMMUNICATION**

There was no public communication.

**C. CLOSED SESSION**

1. Consideration of Student Matter (Ed. Code § 48918) Student #: 2-1819

The Board entered closed session at 6:55 p.m. to discuss student discipline hearings for student #: 2-1819. This matter was heard by the Santee School Board Members Dianne El-Hajj, Ken Fox, Barbara Ryan, and Elana Levens-Craig, in closed session. Oral and documentary evidence was received. Following the presentation of evidence, President El-Hajj announced the Board members would deliberate and all other persons were asked to leave the room.

**D. RECONVENE TO PUBLIC SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT**

The Board reconvened to public session at 7:30 p.m.

**ACTION TAKEN BY BOARD**

It was motioned by Member Levens-Craig to expel student #2-1819 from the Santee School District for violation of California Education Code Sections 48900(c) Possessed, used, sold, furnished, or been under the influence of alcohol, intoxicant, or controlled substance as defined in the Health & Safety Code, and Santee School District Board Policy 5144.1: Students: Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process and Administrative Regulations 5144.1.

The expulsion shall be immediately suspended herewith, and the student shall complete the following elements in a Rehabilitation Plan:

- Remain on independent study through 12/21/18 or enroll in another school as determined by administration until 12/21/18. Student may return to her previous school 1/7/19.
- Maintain a 3.5 GPA for scholarship, effort and citizenship performance.
- Receive no new suspensions.
- Attend school regularly with no unexcused absences or tardies.
- Complete a counseling program by 1/7/19 for decision-making/peer pressure
- Perform 20 hours of community service by 1/7/19 and provide verification.
- Complete all elements of this Rehabilitation Plan by 1/7/19 and present documentation to verify completion.

A parent must meet with the Director of Pupil Services by October 30, 2018, to review and sign the Rehabilitation Plan. If the parent fails to meet within the designated time and/or does not sign the Rehabilitation Plan, the student may be expelled without further Board action.

Upon satisfactory completion of all activities in this rehabilitation Plan, the student record will be expunged of this expulsion order.

**Motion:** Levens-Craig  
**Second** Fox  
**Vote:** 4-0

**El-Hajj** Aye  
**Fox** Aye  
**Burns** Not Present

**Ryan** Aye  
**Levens-Craig** Aye

**E. ADJOURNMENT**

The October 24, 2018 special meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

  
Dustin Burns, Clerk

  
Dr. Kristin Baranski, Secretary