

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1J, MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON Special Meeting of the Board of Education October 06, 2020

MEETING OVERVIEW

The purpose of this document is to provide an overview of discussions and any actions taken by the School Board. In accordance with ORS 192.650, the District's official School Board Meeting Minutes are maintained via video recording and may be viewed at: https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL8CC942A46270A16E

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education came to order at 5:03 pm at the call of Committee Chair Moore. This meeting was held virtually due to Covid-19 and streamed live at: https://www.youtube.com/user/ppscomms/videos

Attendance

Present: Board Chair Lowery, Directors Bailey, Brim-Edwards, DePass, Kohnastamm, Moore, Scott; Superintendent Guerrero, Contracted General Counsel Liz Large

Absent: None

Pre-meeting

The virtual meeting opened for attendees to arrive at 4:45pm. No deliberations or decisions were made prior to the start of the meeting.

Appeal to the Board – 2020-09

Time Started: 5:05 pm.

Chair Lowery shared an overview on the complaint process. Mr. Macon commented on the complaint process and expressed that he does not feel communicated with and that he does not feel that he was provided with sufficient assistance with the complaint process. Director Lowery shared that the District would need to address the process at another time and address the complaint at hand. Ms. Macon read a statement on the behalf of Ms. Bensafia regarding the complaint, the complaint process, and why she is not in attendance in person. Mr. Macon shared that he did not feel that he had the information that he needed to represent Ms. Bensafia. There was discussion regarding whether Ms. Bensafia's permission was needed to postpone the vote on the appeal. Mr. Macon shared that all communication had been addressed to both Ms. Bensafia and the Macon Family, and as the father of the student at hand he would like to postpone the meeting until he receives the requested board resolutions and questions are answered. Ms. Large stated that the board could accommodate Mr. Macon's request. Chair Lowery stated they would adjourn the meeting in order to provide the requested information to Mr. Macon and reschedule another hearing to address Ms. Bensafia's complaint.

Adjourn

Chair Lowery adjourned the meeting at 5:33 pm.

Submitted by:

Kara Bradshaw, Executive Assistant

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