

**Lynchburg City School Board Student  
Discipline Committee Meeting  
September 5, 2019**

**BOARD  
MEMBERS  
PRESENT:**

Susan Morrison, Chair  
Dr. Coleman  
Dr. Sinha

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MEMBERS  
ABSENT:**

None

**ADMINISTRATION PRESENT:**

Ben W. Copeland, Deputy Superintendent  
LaTonya D. Brown, Director of Student Services  
Dominique Foster, Student Services

**Agenda  
Items:**

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

**A. Opening Comments**

The Lynchburg City School Board met for a Student Discipline Committee meeting beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Room at the School Administration Building. Mrs. Morrison opened the meeting.

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

Upon MOTION by Dr. Sinha, SECONDED Dr. Coleman, the Student Discipline Committee of the Lynchburg City School Board convened a closed meeting beginning at 5:00 p.m. pursuant to the Code of Virginia §2.2- 3711 (A) (2) to discuss student suspension appeals.

Yes Votes:

Mrs. Morrison, Dr. Coleman, Dr. Sinha

No Votes:

None

Abstentions:

None

**B-2. Student Suspension Appeal**

Upon MOTION by Dr. Sinha, SECONDED by Dr. Coleman, the school board upheld the recommendation that student 1617591901 be suspended for 364 days and placed into alternative education in accordance with Policy JGD/JGE Student Suspension/Expulsion effective August 27, 2019. A review for possible return to base school will be based on attendance, grades, and behavior.

Yes Votes:

Mrs. Morrison, Dr. Coleman, Dr. Sinha

No Votes:

None

Abstentions:

None

### **B-3. Student Suspension Appeal**

Upon MOTION by Dr. Coleman, SECONDED by Dr. Sinha, the school board upheld the recommendation that student 1617591902 be suspended for 364 days and placed into alternative education in accordance with Policy JGD/JGE Student Suspension/Expulsion effective August 27, 2019. A review for possible return to base school will be based on attendance, grades, and behavior. .

Yes Votes:

Mrs. Morrison, Dr. Coleman, Dr. Sinha

No Votes:

None

Abstentions:

None

### **B-4. Certification of Closed Meeting**

Upon MOTION by Dr. Coleman, SECONDED by Dr. Sinha, the Student Discipline Committee reconvened in open session at 5:57 p.m.

Yes Votes:

Mrs. Morrison, Dr. Coleman, Dr. Sinha

No Votes:

None

Abstentions:

None

Upon MOTION by Dr. Coleman, SECONDED by Dr. Sinha, 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. Morrison, Dr. Coleman, Dr. Sinha

No Votes:

None

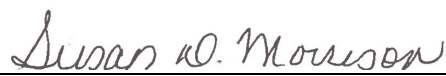
Abstentions:

None

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**C. Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 5:59 p.m.



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Susan D. Morrison, Board Chair



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Christi Meservy, Clerk

