

BOARD MINUTES  
BEMENT COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 5  
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
JANUARY 9, 2019

The special meeting of the Bement Community Unit School District 5 Board of Education was held Wednesday, January 9, 2019 in the FACS room. The meeting was called to order by board president Kyle Rogers at 6:00 p.m.

Board members present were Kyle Rogers, Layna Somers, Jeff Funk, Trixie Stoerger-Flavin, Janice Fogerson, Denise Strack and Todd Scott.

A motion was made by Strack and seconded by Stoerger-Flavin that the board adjourn to closed session at 6:01 p.m. to consider Student A discipline. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.

A motion was made by Scott and seconded by Funk that the board return to open session at 6:25 p.m. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.

A motion was made by Rogers and seconded by Funk that Student A has violated the conditions of the Bement High School Student Handbook defined by Prohibited Student Conduct, Section 3a. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.

A motion was made by Fogerson and seconded by Stoerger-Flavin that the board adjourn to closed session at 6:26 p.m. to consider Student A discipline. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.

A motion was made by Rogers and seconded by Funk that the board return to open session at 6:45 p.m. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.

A motion was made by Rogers and seconded by Fogerson that Student A be expelled from school for having committed a violation of school rules amounting to gross misconduct for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and the entire 2019-2020 school year and the terms of the expulsion held in abeyance be followed. The expulsion will be held in abeyance for the limited purpose of allowing the Student to attend Milligan Academy. At no time shall the Student be on school property or attend a school related activity (home or away) or event. This will include not participating in high school graduation in May. The Student must show written certification of completing a drug abuse counseling program by a certified counselor and provide monthly drug test results to the District. Drug testing results must be provided to the District at the first of each month (February, March, April and May). If the results of a drug test come back positive, the Student will be expelled for the remainder

of the 2018-2019 school year and the entire 2019-2020 school year. Drug counseling/testing will be at the Parent's/Student expense. The Student must remain in good standing at Milligan Academy during this Stay of Expulsion Agreement. If the Student is dismissed from Milligan Academy, the Student will be expelled from the District for the remainder of the 2018-2019 school year and the entire 2019-2020 school year. The Student will be allowed to use District transportation to Milligan Academy as long as the Student does not substantially disrupt, impede, interfere or create a safety issue for the bus driver. A determined, off-school pickup location will originate in Bement. If the Student is removed from riding the bus, the parent will have the responsibility of transporting the Student to and from Milligan Academy for the remainder of the expulsion. During the term of this Agreement, the Student will be noted as "not in good standing" and any Illinois public school district in which the Student enrolls will be advised that the Student is not in good standing.

A motion was made by Stoerger-Flavin and seconded by Scott that the board adjourn at 6:49 p.m. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote.

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BOARD PRESIDENT

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BOARD SECRETARY