



Mt. Vernon Township High School District #201
December 10, 2008
Special Disciplinary Meeting of the Board of Education
6:00 P.M.

Mission Statement

*The Mission Statement expresses the purpose for which we exist
and the functions we perform in a learning process.*

Mt. Vernon Township High School is a community including students, parents, staff, and citizens. The mission is to provide challenging educational and social experiences that will create in all students lifelong learning and responsible citizenship in a diverse and changing world.

Goodwine called the meeting to order. The following board members were present: Ron Copenhaver, Jon Hawthorne, Robert Stewart, and Karen Goodwine. Absent were Dan Hoffman, Pat Garrett, and Greg Backes. Also present were Superintendent Terry Milt, Principal Ron Daniels, Assistant Principal Susan Talley, and Board Secretary Shirilyn Holt.

Copenhaver made a motion for Vice-President Goodwine to preside over the hearing with a second by Hawthorne.

The motion passed by unanimous vote. (Copenhaver, Hawthorne, Stewart, Goodwine, Absent – Backes, Hoffman, Garrett)

6:02 p.m.

Stewart made a motion to enter Closed Session with a second by Copenhaver.

The motion passed by unanimous vote. (Stewart, Copenhaver, Hawthorne, Goodwine, Absent – Backes, Hoffman, Garrett)

6:21 p.m.

Stewart made a motion to enter Open Session with a second by Copenhaver.

The motion passed by unanimous vote. (Stewart, Copenhaver, Hawthorne, Goodwine, Absent – Backes, Hoffman, Garrett)

Copenhaver made a motion that student 121008 violated school rules by circumstances so related to the school program so as to warrant discipline. The motion was seconded by Stewart.

The motion passed by unanimous vote. (Copenhaver, Stewart, Hawthorne, Goodwine, Absent – Backes, Hoffman, Garrett)

6:25 p.m.

Stewart made a motion to enter Closed Session to discuss administration recommendations with a second by Copenhaver.

The motion passed by unanimous vote. (Stewart, Copenhaver, Hawthorne, Goodwine, Absent – Backes, Hoffman, Garrett)

6:35 p.m.

Copenhaver made a motion to enter into Open Session with a second by Stewart.

The motion passed by unanimous vote. (Copenhaver, Stewart, Hawthorne, Goodwine, Absent – Backes, Hoffman, Garrett)

Hawthorne made a motion to expel student 121008 for the remainder of the 2008-2009 school year and the 1st semester of the 2009-2010 school year, with a recommendation of entering the ROE Safe School.

The motion was seconded by Copenhaver.

The motion passed by unanimous vote. (Hawthorne, Copenhaver, Stewart, Goodwine, Absent – Backes, Hoffman, Garrett)

6:38 p.m.

Stewart made a motion to adjourn with a second by Hawthorne. All present vote yes.

Karen Goodwine, Vice-President

Shirilyn Holt, Board Secretary