

Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Board of Education, NICE Community School District, Townships of Champion, Ely, Humboldt, Ishpeming, Tilden, and Spurr; Counties of Baraga and Marquette; and the State of Michigan held electronically on **Tuesday, March 2, 2021**

The meeting was called to order by President Ron Mariani at 6:15 p.m.

Members Present: David Boase, Kathleen Carlson, John Grove, Ron Mariani, Wendy Pederson

Members Absent: Randy Couveau, Scott Mann

Administrator's Present: Bryan DeAugustine, Cliff Fossitt

Public Comment (regarding agenda): None

Approval of Agenda:

Motion by Kathleen Carlson supported by John Grove to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

Consent Agenda:

Motion by Kathleen Carlson supported by John Grove to approve the previous meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Reports, Presentations, Discussion Items

None

Business / Action Items

Motion by Kathleen Carlson supported by John Grove to enter into closed session under Section 8(b) of the Open Meetings Act for the purposes of student discipline. Motion carried.

The meeting entered closed session at 6:19 p.m.

The meeting returned to open session at 6:43 p.m.

Motion by John Grove supported by Wendy Pederson that the student serve a 45-day suspension, beginning February 22, 2021 with the opportunity to reduce said suspension by 10 days should the student complete the following:

- Meet with a school social worker 5 times to discuss substance abuse. The meetings must be scheduled prior to returning to school. A missed meeting will nullify this opportunity.
- Complete 18 hours of community service. Community Service must be preapproved by the school administration.

Roll Call Vote:

Dave Boase	aye	Kathleen Carlson	aye	John Grove	aye
Ron Mariani	aye	Wendy Pederson	aye		

Motion carried.

Community Comments

None

Closing comments by Board or Superintendent:

Bryan DeAugustine spoke to the student/family and thanked them for their support.

Motion by Kathleen Carlson supported by John Grove to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

Board President: _____ **Board Secretary:** _____