

**Lynchburg City School Board  
Student Discipline Committee Meeting  
September 23, 2009**

**BOARD  
MEMBERS  
PRESENT:**

Mary Ann H. Barker, Chairman  
Keith R. Anderson  
Trenay L. Tweedy

**BOARD  
MEMBERS  
ABSENT:**

None

**ADMINISTRATION  
PRESENT:**

Paul McKendrick, Superintendent  
Gloria C. Preston, Director of Student Services

**Agenda  
Items:**

- A. Opening Comments
- B-1. Notice of Closed Meeting
- B-2. Certification of Closed Meeting
- B-3. Student Suspension Appeal
- B-4. Student Suspension Appeal
- C. Adjournment

**A. Opening Comments**

The Lynchburg City School Board met in regular session beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Room at the School Administration Building. Mrs. Barker opened the meeting.

**B-1. Notice of Closed Meeting**

Upon MOTION by Rev. Anderson, SECONDED by Mrs. Tweedy, the Student Discipline Committee of the Lynchburg City School Board convened a closed meeting beginning at 5:03 p.m. pursuant to the Code of Virginia §2.2-3711 (A) (2) to discuss two student suspension appeals.

Yes Votes: Mrs. Barker, Rev. Anderson, Mrs. Tweedy

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

**B-2. Certification of Closed Meeting**

Upon MOTION by Mrs. Tweedy, SECONDED by Rev. Anderson, the Student Discipline Committee reconvened in open session at 6:10 p.m.

Yes Votes: Mrs. Barker, Rev. Anderson, Mrs. Tweedy

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

Upon MOTION by Mrs. Tweedy, SECONDED by Rev. Anderson, the school board approved by roll call vote the following Certification of Closed Meeting:

The Lynchburg City School Board certifies that, in the closed meeting just concluded, nothing was discussed except the matters specifically identified in the motion to convene in a closed meeting and lawfully permitted to be so discussed under the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act cited in that motion.

Yes Votes: Mrs. Barker, Rev. Anderson, Mrs. Tweedy

No Votes: None

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Abstentions: None

**B-3. Student Suspension Appeal**

Upon MOTION by Rev. Anderson, SECONDED by Mrs. Tweedy, the school board upheld the superintendent's recommendation to suspend the student 09/10 - 001 for 365-calendar days but will defer the suspension to an alternative education program so long as there are no further violations of School Board Policy 7-19 and Administrative Regulation 7-19.

Yes Votes: Mrs. Barker, Rev. Anderson, Mrs. Tweedy

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

**B-4. Student Suspension Appeal**

Upon MOTION by Rev. Anderson, SECONDED by Mrs. Tweedy, the school board reduced the suspension of the student 09/10 - 002 for 365-calendar days but will defer the suspension to an alternative education program so long as there are no further violations of School Board Policy 7-19 and Administrative Regulation 7-19.

Yes Votes: Mrs. Barker, Rev. Anderson, Mrs. Tweedy

No Votes: None

Abstentions: None

**C-1. Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

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Mary Ann H. Barker, Chairman

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Wendie L. Sullivan, Clerk